

PRAYER REQUESTS

Prayers:

Continued prayers for recuperation for John.

Darlene B. – Prayers for John R. still recovering from surgery. Belinda is also still recovering from her surgery.

Cindy C. – Prayers for grandmother Barbara M. healing and health.

James S. Jr. – Prayers for Mary and Fred.

James S. - Prayers for all the Service men and women.

Blanche K. – Kathleen K. is recovering from a successful knee replacement.

- Prayers for Donna J.

Pat S. – Prayers for Frank S. and Pattie Silverman

- Prayers for Military service people and their safety.

Albert B. – Pray for 2019 Special General Conference.

Donna J. – Continued prayers for my strength and for good results of further testing.

- Prayers for Grover who is struggling with his walking.

Praises:

Kathleen P. – My husband is very thankful for the peace the Lord has instilled in his heart.

Jacqueline W. – Praise for God for re-uniting me with my daughter and granddaughter after 16 years of separation.

Cindy C. – Praises for how well the youth did leading worship.

THIS WEEK'S ANNOUNCEMENTS:

UNITED METHODIST WOMEN

All teen girls, women and Pastor Mike, please join us Tuesday, March 12th in room 211 at 7:30 pm. Each member is asked to bring a picture or name of someone who has influenced your faith. Also bring a story or article about a woman in UMW history. An offering for the Legacy fund will be taken during the program.

Faith. Hope. Love in Action.

CONFIRMATION CLASS

Our 2019 Confirmation class has begun meeting and it is a great group of 4 youth! Since they meet right after the second service, we are looking for a few folks who might be willing to provide a simple lunch for them. Fed youth are happy youth! If you can help us, please contact Ann Ermer (annermer@yahoo.com or 215-945-5502). Thank you!!

ASH WEDNESDAY SERVICE

Please join us for Ash Wednesday worship service on Wednesday, March 6th at 7:00 pm.

THIS WEEK'S SCHEDULE

SUNDAY, MARCH 3

8:15 am	Traditional Worship – Youth Sunday	Sanctuary
9:30 am	Educational Clubs	Various rooms
10:30 am	Contemporary Worship – Youth Sunday	Sanctuary
11:45 am	Confirmation Class	Youth Room
4:30 pm	NA	Chapel
5:00 pm	God Squad / Jr. High Youth Group	Room 211
6:30 pm	Sr. High Youth Group	Room 6

MONDAY, MARCH 4

9:00 am	NA	Chapel
6:30 pm	Cub Scouts	Social Hall
7:00 PM	Women's Crafting Circle	Room 211

TUESDAY, MARCH 5

7:00 pm	Boy Scouts	Social Hall
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WEDNESDAY, MARCH 6

10:00 am	Women's Bible Study	Library
5:30 pm	Thrift Shop	Thrift Shop
7:00 pm	Ash Wednesday Service	Sanctuary

THURSDAY, MARCH 7

9:00 am	NA	Chapel
9:00 am	Thrift Shop ('til 12:30 pm)	Thrift Shop
6:00 pm	God and Me (Cub Scouts)	TBD
6:00 pm	Shared Community Dinner	Social Hall

FRIDAY, MARCH 8

12:00 pm	NA	Chapel
7:00 pm	Girl Scouts	Social Hall

SATURDAY, MARCH 9

7:30 am	Men's Prayer Breakfast	Chapel
10:00 am	AA	Chapel

NEXT WEEK'S SCHEDULE

SUNDAY, MARCH 10

2:00 am	Daylight Savings Time 2019	Spring Forward
8:15 am	Traditional Worship	Sanctuary
9:30 am	Educational Clubs	Various rooms
10:30 am	Contemporary Worship	Sanctuary
11:45 am	Confirmation Class	Room 206
4:30 pm	NA	Chapel
5:00 pm	God Squad/ Jr. High Youth Group	Room 211
6:30 pm	Sr. High Youth Group	Room 6

MONDAY, MARCH 11

9:00 am	NA	Chapel
6:30 pm	Cub Scouts	Social Hall
7:00 pm	Trustee's Meeting	Library

TUESDAY, MARCH 12

7:00 pm	Boy Scouts	Social Hall
7:30 pm	United Methodist Women	Room 211

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 13

10:00 am	Women's Bible Study	Library
12:00 pm	Lenten Lunch	Social Hall
5:30 pm	Thrift Shop (<i>'til 8:00 pm</i>)	Thrift Shop
7:00 pm	BSA – Female Scout Troup	Social Hall
7:00 pm	Bible Study	Library

THURSDAY, MARCH 14

9:00 am	Thrift Shop (<i>'til 12:30 pm</i>)	Thrift Shop
9:00 am	NA	Chapel
6:00 pm	God and Me (Cub Scouts)	TBD
6:30 pm	Cub Scout Planning Meeting	Library
7:00 pm	Bell Choir	Music Room
8:00 pm	Sanctuary Choir	Music Room

