

# Sunday Morning Worship

March 8, 2020

Second Sunday In Lent

Liturgical Color—Purple

**Attendance:** Members and Visitors, please sign and complete the Friendship Registration Pad at the end of each pew and pass it to your neighbor. The Ushers will pick them up during one of the hymns.

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**GREETING WITH WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS** Rev. Lance Eiland

**CHIMES FOR WORSHIP**

**PIANO PRELUDE**  
*Fantasia on "O How I Love Jesus"—arr. Krug*

✦ **LENTE H Y M N 545** Chancel Choir/ Congregation  
*The Church's One Foundation— Wesley*

✦ **AFFIRMATION OF FAITH** Rev. Eiland

Leader: Where the Spirit of the Lord is, there is the one true Church, Apostolic and Universal, whose Holy Faith let us now declare.

## The 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 Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead and buried: the third day he rose from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and sitteth at 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 Spirit, the holy catholic\* church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body and the life everlasting. Amen.***

*\*catholic means universal*

✦ **Holy, Holy Lord of Mercy - French Melody** Chancel Choir/Congregation  
*Holy, holy Lord of mercy, holy God of power and might,  
Heaven and earth are full of your glory, You alone are love and light.  
Praises now we raise before you, "Glory in the highest height!"*

**CALL TO PRAYER** Chancel Choir/ Congregation  
*Lead Me, Lord  
Lead me, Lord, lead me in thy righteousness;  
Make thy way plain before my face.*

**MORNING PRAYER** Rev. Eiland

## OUR LORD'S PRAYER (895)

***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 trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.***

## DEDICATION TO GOD OF HIS TITHES AND OUR OFFERINGS

**OFFERTORY PRAYER** Rev. Eiland

**PIANO OFFERTORY**  
*God So Loved the World—arr. Leatherman*

✦ **A LENTE H Y M N 301** Chancel Choir/Congregation  
*Praise God throughout these forty days.  
Praise Christ, our Lord, whom God did raise.  
And praise the Spirit who imparts  
God's love in Christ into our hearts. Amen.*

**CHILDREN'S TIME** Mrs. Dawn Wendland

**LENTE H Y M N 301** Chancel Choir  
*When I Survey the Wondrous Cross—arr. Pote*

✦ **LENTE H Y M N OF PREPARATION 301** Chancel Choir/Congregation  
*Jesus, Keep Me Near the Cross— Doane*

**PSALTER READING (UMH 844)** Psalm 121  
**SERMON TEXT** John 3:1-17

**MORNING MESSAGE** Rev. Eiland  
*Being Born Again*

✦ **LENTE H Y M N OF COMMITMENT 389** Chancel Choir/ Congregation  
*Freely, Freely—Owens*

Those who desire to unite with Church Street UMC may come forward during the singing of this hymn.

✦ **BENEDICTION** Rev. Eiland

✦ **SENDING FORTH** Chancel Choir/ Congregation

*Lord, Who Throughout These Forty Days - arr. Excell  
And through these days of penitence, And through thy passiontide.  
Yea, evermore in life and death, Jesus, with us abide.*

✦ **PIANO POSTLUDE**  
*The Shadow of the Cross—Dexter*

✦ Congregation, please stand if able.

# Living Treasures

will meet Thursday, March 19th,  
at 12:00 noon in Windham Hall.

This group of senior adults (60 and above) meets the third Thursday of each month for a catered lunch at 12:00 noon and the program ends at 1:00 pm. The cost is \$7.00 per person and reservations are not required.

We are making plans for the Easter Egg Hunt, Sunday, April 5th @ Andy & Dawn Wendland's home. We are collecting Pre-Filled (no chocolate) Easter Eggs for the hunt!  
If you would like to donate, please place in the collection basket across from the office.



**On Sunday, March 15th the children will sing in our worship service!!! It is always such a special time when the children participate in our service! Additionally, that night will be our last official Sunday Night of activities. So, to celebrate we will have a CHURCH-wide Ice Cream Party and all our CHURCH family is invited; you can even bring a friend!!!**  
**The Party will begin after supper and conclude by 6:15!!!**  
**Let's be creative in making sundaes, banana splits, and ice cream cones!!!**

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

### Sunday, March 8th

**Second Sunday of Lent**  
**Daylight Saving Time begins**  
**8:30 am** Breakfast/Fellowship  
**\*9:15 am** Sunday School  
**\*10:30 am** Morning Worship  
**5:00 pm** Sunday Night Supper  
**\*5:30 pm** Adult and Youth Studies, and Children's Music and Activities

