



Third Sunday IN LENT

Sun Lakes United Methodist Church

Order of Service for Sunday, March 15, 2020

8:30 AM & 10:00 AM

*Those who are able, please stand.

ANNOUNCEMENTS, WELCOME, BIRTHDAYS and ANNIVERSARIES		Pastor Marvin
CARILLON and LIGHTING of the CANDLES		
PRELUDE		Caroline Brown
INTROIT 2030	<i>The First Song of Isaiah</i>	
CALL to WORSHIP		Liturgist
* HYMN 89 (vs. 1-4)	<i>Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee</i>	
* AFFIRMATION of FAITH 881	<i>The Apostles' Creed</i>	Liturgist
* GLORIA PATRI 70	<i>Glory Be to the Father</i>	
SCRIPTURE READING	Psalm 95	Liturgist
UNISON PRAYER		Liturgist
RESPONSE 2108 (vs. 1-2)	<i>O How He Loves You and Me</i>	
MOMENTS of SILENCE for PERSONAL PRAYER		Liturgist
LORD'S PRAYER (in Unison)		Liturgist
RECEPTION of MEMBERS		Pastor
ANTHEM	<i>Eternal Life</i>	Choir
RECEPTION of GOD'S TITHES and OUR OFFERINGS		Pastor
OFFERTORY		Caroline Brown
* DOXOLOGY 94	<i>Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow</i>	
*OFFERTORY PRAYER		Pastor
HYMN 361 (vs. 1-4)	<i>Rock of Ages, Cleft For Me</i>	
SCRIPTURE READING	John 4:5-42	Pastor Marvin
SERMON	<i>He Meets Us Where We Are</i>	Pastor Marvin
HYMN 127 (vs. 1-3)	<i>Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah</i>	
* BENEDICTION		Pastor
* RESPONSE 431	<i>Let There Be Peace on Earth</i>	
POSTLUDE		Caroline Brown

ANNOUNCEMENTS

To OUR GUESTS - Stop by the Welcome Desk in the Narthex to pick up a *Church Welcome Bag* on your way to Hospitality Hour in Lindsay Hall. Returning guests are invited to stop by the Welcome Desk so we can make a more permanent name tag for you.

New members will be received today and Sunday, April 5.

Contact Pastor Marvin or the Church Office to make arrangements for joining the Church.

ALTAR FLOWERS are given today Jan & Bemis Eshbaugh in celebration of their 55th wedding anniversary; by Janice Fleming in memory of her sister, Micky Clark; and by Dick and Nadeen Vogel in celebration of their 67th wedding anniversary.

UMW NEWS - Join us Wednesday, March 18 at noon for our monthly group meeting. The March event is hosted by the Christian Fellowship Circle and will include a potluck lunch. Please bring your favorite dish to share. Beverages will be provided. The program consists of information about *The Justa Center* and speaker Gerry Kroloff from the Area Agency on Aging. All UMW members and guests are invited to attend.

SUN LAKES CHORALE SPRING CONCERT - Come enjoy a wonderful evening of music Thursday, March 19 at 7 PM in the Sanctuary. Tickets are \$10 and are available from Chorale members or at the door.

ADD SOME FUN TO YOUR LIFE! - Join us for **Game Day** on Friday, March 20 at 1:30 PM in Lindsay Hall. We will be playing Mexican Train Dominoes. Grab a friend, bring a snack to share, and enjoy an afternoon of fun!

UNDIE SUNDAYS begin March 22. We will be collecting all types of brand new under garments and socks for homeless men, women, and children. Please put your donations in the gray tubs around the Church campus or the red wagon by the Church Office. Your generosity is greatly appreciated.

MARCH EVENT FOR SINGLES - Our event this month is a **free concert at Chandler Center for the Arts** by the Chandler Symphony Orchestra entitled, "*Women Will Be Heard.*" The concert is Sunday, March 22, and begins at 3 PM. The carpool will leave the East parking lot at 2 PM. After the concert we will head back to the Church for the potluck dinner!

FELLOWSHIP DINNER (PLEASE NOTE TIME AND DATE CHANGE!) - Come one, come all to the All Church Potluck Sunday, March 22 at 5:30 PM in Lindsay Hall. The main course and drinks will be provided. Please bring a salad or dessert to share. Pastor Marvin will speak to us about five things he has changed his mind about in his 55 years of ministry. Sign up in Lindsay Hall or call the Church Office.