FRIDAY, MARCH 15

12:00 pm	NA	Chapel
7:00 pm	Girl Scouts	Chapel

SATURDAY, MARCH 16

7:30 am	Men's Prayer Breakfast	Chapel
10:00 am	AA	Chapel
12:00 pm	Pen-Del Youth Rally	Wesley UMC

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Pastor-On-Call: Please call (215) 945-5503 The pastor-on-call is available outside regular office hours for those experiencing true emergencies, such as a critical hospitalization or *urgent* physical, emotional or spiritual need.

ATTENDANCE REPORT

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THIS WEEK'S WORSHIP LEADERS, MARCH 3

Liturgist: 8:15am – Jeff Pearson 10:30am- Monica Anderson

Ushers: 8:15am- Pat Sheppard, Gary Tice, Jim Schultz Sr., Jim Schultz Jr.,
Mike Nickels

10:30am- Cole Cathers

WORSHIP LEADERS, MARCH 10

Liturgist: 8:15am – Blanche Keeler 10:30am- Andrea Beal

Ushers: 8:15am- Pat Sheppard, Mary Zachowski, Bob Spence, Sue Ermer
10:30am- Cole Cathers

Traditional Worship
Transfiguration Sunday
March 3, 2019

The time before worship is a time for fellowship and preparation. We invite you to greet one another and enjoy each other's company in the narthex or in the sanctuary, yet be respectful of the quiet others appreciate. Thank you for turning off/silencing cell phones & pagers. If needed, childcare is available in the nursery for 4-year olds and younger. Our ushers are prepared to assist you in any way.

*You are invited to stand, as you are able.

Prelude

Please take this time to write any prayer requests you may have on the prayer cards in the pews. They will be received during the offering and shared during prayers of the people.

Greeting: The Lord be with you! **And also with you!**

***Call to Worship**

Leader: The heavens are telling of God's glory and presence.

All: Where heaven and earth meet, there is magic.

Leader: Look to the heavens, or look within,

All: for God is present there.

Leader: Search the earth, or swim deepest oceans,

All: for God is present there. Where humanity meets Christ, there is miraculous magic.

***Opening Hymn** *My Hope Is Built* #368

***Opening Prayer:**

God of mystery, where heaven and earth meet, you are there. Where life and faith collide, you are there. Where sin and salvation intertwine, you are there. Where we come in worship and prayer, you are. You are here with us now, and we give you thanks and praise for this gift. Lift our hearts to see your face and discover heaven in your eyes. In your light and glory, we pray. Amen.

***Welcoming Our Guests and Passing the Peace of Christ**

Receiving God's Tithes and Additional Offerings

Offertory Spirit, Shine On Us Sanctuary Choir

***Doxology** #95

*** Offertory Prayer**

Lord of Light, when we become complacent and fail to see the wonder of your radiance and your love, illumine these gifts, that the world may see your light shining in our gifts and our offerings. Illumine our very lives, that our souls may shine like Christ as he was transfigured upon the mountaintop. Amen.

Community Connections

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* **Hymn** *O Wondrous Sight! O Vision Fair* #258

Prayers of the People and The Lord's Prayer

Scripture Lesson Luke 9:28-43 Pg. 733

Sermon "Listen to Him" Rev. Dr. Michael Roberts

The Sacrament of Holy Communion (See insert)

Today, we will receive by intinction in a line. As the ushers direct you, please come forward and receive a piece of bread from the server. Dip it into the cup, eat it, and then return to your seat. Any gifts to the pastor's discretionary fund may be brought forward and placed into the plates at the front. All who would respond to Christ's invitation are welcome to receive communion in the United Methodist Church.

* **Closing Hymn** *Be Thou My Vision* #451

*** Mission Statement**

Leader: We are a community called to worship and glorify God by

**People: Bringing People to Christ,
Growing People in Christ,
And Serving People for Christ.**

Leader: This is our mission.

All: Thanks be to God!

*** Benediction and Sending Forth**

*** Postlude**

Contemporary Worship
Transfiguration Sunday
March 3, 2019

Opening Praise *Mighty To Save, Shine On Us* Praise Band

Welcoming Our Guests and Passing the Peace of Christ

Receiving God's Tithes and Prayers

Offertory *Goodness Of God* Praise Band

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Children's Message

Children are invited upstairs with the message presenter and at least one other adult to experience "kid-friendly" worship. Parents are welcome to follow to ease any concerns you or your child may have. They will return to the sanctuary during the final song.

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Closing Praise *You Shine* Praise Band

Statement of Mission and Sending Out



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