March 15, 2020 Third Sunday in Lent

GREETING and ANNOUNCEMENTS

PRELUDE

Let us prepare our hearts for worship as the acolytes bring the Light.

*OPENING PRAYER

*CALL TO WORSHIP

Leader: We live in a time of anger, greed, worry, and clenching fists:

People: This is no way to live and so we let go and take a few deep

breaths.

Leader: We extend our hands – empty, peaceful, surrendered hands

All: May your Spirit fill our lives and work through these hands

and may the peace of Christ rise in us. Amen.

*SONGS OF PRAISE

Words are presented on the screen

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

SCRIPTURE LESSON (p. 528 in pew Bible) Psalm 95

WORSHIP IN SONG #172 "My Jesus, I Love Thee"

PRESENTING OUR TITHES and OFFERINGS

*DOXOLOGY #95

*OFFERTORY PRAYER

SHARING OUR JOYS AND CONCERNS

PASTORAL PRAYER

THE LORD'S PRAYER #895

AMEN #898

SCRIPTURE LESSON (p. 146 in pew Bible) Romans 5:1-11

MORNING MESSAGE "Righteous vs. Good—Which One to Die For?"

*WORSHIP IN SONG #298 "When I Survey the Wondrous Cross"

*BENEDICTION

*GO FORTH w/the LIGHT "Jesus, Name Above All Names" Words are presented on the screen

PRAYER CONCERNS

The Church Family:

Gary Austin, Andy & Denise Blacketer, Ken Blad, Janet Campbell, Connie Clark, Beth Cochran, Sandi Connally, Jason Cowherd, Steve Demoret, Sonny Denham, Deborah Eicher, Kennedy Ellis, Joey Gerold, Barbara Goode, Steve Goode, Marilyn Hood, Marsha Kerr, Mike Kline, David Lumpkin, Linda Lyon, Andy McCloud, Tom Oppy, Larry Remley, Mark Rogers, Deanna Ruby, Alaina Schaaf, Betty Schenandore, Georgia Taylor, Sandy Thompson, Dennis Weir, Shon Welty, Bobbie Wetli

The Community:

Montgomery County Schools students and personnel, back pack program, Sugar Creek Cluster, traveling mercies

The World:

Conferences & staff: West District; Annual Conf.; UM General Conference 2020 (May 5-15) & Jurisdictional Conf.; Cadin Caldwell, Josh Merrill and all military personnel; natural disasters; our nation and all government and church leaders; missionaries

Those unable to attend this morning:

BICKFORD: Pat Kincaid

CUMBERLAND POINTE HEALTH CAMPUS (W. Laf.): Roger & Georgia Taylor

HICKORY CREEK: Bobby Middleton

LANE HOUSE: Deanna Long, Patsy Simonds THE WATERS (Greencastle): Sue Alice Henry WHITLOCK: Peggy Caldwell, Mary Ellen Needham



CALENDAR

Weekly

9 a.m. Choir Rehearsal (2nd & 4th Sunday of each month)

10 a.m. Sunday school 10:45 a.m. Fellowship 11 a.m. Worship

Today: Third Sunday in Lent / April Ink Link Items Due by End of Day Monday:

Tuesday: 10 a.m. Bible Study

Wednesday:

Thursday: Noon Prayer Time

Friday:

Saturday: Men & Women's Lenten Breakfasts / Church Reserved Next Sunday: Fourth Sunday in Lent

Monthly

First Sunday: Communion
Recognize birthdays and anniversaries
10 a.m. Upstairs Ladies Meeting
Second Sunday: *Donation Sunday
Last Sunday: Bucket Sunday Offering
(Loose change)

Fifth Sundays: Pitch-in dinner

LOOKING AHEAD TO MARCH

Acolytes: Ruth Grant & Linda Miller Ushers: Kay Phillips & Linda Kingry Greeters: 15th, Linda Miller & Ruth Grant; 22nd, The Blacketers; 29th, Joe Hutchins & Linda Melevage

Liturgist: Carol Kline

Coffee Host: Witness Cmte.

House of God Priesthood: Upstairs

Ladies

Pastor: Dirk Caldwell

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Music: Jane Remley and Linda Kingry

(CCLI#156362)

Tech Crew: Joey Gerold and Jerry

Whalen

General Announcements:

If you wish to give to the Tennessee tornado relief efforts, the info is on the offering chest next to the check-in table.

Back pack volunteers meet at 9:30 a.m. on the first Thursday of each month. Please start saving and bringing in your plastic shopping bags for this program. They need 240 bags a month.

If you missed a service or wish to re-watch one, go to christsumc.org>video>click the livestream link and click on the one you wish to view.

*Donation Sunday (FISH & Animal Welfare League) is the second Sunday of each month. Donations are on a perpetual basis, but please help to overflow them on the second Sunday of each month.

2020 Ink Link deadlines: Mar. 15, Apr. 19, May 17, June 21, July 19, Aug. 16, Sept. 20, Oct. 18, Nov. 15, Dec. 20

FOR THE RECORD - MARCH

Attendance: 34, 43

Financial Figures: \$1,063, \$1,652 Monthly Budget Requirement: \$5,384

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