

EVANGELICAL UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST

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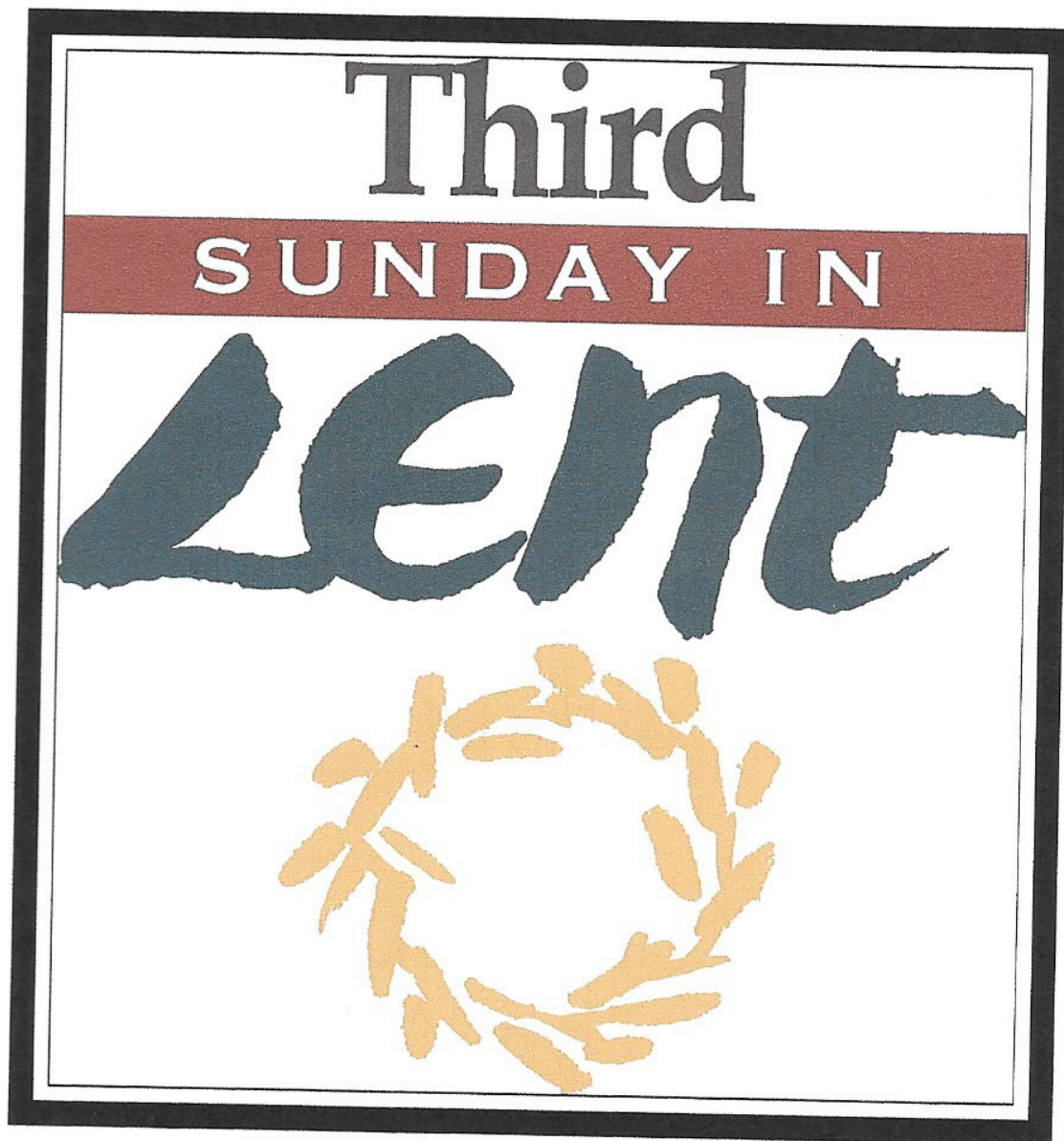
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"SHARING BREAD THROUGH CHRIST"

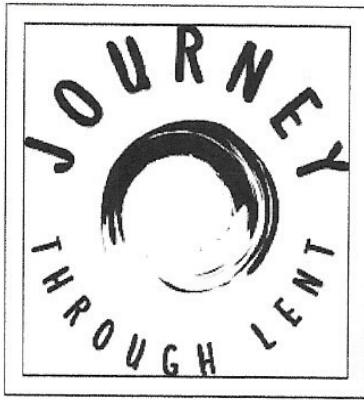
Rev. Jeff Glandon - Pastor



"Having Strong Faith"

March 19, 2017

LARGE PRINT



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

SERVING THIS MORNING

Head Usher: Ken Hirlinger

Liturgist: Kurt Grathwohl

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*

ALL: Understanding and compassionate God, so often the words of our mouths and the meditation of our hearts do not seem acceptable in Your sight. There is much about ourselves we find unacceptable. As we come to this place, grant to us eyes to see through the lens of Your surpassing love, the new creations of Your grace that we are. Amen.

