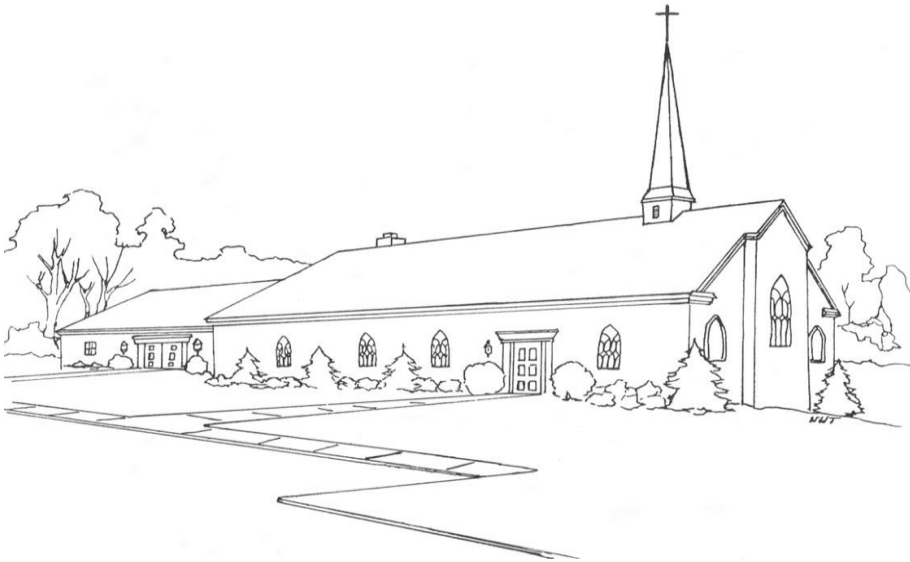


No. 2023-12
March 19, 2023
Fourth Sunday in Lent



“Deepen Our Faith, Broaden Our Love”

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Order of Service

Prelude *(Please Keep Silent and Prepare Our Hearts for the Worship of God)*

Announcements & Prayer Requests & Greeting our Friends and Neighbors

Opening Prayer

*Call to Worship

Once we lived in darkness.

Now the light of God has shone upon us.

Find what is pleasing to God and follow God's ways.

The acts of darkness are left behind as we journey to God's light.

Thanks be to God who gives us the light.

Open our eyes and our hearts to receive your light of salvation. AMEN.

Children's Time

*Hymn "O Come and Dwell in Me" UMH #388

*Pastoral Prayer with the Lord's Prayer

Interlude

Hymn "We Walk by Faith" TFWS #2196

Scripture Reading Romans 6:19-23

Choir Anthem (Video) "Majesty"

Sermon Series Sermon (4): "The Wage of Sin" Rev. YoungMin Kim

Receiving Our Tithes and Offerings

*The Doxology & Prayer UMH #95

*Hymn "Rock of Ages, Cleft for Me" UMH #361

*Affirmation of Faith Apostles' Creed UMH #881

*Benediction

Postlude

Scripture Passage [Romans 6:19-23, NRSV]

¹⁹ I am speaking in human terms because of your limitations. For just as you once presented your members as slaves to impurity and lawlessness, leading to even more lawlessness, so now present your members as slaves to righteousness, leading to sanctification.

²⁰ When you were slaves of sin, you were free in regard to righteousness.

²¹ So what fruit did you then gain from the things of which you now are ashamed? The end of those things is death.

²² But now that you have been freed from sin and enslaved to God, the fruit you have leads to sanctification, and the end is eternal life.

²³ For the wages of sin is death, but the free gift of God is eternal life in Christ Jesus our Lord.

Announcements

The Flowers on the Altar are given in Glory of God.

