

COMMUNITY UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

MARCH 25, 2018
6TH SUNDAY IN LENT
PALM SUNDAY

Entrance

WELCOME / LIFE OF THE CHURCH

PRELUDE / LIGHT OF CHRIST

OPENING PRAYER

CALL TO WORSHIP (please stand as you are able)

L: O give thanks to the Lord, for he is good!

C: God's steadfast love endures forever!

L: Hosanna! Blessed is the one who comes in the name of the Lord.

C: Hosanna in the highest heaven!

L: The Lord is our God, and has given us light;

C: Great is our God, and we give thanks to the Lord.

L: Hosanna to the Son of David!

C: Hosanna in the highest heaven! Save Us, O God.

Hosanna! God's steadfast love endures forever. Amen.

PRAISE SONG - *Hosanna (PB)*

PRAYER OF PREPARATION Psalm 123

"To you I lift up my eyes, O YOU who are enthroned in the heavens! As the eyes of servants look to the hand of their master, as the eyes of a maid to the hand of her mistress, so our eyes look to the LORD our God, until he has mercy upon us. Have mercy upon us, O LORD, have mercy upon us, for we have had more than enough of contempt. Our soul has had more than its fill of the scorn of those who are at ease, of the contempt of the proud. Amen."

SCRIPTURE - Luke 19:29-44 (page #854)

SERMON - "Temple Time"

PRAISE SONG - *Jesus Messiah (PB)*

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE/PASTORAL PRAYER

RETURNING OUR GIFTS TO GOD

Offertory Music & Collection and Presentation of our Gifts

*Dedicating our Gifts and our Service to God's Glory

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;

Praise Him, all creatures here below;

Praise Him above, ye heavenly host;

Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

*Offertory Prayer

Thanksgiving and/or Communion

PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING—Father, we thank You for every blessing and also for every trial, for they shape us into who we are meant to be and who You want us to be. Thank You for new mercies and blessings each and every day. We thank You for wonderful families, spouses, food on the table and roofs over our heads. We gratefully give thanks for all You have done, as well as all You are going to do in our lives. In Jesus' Holy Name, Amen!!!

Sending Forth

CLOSING PRAISE SONG - *Rock of Ages (PB)*

BENEDICTION

- Community Blessing - *Majesty, Worship His Majesty (UMH #176)*

- Postlude -

Abbreviations

UMH = Hymnal (blue)

PB = Praise Songbook (black)

- Indicates to please stand as you are able

COUNTING SCHEDULE

4TH SUNDAY - AMBER BERNSHAUSEN & DENNY HAYFORD

Sub counters are; Steve Thomas, Roger Thomas, Denny Hayford, Cristy Lane, Brody Bernshausen, Lee Lacey

LOOKING AHEAD

April 1st - Easter

April 3rd - Trustee Mtg.

April 5th - UMW Mtg.

EMMANUEL'S WAREHOUSE

Everyone including Sunday School kids are encouraged to bring soap and non-perishable food items for Emmanuel's Warehouse. Please place donations in the baskets, placed at each entrance.

WEDNESDAY BIBLE STUDY

Come join us Wednesday mornings at 10:30am for a Lenten Bible study

SEDER SERVICE

Immaculate Conception Catholic Church will be having a Seder Service on March 29th at 6:30pm, please see Billie Meyer for reservations or call the church. We have cancelled our Maundy Thursday service so that you are able to attend the Seder supper.

GOOD FRIDAY SERVICE

Good Friday service will be at Green Valley First UMC, March 30th at 6:00pm

EASTER MORNING

We will be having our Sunrise service at 7:00am Easter morning April 1st. There will be a breakfast served in the fellowship hall, following the sunrise service. Come enjoy breakfast and fellowship before the 10:00am worship service.

CHILDREN'S MOMENT

Would you consider leading the children's moment on Sunday mornings? There is a sign up sheet on the back podium for the month of April.

USHERS AND COMMUNION STEWARDS

We are in need of volunteers for ushers and communion stewards for the month of April and June. Please see the sign up sheet on the back podium.



This Week at Church



Today Sunday School 9:00 am
 Morning Worship 10:00 am

Wed. Morning Bible Study 10:30 am

Wed. NO Praise Band Rehearsal

Thurs. Bible Study at the Howard's 6:30 pm

Fri. Good Friday Service @ GV 6:00 pm

Prayer Requests:

Community Members who are serving in the armed forces:

D.J. Bridgeman James Bridgeman Mark Heyungs
 Hannah Burks Foose

Other Requests

Trevor Hayden BJ Wills Bob Smith
 Nelson Caulkins Sara & Denny Hayden Diane Winders
 Family of Rose Meisner

Committee Chairs

Brody Bernshausen Church Council Chair 620-1053
 Diana Budke Staff-Parish
 Relations Chair 369-3534
 Denny Hayford Trustees Chair 840-2327
 Patia Picken Worship Chair 229-7624

Inclement weather:

Due to inclement weather conditions if church service has to be cancelled we will have cancellation information posted on the Website, Facebook, and on Channels 25 & 31 news, it will also be on the church answering machine. If you still have any questions please contact the Church Council chair. (Brody Bernshausen)

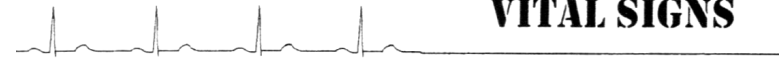
Video monitoring:

If you have to leave the worship service, for any reason, you can continue to view the service via the monitoring system in the nursery.

WORSHIP LEADERS TODAY

GREETERS	Marge Howard & Becky Williams
HEAD USHERS	Marvin & Peggy Quick
ACCOMPANIST	Susan Frank
SONG LEADER	Praise Band
LITURGIST	Lee Lacey
SPEAKER	Pastor Gregory Boylan
ACOLYTES	

VITAL SIGNS



Worship Attendance Mar. 18 67
 Budget each week: \$ 3,017
 Year To Date funds received: \$ 29,173
 (Includes Fund Raising & campaigns)
 Year To Date Budget: \$ 36,204

HOW TO CONTACT US

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