

**REACH OUT IN CHRIST
FIRST SUNDAY OF LENT**

March 10, 2019

10:00 AM

Prelude "Lenten Hymn Medley" (R. Schram)

Welcome and Announcements

*Passing the Peace of Christ

*Introit

*Call to Worship

Leader: Because you have made the LORD your refuge, the Most High your dwelling place, no evil shall befall you, no scourge come near your tent.

People: For he will command his angels concerning you to guard you in all your ways. On their hands they will bear you up, so that you will not dash your foot against a stone.

Leader: You will tread on the lion and the adder, the young lion and the serpent you will trample under foot.

People: Those who love me, I will deliver; I will protect those who know my name.

*Hymn "Ask Me What Great Things I Know" (vss. 1,2,4) 163

Opening Prayer

Loving Father, I invite you into my life today and make myself available to you. Help me to become a living example of your love in the world. Open my heart to the areas of my life that need to change in order for me to carry out the mission and experience the joy you have imagined for my life. Give me courage when I am afraid, hope when I am discouraged, and clarity in times of decision. Increase my faith, in Jesus' name. Amen.

The Children's Moment

Mary Carefoot

Offertory "Breathe On Me, Breath of God" (T. Price)

Presentation of Tithes and Offerings

*Doxology 95

Hymn "There's Within My Heart a Melody" (vss, 1,3,4) 380

Pastoral Prayer

Choir Anthem "Grace" (M. Hayes)

Scripture Luke 4:1-13 1248

Sermon "Tried and Tempted" Pastor David

*Hymn "Take Time to be Holy" (vss. 1,2,4) 396

*Benediction

Postlude "Hallelujah! What a Saviour" (V. Labenske)

*Please stand as you are able

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***Altar Flowers** – The flowers on the altar are given to the Glory of God and in Memory of Majel Swartsel with much love from her family.

***Welcome** – We welcome all who have come to worship today. We would love to support your spiritual journey. We also need your help in ministry! If you feel called to this group of Christ's people, consider making the pledge of membership.

***Hearing Assistance Devices** are available. Please ask an usher for help.

***Circle of Prayer** – *Church:* Matt Swartsel family, Glenda Snyder, Cindy Maytum, Evelyn Sheppard, Selma Marlowe, Aida Weldon, and Marianne Myatt. *Neighbors Near and Far:* Margaret Pavalko, Gary Sawyer and family, Bobby Willett, Andy Chan, E. F. Swartsel, Heather Watts, Carrie D., Linda Saucier, Winnifred Corbett, John Phillips, Avram Kent, Helen MacWhinney, Michael Kesti, Devan Whitaker, and Gracie Stalvey.

For there is no distinction between Jew and Greek; the same Lord is Lord of all and is generous to all who call on him. For, "Everyone who calls on the name of the Lord shall be saved." Romans 10:12,13

THIS WEEK

SUN. (3/10)	6:00 pm	United Methodist Men Meeting and Bible Study in the Conf. Room
MON. (3/11)	9:30 am	Food and Clothes Distribution
TUES. (3/12)	10:00 am	Dorcas Circle in Conf. Room
	6:30 pm	Ministry Planning in Conf. Room
WED. (3/13)	10:30 am	Bible Study in the Conf. Room
	12:00 Noon	Lenten Journey in Henderson Hall
	5:00 pm	Love Feast
	6:45 pm	Choir Practice
FRI. (3/15)		OFFICE CLOSED
SAT. (3/16)		CHILDREN'S HOME DAY ON CAMPUS
SUN. (3/17)	9:00 am	Soul Café
	10:00 am	Worship Service (kids' church & nursery)
	11:00 am	UMCOR Brunch after worship in Henderson Hall
	12:00 Noon	Green Team Plant Exchange

***WPUMW ANNUAL RUMMAGE SALE AND CAFÉ**—Thanks to all who helped with the Rummage Sale and Café. It was a great success.

***UNITED METHODIST MEN**—meet tonight at 6:00 pm. They are beginning a study called “The Road to Discipleship.” Bring some food to share.

***MINISTRY PLANNING MEETING**—Everyone interested in helping plan for our upcoming outreach and events should come--Rm.1 on Tues. at 6:30 pm.

***LENTEN LUNCHEON**—Come to Henderson Hall at noon for lunch and “Table Talk” this Wednesday. Bring a “sack” of food.

***DAY AT THE CHILDREN'S HOME**—The day on campus is Saturday, March 16. If you are interested in going, contact Mary Ferraro.

***MONTHLY LUNCHEON**—Plan to stay after church March 17 for our monthly luncheon. The Granners are cooking. We'll celebrate UMCOR.

***FYI/MEMBERSHIP CLASS**—The next FYI class begins on Sunday, March 24, at 5pm in Rm. 1. Prospective members and interested people are invited.

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