### Monday, March 9th

**5:30 pm** Roberta Sample– WH  
**6:00 pm** Boy Scouts– OP

### Tuesday, March 10th

**9:30 am** Staff– GL  
**10:30 am** Worship Staff– GL  
**12:00 Noon** Bible Study OP  
**5:00 pm** Trustees– GL

### Wednesday, March 11th

**10:00 am** Bible Study– GL  
**3:00 pm** Good News Club  
**4:00pm** Cub Scouts– OP  
**6:00 pm** Choir Practice

### Thursday, March 12th

**5:00 pm** Endowment Committee–GL

### Friday, March 13th

**7:00 am** Men's Breakfast– OP

### Saturday, March 14th

No Scheduled Activities

### Sunday, March 15th

#### **Third Sunday of Lent**

**8:30 am** Breakfast/Fellowship  
**\*9:15 am** Sunday School  
**\*10:30 am** Morning Worship  
**5:00 pm** Last Sunday Night Supper  
**\*5:30 pm** Church-wide Ice Cream Party

**\*\*Nursery Provided**

### Weekly Bible Studies

*The Tuesday Bible study led by Martha Jackson meets each Tuesday, at 12:00 noon, in the Old Parsonage. The new study is "Better" the Study of Hebrews by Jen Wilkin. Anyone is welcome to attend. Bring a sack lunch.*

*The Wednesday Bible study led by Suzanne Stringer meets each Wednesday at 10:00 am, in the Grist Library. The new study is "Children of the Day" by Beth Moore. Anyone is welcome to attend. Following the study time, the group has lunch at a local restaurant.*

*The Roberta Sample Circle will meet Monday March 9th at 6:00 pm in Windham Hall.*

*Kenny Green has vegetable soup for sale. \$7.00 per quart. Please see Kenny to purchase.*

*Deadline for submissions for the Link is March 18th at Noon. Please send your articles to the church office.*

*Merge Family Conference is tonight at 5:30pm @ Elkdale Baptist Church. Dinner will be served.*

*Sunday Night Menu– Pizza, Green Salad, Cupcakes & P,B & J Sandwiches.*

### College Student for the Week of March 8th:

**Emily Sherrer**  
*Emily is a Junior at the University of Alabama majoring in Hospitality Management. Her contact information is: eesherrer@crimson.ua.edu 2069 Mount Vernon Road, Tupelo, MS 38804. Her mentor in Lauren Wendland.*

## IN OUR THOUGHTS AND PRAYERS

**Current:** Caroline Thomas, Kathryn Hardy, Henry Pitts, Olivia Jones, David Pearce, Myrna Hollis

### **Ongoing:**

Rex Waldrop, Cassandra Steele, Pam Cunningham, Joanie Looney, Baxter Ellzey, Jimbo Barrett, Peggy Cross, Shannon Miller Cook, Clark Schatz, Reita Sample Davis, Elizabeth Kilponen, Bill Livingston, Amy Sims, Russ Jackson, Terry Mock, Jessica Willis, Allen & Anita Williams, John Parris, Roger Coleman, Tommy Eiland, Kinsey Green, Peter Bradsell, Steve Kopp, Scott Scroggins, Helen Edwards, Tracy Craig, Wayne Henderson, John Sherrer, Keith Stephan, Richard Burk, Harry Powe, Lynn Moseley, Bishop Graves, Allen Newton, DS MT/PT, City of Selma, The United States of America

### **Homebound:**

Nell Woodward, Helen Rogers, Ann Pegues, Edna Wiechers, Rex Osburn, Eloise Trammell, Jean Walker, Barry Blanton

## IN CHRIST'S SERVICE MARCH 8, 2020

### Acolytes:

Milam Turner  
 George Turner  
 Maryanna Turner

### Nursery Workers:

Rachel Todd  
 Mary Elizabeth Todd

### Breakfast Cooks:

Kory Taylor, Jamie Thomas,  
 Lee Calame, Brad Utsey

### Worship Stewards:

Evelyn Register  
 Em Moore

### Greeters:

Seekers

### Collection Counters:

Myrna Hollis, Judy Moore  
 Julie Drinkard

### Usher Team

Leonard Ingram, Jon Stewart,  
 Milam Turner III, Dub Deavor,  
 Rex Jones, James Drinkard,  
 Earl Edwards, Drew Wendland,  
 Frank Speed

### Security Team:

Andy Stewart, Chuck Utsey,  
 Floyd Plummer, Jr., Kory Taylor,  
 Sharon Hardy, Rebecca Stewart

### Children's Church

Frances Turner

### Lay Leader:

Dub Deavor

### Sound Technician:

Rand Smith

### S. S. Superintendent:

Leonard Ingram

### Faithful in attendance 3/1/2020

Sunday School: 95

Worship: 118

# Church Street United Methodist Church 214 Church Street Selma, AL 36701

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God's People since 1835*



*To be disciples of Jesus Christ  
through love, worship, service  
and evangelism*

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*Pastor*

**Mr. Rand Smith**

*Director of Youth and College Ministries*

**Ms. Frances Turner**

*Director of Children's Ministries*

**Mr. Gordon F. Welch**

*Director of Music Ministries/Organist*