

Order of Worship

We are blessed when you are!

March 3, 2019 Transfiguration Sunday 10:30 a.m.

Prelude William Elliott

The prelude is an invitation to begin to focus our hearts on worship.

Welcome and Announcements

*Choral Call to Worship “Jazz Introit” Chancel Choir

*Bringing in the Light of Christ Acolyte

Scriptural Reading Mathew 26:36-46

*Scriptural Hymn “Where the Spirit of the Lord Is” FWS 2119

Scriptural Prayer

Dismissal to Children’s Church (Pre-K to Grade 5)

Receiving of God’s Tithes and Our Offerings

Offertory “Great Is Thy Faithfulness” Mike Lampert

*Doxology “Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow” UMH 95

Anthem “Forever” Chris Tomlin
Chancel Choir

Sermon: Contemplation “Sorrow” Rev. Dr. Jay Ferguson

Invitation to Follow Jesus

*Hymn “Lord, Listen to your Children Praying” FWS 2193

*Benediction The Lord’s Prayer

*Choral Benediction “Shalom to You” Chancel Choir

*Taking out the Light of Christ Acolyte

*Postlude William Elliott

*People Stand as Able

Prayer Requests

IMMEDIATE NEEDS

Abby Bailey, 4 yr. old with cancer
Jane Baker, Friend of Dean Coon
Rhandy Barnett
Alice Bone, Marsha Houchins’ Sister-in-law
Diane Brown, Friend of Sue Young
Carl Burnette
Mike Clark, Liver Cancer—Neighbor of Vera Lee Austin
Kenny Cordle, Friend of Blair Deskins
Jared Cregar – Cancer - Friend of Josh Spencer
Thelma Halsey
Judy Harmon
Beth Hayes - Cancer
Jerry Hickman
Brenda Horn, Wife of Rev. Jimmy Horn
Al Hutchison
Susan Jarrell
Barbara Keene
Jason Koen
Daken Lewis -2 yr. old with leukemia
Roger Stacy, Family of Ben and Sue Young
Shirley Weaver, Kimberly Edwards’ Mother
Anita Whitmer, Lung Transplant
Penny Witt
Charlotte Woolwine, 3 yr. old with cancer

LONG TERM ILLNESS

Marie **Anderson**, Rudy **Austin** (Vera Lee Austin’s Brother), Barbara **Bailey**, Bobbie **Bellamy** (Margaret Elam’s Sister), Dennis **Bennett**, (Husband of Rita Bennett), Pauline **Brown**, E. C. **Browning**, Doug **Coon**, Joe **Davidson**, Leon **Devor**, Ethel **Earls**, Syd **Ellison**, Margaret **Farmer**, Russell **Garrett**, Tom **Hodge** (Shelby Clendenen’s Brother), Mary **Martin**, Gerrie **Porter**, Wilma **Shay**, Marguerite **Smith**, Roger **Shutt** (Charlie Thomason’s Nephew), Nancy **Trenton**, Irma **Webb**

OUR MILITARY

Ryan Shott
Lucas Graham
Artem Rich
Jeremy Woody
Austin Brown
All those serving our Country

I SORRY AND BETRAYAL II
ART WORK BY WALTER SHROYER

WEEKLY CALENDAR

Sunday, March 3

First Light Service	8:30 a.m.
Fellowship in Palmer Hall	9:00 a.m.
Sunday School	9:30 a.m.
Worship Service	10:30 a.m.
Cluster Youth	6 – 7:30 p.m.

Tuesday, March 5

TOPS	5:30 p.m.
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Wednesday, March 6

Ash Wednesday Service	7:00 a.m.
Bible Study	10 a.m./6 p.m.
Adult Handbell Choir Rehearsal	6:30 p.m.
Chancel Choir Rehearsal	7:15 p.m.

Thursday, March 7

Martha Circle	10:30 a.m.
Lydia Circle	6:00 p.m.

Join us for the **ASH WEDNESDAY SERVICE** on **March 6 at 7:00 a.m.** Ash Wednesday marks the beginning of the season of Lent. Lent is a time when Christians pilgrimage together with Jesus to the cross and the empty tomb. There will be a brief service ending with the sign of the cross. Coffee and donuts will be served.

EXTRAORDINARY WOMEN'S CONFERENCE

Thomas Road Baptist Church in Lynchburg, VA - October 4 and 5

We have reservations for Hampton Inn and Suites Lynchburg. Tickets to the event **MUST** be ordered the week of March 18. If you would like to go, please see Kelly (865) 207-6172 or Carolyn to reserve your spot with your non-refundable deposit of \$80. Total cost of this trip will be \$180 (This includes the deposit). Don't miss it and bring a friend!!

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RECORD OF FAITHFULNESS

February 2019

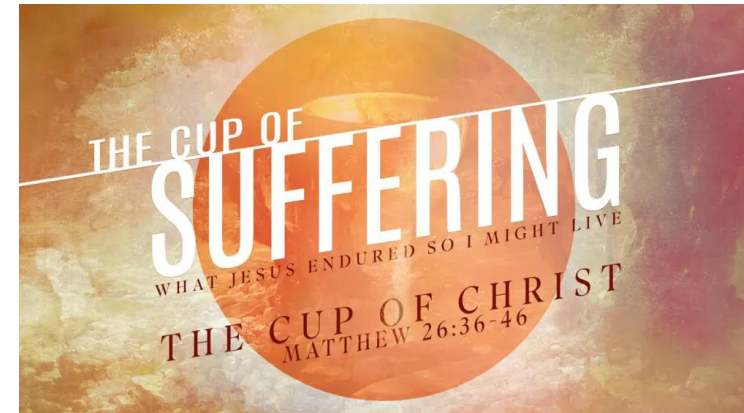
2019 Monthly Budget	\$24,600.00
Monthly Tithes & Offerings to Date	\$19,470.04
Monthly Unbudgeted Receipts to Date	\$ 3,757.00

ATTENDANCE: February 24

First Light Service	22
Worship, 10:30 a.m.	120
Total Worship	142
Sunday School	54

First United Methodist Church

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