

Happy Valentines!! Clarksburg Community Church

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Worship Schedule for February Sunday School at 9:45 AM Worship at 11:00 AM

SERIES OVERVIEW RENEWED DISCIPLINES FOR A NEW DECADE

FEB 2 nd	STUDY GOD'S WORD	Youth Choir Communion
FEB 9 th	SHARE LIFE WITH CHURCH FAMILY	
FEB 16 th	SERVING THROUGH SHARING	
FEB 23 rd	SIMPLIFY MY LIFE	BELLS
FEB 28 th	LENTEN SERVICE	6:30 PM "Were you There?"

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FROM PASTOR SANDY



If you are like 40% of Americans, you made a New Year's Resolution this year. If you are among that number, 75% of you have already quit trying to accomplish what you resolved to do in this new decade. While that sounds judgmental it's not my intent. The reality is most of us have difficulties making changes in our lives, even when we are self-aware enough to recognize the need for change.

Years ago, I stopped making "New Year's Resolutions" because I was not following through with most of them. However, a new year is still a great time to reflect on what changes we should incorporate into our lives. That's why I began a new series on spiritual disciplines in January titled, "Renewed Dedications for a New Decade." Rather than incorporating a new habit into my life, I decided to renew my dedications to the spiritual disciplines of the Christian faith.

The series will address seven disciplines of Christianity that every follower of Jesus should incorporate into their lives on a regular basis. These activities are part of the believer's daily life to strengthen our faith and ground us in our commitment to Christ.

To listen to the series, visit our website at www.clarksburgcc.org and click "Sermons." I also recommend two great books on spiritual disciplines that have helped many Christians over the years: Richard Foster's Celebration of Discipline and The Spirit of the Disciplines by Dallas Wiliard.

I hope the decade of the 2020's is a time of spiritual growth for you, your families and Clarksburg Community Church.

Have a blessed New Year!

Pastor Sandy

FROM THE YOUTH LEADER

The New Year is often filled with excitement, hope, and expectation, and that is how I feel when I look forward to this new year with our middle and high school students.

Looking back, God has done so many good things in growing the faith of our youth, and it had been an honor to watch God work. Having witnessed God working in our youth in the past, I have so much excitement for the year ahead. I look forward to seeing what God does in my heart, in the hearts of our students, and in the hearts of our church in the coming year.

God bless you in the New Year,

In Him, Amanda

FROM PASTOR EMERITUS DENNIS

~Lenten Services ~

Lenten Services this year will be offered Friday evenings beginning on February 28th through April 10th at 6:30 PM in the sanctuary.

These are quiet services of communion, prayer and meditation and they are for everyone. The theme this year is "Where you there?"

Pastor Dennis

SUNDAY SCHOOL HAPPENINGS

Join us each Sunday morning at 9:45 AM as we study the Gospel of Matthew this spring. We offer Sunday School for all ages.

-Lana Reynolds, Christian Education Chair

**ON GOING **

WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY – MONDAYS

We meet Monday mornings in the blue room at Clarksburg Community Church from 9:45 - 11:15. We will use a study book by Max Lucado entitled "Experiencing the Heart of Jesus" which invites us to step closer to Jesus. Charlyn Connor will lead the study.

CLARKSBURG COMMUNITY GARDEN CLUB – FEBRUARY 12th

On February 12 at 1:00 PM, at the Church, there will be a program about the Flora seen on the Lewis & Clark Trail to the west. It is an interesting and very well received program. Please call Debbie at (916) 424-2409 if you would like to come. Watch for our second Flower Show coming on April 8, more information to follow.

MEN'S GROUP – FEBRUARY 22ND

The Men's group will be reading and discussing together this year the book <u>Overcomer</u> by David Jeremiah. Our next meeting will be Saturday, February 22nd at 6:30 AM for breakfast at the church and then book discussion..

SENIOR LUNCH – FEBRUARY 18th

The next lunch is February 18th at noon, meeting at the Clarksburg Community Church. Join us for a gathering of friendship, & fellowship.

CLARKSBURG SAMARITANS

Continuing the long service to the community, on December 21 the Samaritans distributed 42 food boxes to 21 families so that all families in Clarksburg could enjoy holiday meals.

We would like to thank Joe & Kathi Gomes and Doug Heringer for the distribution of food and to the community that donated funds to make this possible.

Clarksburg Samarítans

**COMMUNITY INTEREST **

PASSING OF BOB GOSS

Robert "Bob" Edwin Goss passed away on Friday, January 17, 2020, at the age of 88. He was surrounded by family in the home that he built on the farm that he loved. A celebration of life is being planned, no date at this time.

PASSING OF JOHN AZEVEDO

John Azevedo, long time resident and former Fire Chief of Clarksburg passed away in the hospital on Saturday, February 8, 2020. A memorial service is being planned, no date at this time.

BAPTISM OF BLAYKE EMMARAE GEISLER

Blayke Geisler, daughter of Shelby Geisler and Tanner Martin was baptized at Clarksburg Community Church on Saturday, January 18th.

SAVE THE DATE! MARCH 1st @ 5:00 PM DINNER- KITCHEN DEDICATION

Please join us for a dinner prepared by the Clarksburg Community Church Men's Group for the dedication of the church's new kitchen. Dinner will be served at 5:00 PM followed by a short program. All are welcome.

Love is patient, love is kind.
It does not envy, it does not boast, it is not proud. It does not dishonor others, it is not self-seeking, it is not easily angered, it keeps no record of wrongs.

1 Corinthians 13:4-5