† **Opening Hymn:** *"All Things Bright and Beautiful"* # 46 JS

HEARING GOD'S WORD

SCRIPTURES

OT = Old Testament

NT = New Testament

Hebrew Scripture: *Psalm 95: 1-2*

Epistle Reading: *Romans 5: 1-5*



pg. 550 OT

pg. 155 NT

Choir Anthem: *“In The Valley Flows A River”*

Martin & Nolan

Special Scripture Reading *John 4: 46-54*

Pastor Jeff

Sermon: *“Having Strong Faith”*

Pastor Jeff

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 Know Who Holds Tomorrow"*

32 JS

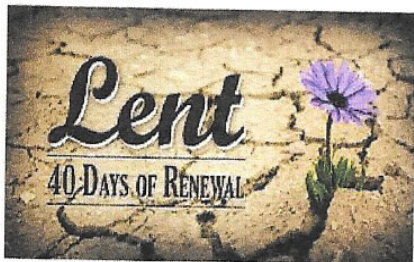
† BENEDECTION

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, in the Third 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!

ONE GREAT HOUR OF SHARING An information tract and envelope are included in your bulletin this morning. We will receive this OGHs special mission offering **next Sunday, Mar. 26**, during our worship service

HAPPY ALMOST SPRING! Tomorrow, **March 20th**... Hope you are wearing your spring colored shirts, dresses and hats today!

COUNCIL MEETING This **Tues. evening, Mar. 21 at 6:30pm** in the Ed. Bldg.

NEWSLETTER ARTICLES DUE This **Wed. Mar. 22....**

YOGA Each **Tues & Thursday morning at 8:45am** in the Laycenter in the lower level of the church.

THE CONGREGATIONAL MEETING is scheduled for **Sunday, April 9**. It will be a brief meeting. It was not shared in the March Newsletter, so please mark your calendars.

THE MINISTERIAL ALLIANCE Community Choir will be presenting a concert on **Sunday, April 2nd at the Laura Speed Elliot auditorium at 4pm**. This will take the place of the annual Lenten Service this year. Come out and enjoy the music of this wonderful choir - it is so uplifting. The concert is free and there will be a good will offering received to raise money for the needful in the community. Please give your support to this very worthwhile organization. EUCC is an active member of the Ministerial Alliance.

HAM & BEANS FUNDRAISER Cooper Lodge #36 at 717 Main St., **Saturday Mar. 25, 2017 from 11am - 2pm**. \$7.00 donation. All proceeds will go to pay off the Lodge PA System and to pay for the Masonic Cornerstone at the Cancer Memorial Park. Children under 6 Free. Carry outs available. For Information and Tickets call: Roy Cary 660-537-6440

God Be With You Till We Meet Again!

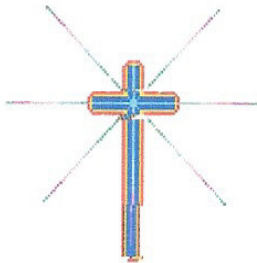
IN HIS SERVICE

Head Usher for March
Ken Hirlinger

March Council Rep
Barb Holtzclaw

Liturgists for March

Mar. 26 - Gale Boller



LOOKING AHEAD
Mar. 26-Apr. 1

Sunday, Mar. 26
10:30am - WORSHIP
OGHS Special Mission Offering

Mon. Mar. 27 - Office Closed

Tues. Mar. 28 - Office Closed
8:45am - Yoga
11am - CCMH Devotional

Wed. Mar. 29 - Office OPEN

Thurs. Mar. 30 - Office Closed
8:45am - Yoga

Friday, Mar. 31 - Office OPEN
10am - NEWSLETTER
ASSEMBLY

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. Thank you.

Dr. D Kanakaraj (Raj), Barney Bargary, Bruce Viertel, Vince Moehle, Jim Friedrich, Maxine Zolk, Robin Gerke, Mike Overstreet, George Chamberlain, and Kathi Reed

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As we continue 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 promises of eternal life.

BIRTHDAYS AND ANNIVERSARIES March 19-25

Birthdays: Mar. 22 - Sally Heuman, Josh Snoddy & Todd Kusgen; Mar. 24 - Sherry Snoddy; Mar. 25 - Brett Murray
Anniversary: None

FOR THE RECORD

Mar. 12 \$ 768.00 Attn: 28
