

SERVICE OF DIVINE WORSHIP
1st Sunday of Lent
March 6, 2022
9:00 a.m. and 11:00 a.m.

*Time for quiet prayer and meditation . . .
"Be still and know that I am God."*

We Come Before God in Worship

Chiming of the Hour

Welcome and Announcements

Minute for Thornwell

Presbyterian Women

9:00 a.m. Karen Cooper
11:00 a.m. Marcia Humbert

Prelude "Holy, Holy, Holy" arr. Ray

* Call to Worship

L: The Lord is my light and my salvation;
whom shall I fear?
P: The Lord is the stronghold of my life;
of whom shall I be afraid?
L: I believe that I shall look upon the goodness of the
Lord
in the land of the living!
P: Wait for the Lord;
be strong, and let your heart take
courage;
wait for the Lord!
(Psalm 27:1-2, 13-14)

* Hymn "Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise" No. 12

* Prayer of Confession (unison)

Almighty God,
you despise nothing you have made,
and you forgive the sins of all who are penitent.
Create in us new and contrite hearts,
that, truly repenting of our sins
and acknowledging our brokenness,
we may obtain from you, the God of all mercy,
full pardon and forgiveness,
through your Son, Jesus Christ, our Redeemer,
who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit,
one God, now and forever. Amen.

* Assurance of Pardon

* Gloria Patri

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son,
and to the Holy Ghost;
as it was in the beginning,
is now, and ever shall be,
world without end. Amen.

God Gives to Us Through His Word

Scripture Lesson Psalm 32

L: Blessed is the one whose transgression is forgiven,
whose sin is covered.
P: Blessed is the man against whom the LORD counts no
iniquity,
and in whose spirit there is no deceit.
L: For when I kept silent, my bones wasted away
through my groaning all day long.
P: For day and night your hand was heavy upon me;
my strength was dried up as by the heat of
summer.
L: I acknowledged my sin to you,
and I did not cover my iniquity;
P: I said, "I will confess my transgressions to the LORD,"
and you forgave the iniquity of my sin.
L: Therefore let everyone who is godly
offer prayer to you at a time when you may be found;
surely in the rush of great waters,
they shall not reach him.
P: You are a hiding place for me;
you preserve me from trouble;
you surround me with shouts of deliverance.
L: I will instruct you and teach you in the way you should go;
I will counsel you with my eye upon you.
P: Be not like a horse or a mule, without
understanding,
which must be curbed with bit and bridle,
or it will not stay near you.
L: Many are the sorrows of the wicked,
but steadfast love surrounds the one who trusts in the
LORD.
P: Be glad in the LORD, and rejoice, O righteous,
and shout for joy, all you upright in heart!

Anthem "Hush! Somebody's Callin' My Name" arr. Dennard
Adult Choir and Soloist, Gregg Branham (11:00 am)

Scripture Lesson Luke 5:1-11

Sermon The Gospel of Luke Dr. Seel
XIII. Jesus the Fisherman

We Respond to God's Word

* Hymn "Will You Come and Follow Me" No. 726

* Apostles' Creed

I believe in God the Father Almighty, Maker of
heaven and earth; And in Jesus Christ His only Son
our Lord; who was conceived by the Holy Ghost,
born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius
Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; He
descended into hell; the third day He rose again
from the dead; He ascended into heaven, and sitteth
on the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from
thence He shall come to judge the quick and the
dead. I believe in the Holy Ghost; the holy catholic
church; the communion of saints; the forgiveness of
sins; the resurrection of the body; and the life
everlasting. Amen.

Call to Prayer "Will You Come and Follow Me"
Adult Choir (11:00 a.m.)

Prayers of the People & the Lord's Prayer

Our Father, who art in heaven, Hallowed be Thy
name. Thy kingdom come. Thy will be done on earth
as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread.
And forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors.
And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from
evil: for thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the
glory forever. Amen.

Presentation of Tithes and Offerings

Offertory "O Stor Gud" arr. Ray

* Doxology and Prayer of Dedication No. 606

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.

* Hymn "Jesus Calls Us" No. 720

* Charge and Benediction

* Benediction Response "Make Us Holy, Make Us Whole"

*In your love, make us whole. May we rest in your compassion.
Calm the lost, weary soul in the warmth of your love.
May your peace fill our hearts. May we know the love of Jesus.
By your grace, you console. Make us holy, make us whole.*

* Postlude "Praise the Lord! Ye Heavens Adore Him" arr. Page

* Congregation Stands

PRAYER REQUESTS

Please write your
request, tear off this
form, fold, and place in
the offering plate.

Name and date: (optional)

(These are kept confidential!)

The Tuesday Morning Prayer
Group meets each week at
10:00 a.m. to pray for the
EPC family and any other
special needs.

WELCOME TO
VISITORS

If you are visiting today,
we would like you to know
that it is a privilege to have
you with us. It is our hope
that you will find a warm
welcome and an atmosphere
to worship God.

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Elizabeth Weaver		

<u>Trustees</u>		
Jack Brock	Dexter Rogers	David Whittemore

NURSERY STAFF

Victoria Rose Brock Liliana Guerra

CHILDREN'S CHURCH VOLUNTEERS TODAY

9:00 a.m. Kristi Dockery	11:00 a.m. Joanna & Bill Griese
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FIRST GRADE EDUCATION

Ginna Lister & Liz Cox

SAFE PLACE MONITOR

Eric Dillon

TODAY'S GREETERS

9:00 a.m. Carolyn Brice	10:00 a.m. Carolyn Brice	11:00 a.m. Marcia Humbert
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MARCH USHERS

9:00 a.m. David Owen, Head Wayne Prins, Asst.	11:00 a.m. Lori Brock, Head Julie Bishop, Asst.
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SOUND & LIGHT
Marty Kwasniewski

VIDEO
Phil Lyles

MEMBER NEWS

We give thanks to God for the life of His servant, Farrell Moss, who died on February 26, 2022, and we express Christian love and sympathy to his wife, Nelda, and to his family.

The red rose in the sanctuary is in honor of the birth of Annabelle Mildred Authement, born on March 4. Annabelle is the daughter of Rose Kwasniewski and Joseph Authement and granddaughter of Karen and Marty Kwasniewski.

The known hospitalization this week was Debbie Queen.

SANCTUARY FLOWERS

Reserve a Sunday to honor a loved one by displaying a floral arrangement in the Sanctuary. Sign up on the flower calendar outside the church office.

OPEN DATES:

March 20, 27
April 3
May 1, 8, 15
June 5, 12, 19, 26
July 10, 17, 24, 31
August 14, 21
September 4, 11, 25
October 2, 9, 30
November 13

Wonderful Wednesday
Meal Reservation

MARCH 9

Hawaiian Chicken with
Coconut Rice,
Mixed Vegetables,
Rolls, & Dessert

Prepared by: Deke Van Wagner

Family Name _____

of meals _____

\$5 per plate

Reservation deadline
is by 12:00 noon on
Mondays!!! You may
call the church office at
859-4220 or sign up
online.