

# Service of Worship

February 21, 2021

## First Sunday in Lent

### WORSHIP THROUGH PRAISE

Musical Prelude/Lighting of Candles

Announcements

\*Striking of the Hour

\*Responsive Call to Worship

Pastor: Lift up your heads, O gates! And be lifted up, O ancient doors, that the King of glory may come in.

**People: Who is this King of glory? The LORD, strong and mighty, the LORD mighty in battle! Who is the King of glory? The LORD of hosts, he is the King of glory!**

\*Invocation and Lord's Prayer

\*Hymn of Praise

*Take My Life, and Let It Be*

Children's Story Time

### WORSHIP THROUGH MEDITATION

\*Hymn of Preparation

*"Tis So Sweet to Trust in Jesus*

Morning Prayer

### WORSHIP THROUGH STEWARDSHIP

### WORSHIP THROUGH PROCLAMATION

Special Music

Karen Huey – Viola, Debbie White - Viola, John Godfrey -Piano

Scripture

Ephesians 1: 15-23

Sermon

*Paul's Prayer and Praise*

Rev. Burmahl

### WORSHIP THROUGH DEDICATION

\*Hymn of Invitation

*The Solid Rock*

\*Benediction

\*Chiming of the Trinity

Giving of our Tithes and Offerings

\*Extinguishing of the Candles of Worship

\*Time of Fellowship and Friendly Greeting

\*All who are able please stand

**Welcome!** We welcome all those who worship with us today. If you are a guest, we want to give you a special welcome. Please fill out a Guest card, located at each end of the pews, and give to the Minister or place it in the offering plate. If you are looking for a church home, we would count it an honor to have you make it here. A staffed **Nursery** is available for small children through the doors at the front right side of the sanctuary. We have a **Children's Worship Time** during the "Sermon" time. Children ages 3 yrs. old through 5th grade leave during the Offertory. Children may be picked up from the Multi-Purpose Room following Worship.

**Sunday: 10:00 Sunday School**

**10:55 Worship Service**

**5:00 Middle and High School youth parent meeting** in the Fellowship Hall.

**Monday: 7:00 Cub Scouts**

**Wednesday: 7:00 Boy Scouts**

**The Operation Christmas Child** items for February are toothbrushes, combs, and brushes. Please pick up a few items and put in the box in the Narthex.

Today we are bringing the food cart to the altar. Seems silly to go to all this trouble for just a few bags of food?!?! Let's revisit our four original ideas from a while ago: 1. To be a reminder, 2. To help our members realize what an important part we (they) play, 3. The act of giving is a physical reminder of God, and 4. Being at the Altar is representative of giving to God. Doesn't seem so inappropriate any more does it? Did you remember to bring your **crackers** and personal hygiene items today? If not, please, next Sunday. Thank you for caring!!!

**The Stewardship and Finance Committee** will meet after Worship next Sunday, February 28. All members please meet in the Parlor after the Worship Service.

**Acolytes:** Abby Johnson

**Next Sunday:** Griff Griffin

**Deacon on Call:** Brittany Griffin



