

Jesse Lee United Methodist Church  
March 6, 2022  
First Sunday in Lent

**PREPARING**

*Gathering – As you enter the sanctuary, please prepare your hearts and minds for worship.*

*\*You are invited to stand as you are able and willing.*

*“See the glory of the Lord. Shine with the glory of the God.”*

**Prelude**                      “Seasonal Selections”                      Joe Swindon

**Greetings and Announcements.**

**Call to Worship**

*L: The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ be with you.*

*P:     **And also with you.***

*L: Bless the Lord, O my soul, and all that is within me, bless God’s holy name.*

*P:     **Bless the Lord, O my soul, and forget not all God’s benefits.***

*L: Who forgives all your sins, and heals all your infirmities;*

*P:     **Who redeems your life from the grave, and crowns you with mercy and loving kindness.***

**\*Hymn:** “Praise My Soul, the King of Heaven”                      UMH #66

**Opening Prayer (In unison)**

***O Faithful One, the promises you made to our ancestors continue even to this day. We too share the bounty of your blessings, dwelling in a land flowing with milk and honey. Burn the truth of Paul’s words into our***

***very souls: “Everyone who calls on the name of the Lord will be saved.” Amen.***

***Prayers of the Christ’s Church for Others and Ourselves***

*(Sharing Our Joys and Concerns)*

***Pastoral Prayer***

***Children’s Time                      “Jesus Loves Me”                      #191***

**CHRIST’S WAY & OUR RESPONSE**

***Anthem                      “We Remember You”***

***Words and Music by Walt Harrah, Arranged by Lloyd Larson***

***Old Testament Reading: Psalm 91:1-2. 9-16***

***Prayer of Illumination***

***Scripture: Luke 4:1-13***

***Hymn:                      “O Love, How Deep”                      UMH # 267***

***Message:                      Temptation                      Pastor Fern Blair Hart***

***+Exchange of Signs of the Peace of the Risen Christ***

***Offering Ourselves & Our Gifts to the Glory of God***

***Offertory                      “Tell Me The Stories of Jesus”***

***Words by William A. Parker, Music by Frederick A. Challinor***

***+Doxology***

***Prayer of Dedication (In unison)***

***O Lord of our hearts we come to you this day, thankful for your manifold blessings. Receive these offerings as the first fruits of your bounty in our lives. Send our gifts into a world that is hungry to know your refuge and your strength. Amen.***

**CELEBRATION OF HOLY COMMUNION**

*(Please find the service in the United Methodist Hymnal p.12-15)*

***Prayer of Confession and Forgiveness***

***Prayer of Great Thanksgiving***

***The Lord's Prayer***

***Our Father, who art in heaven hallowed be thy name, Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, the power, and the glory, forever. Amen***

***+Recessional Hymn: "Hope of the World" UMH #178***

***Benediction***

***Postlude "If Thou But Suffer God To Guide Thee"  
Music by George Neumark"***

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*Welcome! We are glad you are here today.*

*Save the Date: Semi-Annual Document Shredding Event Saturday May 14th 8:30am to 12:30pm Rain or Shine \$15 per box and \$10 per box for seniors*

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