*Special Announcement: Called Church Conference (Sun., 3/26; 12:30PM)

1. **Today: Council Meeting** after worship [12:30pm]. All welcome!
2. Breakfast with the Pastor: Thu., 3/23; 8:30-10:00 [Menu: Omelet]
3. **The 75th Turkey & Oyster Dinner**
 - Sat., 3/25; 4PM-7PM
 - The Naked Mountain Boys at 5PM
 - Adult & Youth: \$25, Children (5-10): \$8, and Children (<4): Free.
4. Mission Opportunity in March & April
 - All donations will support "Life First"
5. **Season of Lent and Easter Schedules**
 - Fasting Meal Donations (\$5 per meal, once a week) during the Lent.
 - Sermon Series with a Movie (Noah, 2016): Sun., 2/26-4/2; DVD Rental Available
 - Good Friday Service: Fri., 4/7; 7:30PM
 - Easter Sunrise Service: Sun., 4/9; 6:25AM
 - Easter Sunday Worship and Egg Hunt: Sun., 4/9; 11AM

Bible Challenge

| Sunday [3/19] | Monday [3/20] | Tuesday [3/21] | Wednesday [3/22] | Thursday [3/23] | Friday [3/24] | Saturday [3/25] |
|------------------|------------------|-------------------|---------------------|--------------------|------------------|--------------------|
| Dt. 3-4 | Dt. 5-6 | Dt. 7-8 | Dt. 9-10 | Dt. 11-12 | Dt. 13-14 | Dt. 15-16 |
| Jn. 10 | Jn. 11 | Jn. 12 | Jn. 13 | Jn. 14 | Jn. 15 | Jn. 16 |

Prayer Requests

[Church Members]

Mae Landis; Ray Wentz;

[Church Family, Relatives & Friends]

[3/12] Family of Karen Tuminski (Marcia's cousin)-passing, Paul (Rose's friend)-medical issue

[2/26] Mike (Corky & Terry's friend)-upcoming surgery for colon cancer; Cece Marshall (Terry's cousin)—diagnosed with ALS; Chloe (Jean Kessler's granddaughter)-sick; Tim (Susan's nephew) & his wife Hailey-settlement in Alaska

[2/12] Heather's father-biopsy (possibly melanoma)

[2/5] Tracy and John's mother-pneumonia; Pam's parents-recovery from COVID-19; Deborah (Stephanie's friend)-uterine cancer; Tom Mills (Melanie Smith's father)-severe infection and COVID-19.

[Constant Prayers]

All earthquake victims in Turkiye and Syria; Our local, state, and national leaders; Our service personnel (military, fire and rescue, law enforcement, and medical); Our Church leaders both clergy and laity

Service Volunteers

| February | 3/5 | 3/12 | 3/19 | 3/26 |
|---------------|----------------|------|------|------|
| Reader | | | | |
| Usher | Craig Betterly | | | |
| Altar Guild | Joanna Cho | | | |
| Sunday School | | | | |

Last Sunday Statistics

| Attendance (In-Person & Online) | | Offering | |
|---------------------------------|----|-----------------------|---------------------------|
| Adults | 51 | Offering | \$2,030 |
| Young Adults | - | Designated Giving | \$122 |
| Youth | 1 | Apportionment | - |
| Children | 1 | Fasting Meal Donation | (As of Last Sun.: \$55) - |
| Online | 6 | | |
| Total Number | 59 | Total Amount | \$2,152 |

Meeting Information

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|---------------------------|---------|-----------------|----------------------------|
| Worship Service | Sun | 11:00 | Sanctuary & Online Worship |
| Adult Sunday School | Sun | 9:30-11AM | Fellowship Hall |
| Children Sunday School | Sun | 11:00 | Sanctuary |
| Youth Group | TBA | Temporary Break | Youth Room |
| Choir Practice | Tue/Sun | Temporary Break | Sanctuary |
| Breakfast with the Pastor | Thu | 08:30-10AM | Fellowship Hall |
| Fellowship on Sunday | Sun | 10:30-11AM | Fellowship Hall |
| Monthly Fellowship Dinner | Wed | 5:30-7:30PM | Fellowship Hall |