First United Methodist Church

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February 28th, 2021 — March 6th, 2021

"Second Sunday in Lent"

Usher / Greeter: Organ: Mary Prater
Altar Flowers: Liturgist: Penny Tracy

Monday (3/1) Tuesday (3/2)

Wednesday (3/3)

Thursday (3/4) Prayer Group 10:00 S/PPRC 11:00

Friday (3/6)

March 7th, 2021 — March 13th, 2021

"Third Sunday in Lent"

Usher / Greeter: Organ: Mary Prater
Altar Flowers: Liturgist: Connie Kelsey

Monday (3/8)

Tuesday (3/9) Trustees 10:00

Wednesday (3/10)

Thursday (3/11) Prayer Group 10:00

Friday (3/12)

* Ad Council March 15th @ 10:00 AM



Let us please keep the following people in our prayers: Hank Weinert, Willie Chittle, Joel Prater, Ted Burson, Penny Tracy, Connie Whitsitt, Larry Billings, Shirley Beckman, Jason Coryell, and Martha Weeks.



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WORSHIP 11AM

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

PRELUDE: "Give of Your Best to the Master; My Faith Looks Up to Thee"

OPENING PRAYER—INVOCATION

OPENING WORSHIP HYMN: FWS-2129

Psalm 22:23-31

PRAISE CHORUS: UMH– 424 "Must Jesus Bear the Cross"

* CALL TO WORSHIP

- L: Set your hearts, your minds, and your entire focus on the things of God, and not on the things of this world.
- P: We seek God. We wish to always follow Him. Unfortunately, we are weak, and the things of this earth are so attractive to us! Forgive us when we falter and are led astray.
- L: Do the tasks which God has set for you to do, whether hard or easy, great or small.
- P: We want to do God's will. However, sometimes we are not sure what He wants us to do. At other times the things He asks of us seem much too difficult, or would probably result in our being ridiculed by others. We are weak when it comes to facing scorn, or danger, or suffering.
- L: God does not ask us to do His work by ourselves, for He knows we would fail. He gives us each other for assistance and support. He gives us His teachings and His word for m guidance. Above all, He gives us His Holy Spirit to be with us always. Seek His help!
- P: Remind us, O Lord, that we are not alone as we seek to follow Your path, and that we do not have to do so alone. Remind us further that You do not intend that we be soloists in Your work but rather, strong team players, whether we lead the team or serve in its lowliest position.

* APOSTLES' CREED: UMH-881

* SHARING THE PEACE OF CHRIST

OFFERTORY PRAYER

SPECIAL MUSIC "My Task"

CHILDREN'S TIME

PRAYER TIME Sharing Our Joys and Concerns

PRAYER HYMN Hear Our Prayer, O Lord,

Hear Our Prayer, O Lord, Incline Thine ear to us, And grant us Thy peace.

PASTORAL PRAYER

LORD'S PRAYER: UMH-895

HYMN OF PREPARATION: UMH– 534 "Be Still My Soul"

NAME CHANGE PRAYER

* GOSPEL Mark 8:31-38

SERMON Walk Before Me

CLOSING HYMN: UMH– 374 "Standing on the Promises"

* BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE: "O How He Loves You and Me"

[&]quot;I Have Decided to Follow Jesus"

^{*} DENOTES CONGREGATION STANDING (AS ABLE)

^{*} PLEASE BE SURE TO SILENCE ALL ELECTRONIC DEVICES DURING THE WORSHIP SERVICE