

EVANGELICAL UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST

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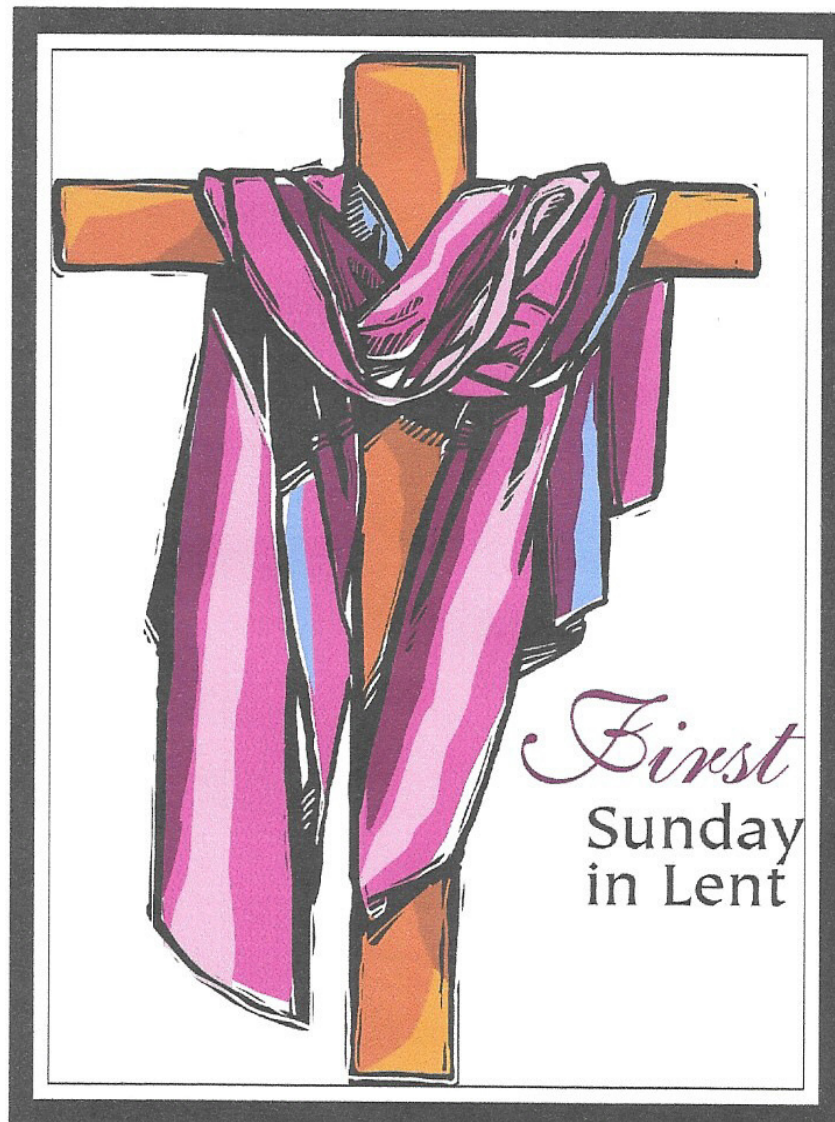
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"SHARING BREAD THROUGH CHRIST"

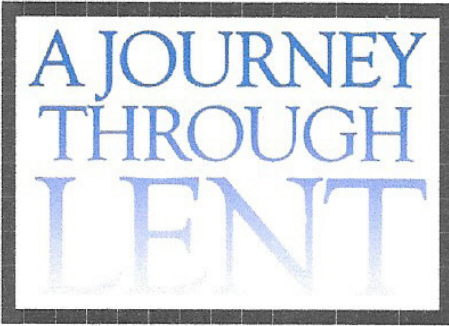
Rev. Jeff Glandon - Pastor



"The Path of Love"

February 18, 2018

LARGE PRINT



WORSHIP SERVICE 10:30 a.m.
Holy Communion: First Sunday of Every Month

SERVING THIS MORNING

Head Usher: Jim & Sherry Snoddy

Liturgist: Russ Bradshaw

Organist: Eula Gowan **Choir Director:** Marilyn Williams

† Please Stand As You Are Able

P=People

L= Liturgist

GATHERING TOGETHER AND SEEKING GOD'S PRESENCE

Bringing in the light, Prelude, Welcome, Passing of the Peace

† **CALL TO WORSHIP OUR PRAYER OF INVOCATION** *Sourcebook*

- L: Unstop our ears,
P: **Lace up our shoes,**
L: Open up our hearts,
P: **Turn our faces toward God,**
L: For the Lenten journey begins.
P: **To listen to the voice of Jesus,**
L: To walk the narrow path of discipleship,
P: **To trust our depths to the forgiving love of God.**
L: To direct our attention to heaven's song,
ALL: **The eternal melody of love.**

† **Opening Hymn:** *"We Believe in One True God"*

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HEARING GOD'S WORD

SCRIPTURES OT = Old Testament NT = New Testament

Hebrew Scripture: *Psalm 25: 1-10*

pg. 502 OT

Epistle Reading: *1 Peter 3: 18-22*

pg. 294 NT



Special Scripture Reading *Mark 9: 9-15*

Sermon: *"The Path of Love"*

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Choir Song

PRESENTATION OF OUR PRAYERS AND PETITIONS

Joys and Concerns of our Worshiping Family

Pastoral Prayer

The Lord's Prayer *debts and debtors*

Sung Prayer Response:

ALL: Hear Our Prayer, O Lord, Hear Our Prayer, O Lord,
Hear Our Prayer, O Lord, and Grant Us Thy Peace. Amen

Affirmation of Faith:

A New Creed

Back of the Red Hymnal

SHARING OUR BLESSINGS

Offertory Invitation

Offertory Music

† DOXOLOGY

ALL: Praise God from whom all blessings flow,
Praise God all Creatures here below,
Praise God above ye heavenly hosts,
Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost. Amen.

