

Order of Worship

8:00 & 11:00am Traditional Worship
March 26th, 2023

Prelude

Susan Fraser

Welcome

***Call to Worship**

Leader: O give thanks to the Lord, call on his name, make known his deeds among the peoples.

People: Sing to him, sing praises to him; tell of all his wonderful works.

Leader: Glory in his holy name; let the hearts of those who seek the Lord rejoice.

People: Seek the Lord and his strength; seek his presence continually.

Leader: Remember the wonderful works he has done,

People: his miracles, and the judgements he has uttered, O offspring of his servant Abraham, children of Jacob, his chosen ones.

--*Psalms 105:1-5*

***Opening Hymn**

To God Be the Glory

98 UMH

***Collect**

Almighty God, you alone can bring into order the unruly wills and affections of sinners: Grant your people grace to love what you command and desire what you promise; that, among the swift and varied changes of the world, our hearts may surely there be fixed where true joys are to be found; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. Amen.

Old Testament Lesson

Exodus 17:1-7

New Testament Lesson

1 Corinthians 10:1-13

***Gospel Lesson**

Luke 4:1-13

Sermon

Throw Yourself Down

Rev. Dr. Bob Kaylor

Pastoral Prayer and a Time of Silence

*Affirmation of Faith	The Nicene Creed	880 UMH
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*Response	Lead Me, Lord	473 UMH
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Invitation to the Table

Prayer of Confession and Assurance of Pardon

All: Gracious God, as we wander through this wilderness with Jesus, examining all the worldly comforts we turn to during times of stress and struggle, we confess the neglect of our faith. We confess all that we place above you, making idols of money, earthly power, and even food. Empty us this Lent, Holy God. Guide us in our spiritual practices so we can leave this wilderness season more aware of your presence and the ways our faith can sustain us. Amen.

Pastor: Almighty God have mercy on you, forgive you all your sins through our Lord Jesus Christ, strengthen you in all goodness, and by the power of the Holy Spirit keep you in eternal life. Amen.

Passing the Peace

Presenting our Tithes and Offerings

Offering Prayer

Offertory Music

*Doxology	Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow	Praise Band 95 UMH
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**Great Thanksgiving and Holy Communion	15 UMH
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*Closing Hymn	Open My Eyes, That I May See	454 UMH
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Sending Forth	Rev. Dr. Bob Kaylor
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Postlude	Susan Fraser
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*Please stand if you are able

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UMH- United Methodist Hymnal located under chairs

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9:30am Contemporary Worship
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Song Set

***Gospel Lesson**

Luke 4:1-13

Sermon

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***Affirmation of Faith**

The Nicene Creed

880 UMH

Invitation to the Table and Prayer of Confession

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Passing the Peace

Offering

****Communion**

15 UMH

Prayers of the People

***Closing Song**

Dismissal

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Sermon Notes

Daily Lectionary Readings

Monday, March 27, 2023:

Psalm 143; 1 Kings 17:17-24; Acts 20:7-12

Tuesday, March 28, 2023:

Psalm 143; 2 Kings 4:18-37; Ephesians 2:1-10

Wednesday, March 29, 2023:

Psalm 143; Jeremiah 32:1-9, 36-41; Matthew 22:23-33

Thursday, March 30, 2023:

Psalm 31:9-16; 1 Samuel 16:11-13; Philippians 1:1-11

Friday, March 31, 2023:

Psalm 31:9-16; Job 13:13-19; Philippians 1:21-30

Saturday, April 1, 2023:

Psalm 31:9-16; Lamentations 3:55-66; Mark 10:32-34

Readings for Next Sunday April 2, 2023

Isaiah 50:4-9a; Psalm 31:9-16

Philippians 2:5-11

Matthew 26:14-27:66 or Matthew 27:11-54