

# CHURCH OF GOD FOOTPRINTS



## Schedule for February

Greeters: Fred and Sherry Riggins

1	Quarterly carry-in dinner Jan., Feb. & Mar. birthdays & anniversaries	
4	Feed the youth Fred & Sherry Riggins, hosts	6pm
7	Men's Breakfast	8am
10	Ladies' Group	7pm
10	Promise Keepers	7pm
11	Board of Trustees Meeting	8pm
14	Valentine's Day	

## Birthdays

1	Clyce Graves
2	Misty Beiswanger
2	Barbara Case
3	Charles Newlin
5	T.W. Beiswanger
5	Fred Selfridge
7	Bernie Thorne
10	Eric Morris
11	Charlene Graham

## Birthdays continued

16	Raiden Dooley
26	Bonita Erikson

## Anniversaries

1	Greg and Theresa Plante
6	Pete and Joyce Garvie
14	Fred and Nel Selfridge

## Sign Up Sheets

The sign-up sheets for this year's activities are located in the foyer. You can sign up to feed the youth, be greeters, host ladies' group and help with dinners. This is a way to be an active part of the church.

## Youth Conference

There are several youth that would like to attend the upcoming youth conference, this is an opportunity for them to grow as Christians and network with other youth. If you would like to help with the cost of this conference, contact Pastor Bob or Jeremy.

We love because He first loved us.  
I John 4:19

## Thank You

Thank you to everyone who helped with the stew and chili supper in January. The amount raised was \$1,384.05. This will be donated to the Ministerial Alliance to help those in need.

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## Pray

Pray for the unsaved.  
Pray for rain.  
Pray for our leaders in government.  
Pray for those who are suffering.  
Pray for God to lead you in your daily life.

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## Refocus

Give up complaining---focus on gratitude.  
Give up harsh judgments---think kind thoughts.  
Give up worry---trust God to provide.  
Give up discouragement---be full of hope.  
Give up bitterness---turn on forgiveness.  
Give up hatred---return good for evil.  
Give up anger---be more patient.  
Give up pettiness---become mature.  
Give up jealousy---pray for trust.  
Give up gossiping---control your tongue.  
Give up sin---turn to virtue.  
Give up giving up---persevere.

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## Baptismal Service

There will be a Baptismal service the first of February. If you wish to be baptized, please contact Pastor Bob or Jeremy.

## “O Love That Will Not Let Me Go”

O Love that will not let me go,  
I rest my weary soul in thee;  
I give thee back the life I owe,  
That in thine ocean depths its flow  
May richer, fuller be.

George Matheson (1842-1906) wrote the words to this much-loved hymn while feeling intensely lonely and afraid. Years back, his fiancé had broken their engagement upon learning he was going blind. Despite that challenge, Matheson had followed God’s call to a fruitful pastoral ministry---with his sister’s assistance. Now his sister was getting married, and Matheson worried about who would take care of him and if anyone would ever want to marry him.

Amid such despair, Matheson later shared, God gave him all four verses of this hymn in five minutes. It’s a poignant reminder that God’s love sustains us even when human love falls short.

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February 1, is the quarterly carry-in dinner to observe the birthdays and anniversaries for the months of January, February and March. Plan to attend and enjoy fellowship with everyone following the morning worship service.