† PRAYER OF DEDICATION

ALL: Lord, our offerings are but tokens of our love and affection. We cannot buy anything from You but, in our giving do declare our love and affection. Receive these gifts for the cause of Your kingdom. Amen.

RESPONDING IN SERVICE

† Closing Hymn: *"I Love to Tell the Story"*

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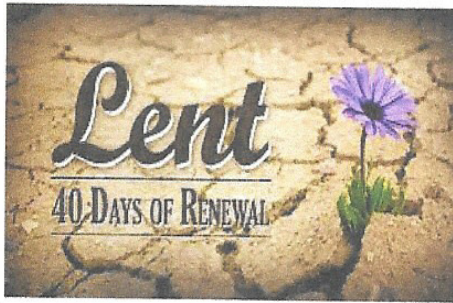
† BENEDICTION

Pastor Jeff

† Dismissal: Go now in peace, Never be afraid,
Go now in peace, In faith and in love.

Postlude

Our Worship is Over, Now Our Service Begins!



WELCOME FRIENDS IN CHRIST! We are happy that you chose to worship with us today, the First Sunday of our Journey through Lent. A new day, has risen from the Creator's hand. As the family of God, we greet one another; Visitors, we're made especially joyful by your presence. Please come back again!

YOGA Yoga class meets each **Tues. and Thurs. at 8:45am** in the Laycenter. Everyone is welcome! Please bring a mat if you have one., but we do have a few extra to lend out.

UPPER ROOMS For March and April, Large and Small prints, are now available on the table in back of the Sanctuary.

OUR 2018 DIRECTORY is now available. Thank you to Paul Henry, Velma Flippin, Kay Hirlinger, Jim Friedrich and Dorothy and Lester Chrisman for helping to get them assembled. Your helping hands were so appreciated!

COUNCIL MEETING Tues evening, **Feb. 20 at 6:30pm** at the home of Donavan Davis.

NEWSLETTER ARTICLES DUE Wed. Feb. 21.

LIFETOUCH PHOTO DIRECTORY. Donavan Davis is leading the planning for our Photo Directory. There will be a sign up sheet available for you to schedule a time that fits your schedule. Please let her know if you are willing to help with calling people, doing reminder cards, etc. This is the directory that we will have to commemorate the 165th Anniversary of our church. Please contact Donavan if you can help or if you have any questions. Thanks so much!

OUR ANNUAL CHURCH RUMMAGE SALE is scheduled for **THIS WEEK! February 23 & 24. We will start setting up at 10am Monday morning, Feb. 19. and continue each day.** A Sign up sheet is again being pasted around this morning if you care to sign up, or Let Jane Rodman know if you can help!

We have a request from a friend of Warren Morse, that we have a card shower for his Birthday, which is Feb. 28. His daughter Barb has also said he would really appreciate getting some mail. He checks his mailbox everyday, and really misses everyone. So if you are so lead, please remember him with a Birthday card, or an everyday thinking of you card. His address is in the new Salmon colored 2018 Church Directory, which is available now.

IN HIS SERVICE

Head Ushers for February

Jim & Sherry Snoddy

February Council Rep

Betty Sieckmann

Liturgist for February

Feb 24 - Janice Cary



LOOKING AHEAD

Feb. 25 - Mar 3

Sunday, Feb. 25

9am - Adult SS

10:30am - WORSHIP

Mon. Feb. 26 - Office Closed

Tues. Feb. 27 - Office Closed

8:45am - Yoga

11am - CCMH Devotional

Wed. Feb. 28 - Office OPEN

10am - NEWSLETTER

ASSEMBLY

5:15pm Choir Prac. ?

Thurs. Mar. 1 - Office Closed

8:45am - Yoga

Friday, Mar. 2 - Office OPEN

Please call Carolyn Koerner to start the

Prayer Circle at 882-7967.

Prayers to the prayer list may also be added by calling the

Church Office at 882-5501.

PRAYER CONCERNS

Please let the church office know if these names are correct, and/or if any need to be updated or removed.

Thanks

Linda Leach, Jim Friedrich, Karen Reagan, Sue Roweton, Mindy Nave, Vince Moehle, George Chamberlain and Kathi Reed.

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As we begin our journey through Lent, we are reminded of the forty days, (Ash Wednesday thru Holy Saturday) which Jesus spent in the wilderness, enduring the temptation of Satan and preparing to begin his ministry. Lent is a time of repentance, fasting and preparation for the coming of Easter. It is a time of self-examination and reflection.

Those who journey through the Lenten season will enter the Easter season with an increased appreciation for what He has done for us, through the joy of Resurrection, as well as the promise of eternal life.

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BIRTHDAYS AND ANNIVERSARIES

February 18-24

Birthdays: Feb. 18 - Jane Stevens; Feb. 19 - Gracelynn Sims;

Feb. 23 - Toni Linhardt; Feb. 23 - Brenda Snoddy

Anniversary: None

FOR THE RECORD

February 11 Service Canceled due to Ice