# Hosanna Highlights Pastor article

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#### Written by Pastor Candy O'Meara

Hello Hosanna!

So, let me start with this: this is really my first Mardi Gras here in this area. While I'm from Louisiana, I'm from "the north". At the time of this writing it's already been a learning experience! I never knew "Lundi Gras" was a thing! I'm looking forward to getting to attend some parades and seeing what else goes on during this time.

What I do remember growing up in Louisiana is the tradition that at midnight on Mardi Gras, everything stops. Bars close, parades are over...that's it 'til next year!

This is also our (that is to say yours and mine) first Ash Wednesday (February 22) in Covington. Hosanna has a tradition of doing "Ashes to go" and we will continue that tradition here in Covington. Drive-thru ashes will be available 7am-9:30am and again 1pm-5:30pm 6pm. We will set up in the drive thru in front of the Fellowship Hall behind Aquistapace, If anyone would like to be a part of this tradition, we would love to have you here!

Ash Wednesday services will be at Noon and 6pm where we will have the imposition of ashes and celebrate Holy Communion. Please help get this word out for both the services and the "Ashes to go" times and location.

With the ashes, we are reminded that we are dust; that on our own we can accomplish nothing. But with the work of the Holy Spirit which breathes new life into our dust and brings to new life something beautiful and amazing and precious in God's sight.

Looking forward to seeing you this Lenten season. Until then, Happy Mardi Gras!

**Pastor Candy** 



#### Online Resources

ONLINE COMMUNITY
Online Church Calendar
Find a Group List
Online Directory(Log in
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Online Giving
Register for Events or Classes



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#### Notes & News

Join the Hosanna Family at 9:00AM Or watch on Facebook Www.facebook.com/hlcpage



More events may be added throughout the month. Check Hosanna Happenings emails, Sunday slides or FaceBook for an updated list of events.

To submit prayer requests <u>CLICK HERE</u>:



## FEBRUARY 2023

### Church Calendar Click HERE for the online church calendar

JANUARY 30	Pastor	Candy	gon	e u	ntil F	eb.	4	

Hosanna Hot Meal @ 222 South Jefferson Avenue

JANUARY 31 No Redevelopment Team Meeting

FEBRUARY 2 Quilters 9am-12pm in Fellowship Hall

FEBRUARY 5 9am Breakfast Church in the Fellowship Hall

Bible Study after the service

FEBRUARY 6 Hosanna Hot Meals @ 222 South Jefferson Avenue

FEBRUARY 7 Redevelopment Team Meeting @6pm

FEBRUARY 9 Quilters 9am-12pm in Fellowship Hall

Joint Redevelopment Team & Executive Team

FEBRUARY 12 9am Sunday Service

Bible Study after the service

FEBRUARY 13 Hosanna Hot Meals @ 222 South Jefferson Avenue

FEBRUARY 14 Redevelopment Team Meeting @6pm

FEBRUARY 16 Quilters 9am-12pm in Fellowship Hall

FEBRUARY 19 9am Sunday Service

Bible Study after the service Chemo Care Bag Items Due

FEBRUARY 20 OFFICE CLOSED for Lundi Gras

No Hosanna Hot Meals

FEBRUARY 21 OFFICE CLOSED for Mardi Gras

FEBRUARY 22 Ash Wednesday

Drive Thru Ashes 7am-9:30pm & 1pm-5:30pm



# HOSANNA QUILTERS BLESSING OF THE QUILTS SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 26TH

#### Office Manager/Bookkeeper officemanager@hosannalutheran.com 985-727-9200



Inaugural Beer and Hymns February 26, 6pm Columbia Street Tap Room, Covington

families welcome!









## Hosanna Quilters:

Quilters meet every Thursday from 9am-12pm in the Fellowship Hall
@ 222 S. Jefferson Avenue.

If you have any questions, please contact Debbie Coleman or the office







Hosanna Hot Meals is looking for desserts! If you can make or buy dessert for this ministry sign up with <u>THIS LINK!</u>

## Redevelopmeni

The Redevelopment Team meets every Tuesday at 6pm.

The team consists of:

Pastor Candy O'Meara Pastor Jeff Sims Pastor Jarrett Banks Monica Growden Brian Nichols George Michell



February Birthdays

**Cedes Wells** 

**Bob Sparacello** 

Feb 17

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Erica Hoffmar Feb 4 **Nancy Anderson** Feb 19 Liz Davis **Cheryl Daussat** Feb 5 Jayden Shaw Feb 5 **Monica Growder** Feb 6 Savannah Boynes Feb 28 Jae Levu Feb 6 **Anna Reed** Feb 14 **Cristine Gowland** 

## February Anniversaries

Feb 1 Wayne & Cedes Wells 54 Years

Feb 12 Richard & Julie Ann Hodgson 29 Years