TAKE ME OUT TO THE BALLGAME - The AZ Diamondbacks play their last Spring Training game of the season against the Chicago White Sox Tuesday, March 24 at Chase Field. The game is at 12:40 PM, and the bus will leave the East parking lot at 11:40 AM. Ticket and bus transportation is \$40. Reservations with payment can be made TODAY between services or in the Church Office during the week. Tickets will be dispersed on a first-come, first-served basis the week before the game. Tickets are limited, so make your reservations NOW!

LADIES ONLY LUNCHEON is Wednesday, March 25 in Lindsay Hall. A meet and greet with appetizers begins at 11:30 AM with lunch to follow at noon. This is strictly a social outreach event for women to get together, meet new people, and to share food, fun and fellowship. Tickets (\$5) are on sale **TODAY** and next Sunday, March 22, between services. The theme is "What a Wonderful World" featuring a home cooked Spring inspired menu. Spring is a glorious time of rebirth, joy and renewal, so spread the joy and invite a friend, neighbor or relative to join you!

UMCOR SUNDAY IS MARCH 22 - Gifts to UMCOR Sunday lay the foundation for all United Methodist Committee on Relief work by covering the costs of doing business. This means all contributions designated to specific programs can go 100 percent to those programs because UMCOR's basic expenses are covered. A special offering envelope will be included in next week's bulletin. Thank you in advance for your support!

OPPORTUNITIES FOR YOU THIS WEEK AT SLUMC

SUNDAY	9:30 AM	Hospitality Hour	Lindsay Hall
March 15	9:45 AM	Adult Sunday School	Room 1
MONDAY	9 AM	Aerobics - Ila Mackerman	Room 10
March 16	9:30 AM	Memory Café (info 480-580-8317)	Rooms 3 & 4
	12:30 PM	Krafters	Room 14
	1 PM	Sun Lakes Chorale	Choir Room
	1 PM	Church Council Meeting	Room 4
TUESDAY	8:30 AM	Kickboxing Exercise Class - Ila Mackerman	Room 10
March 17	9:30 AM	Tai Chi Exercise Class - Ila Mackerman	Room 10
	10:15 AM	Strength & Balance Exercise Class - Ila Mackerman	Room 10
	10:30 AM	Worship Service	Renaissance
	11:30 AM	Staff Meeting	Alpha Room
	1 PM	Bell Choir Practice	Sanctuary
	1 PM	Lenten Study - George & Cathy Smoot	Room 4
	6:30 PM	Lenten Study - Reverend David Holling	Room 2
WEDNESDAY	9 AM	Aerobics - Ila Mackerman	Room 10
March 18	9 AM	Lenten Study - Morris Johnson	Home
	10:15 AM	Strength & Balance - Ila Mackerman	Room 10
	Noon	UMW Group Meeting and Potluck	Lindsay Hall
	1 PM	<i>GriefShare</i>	Room 4
	6 PM	Lenten Study - Claire Akin	Sanders Home
	6:30 PM	Choir Rehearsal	Choir Room
THURSDAY	8:30 AM	Chair Yoga - Becky Snyder	Room 10
March 19	9 AM	Sun Lakes Choral Concert Rehearsal	Choir Room
	9:15 AM	Floor Yoga - Becky Snyder	Room 10
	10 AM	Tremble Clefs (info 480-274-3206)	Choir Room
	Noon	Sweet Life "The Walk" - Cathy Smoot	Room 4
	1 PM	Hospice Grief Support Group	Room 3
	1 PM	Music Therapy (info 480-580-8317)	Choir Room
	3 PM	Lenten Study - Jerry Smith	Room 2
	7 PM	Sun Lakes Chorale Spring Concert	Sanctuary
FRIDAY	8:30 AM	Kickboxing - Ila Mackerman	Room 10
March 20	9 AM	Infant Jesus to Messiah - Rod Carruthers	Cancelled
	9:30 AM	Tai Chi Exercise Class - Ila Mackerman	Room 10
	10 AM	Lenten Study - Ken & Judy Schimpf	Home
	10:15 AM	Strength & Balance Exercise Class - Ila Mackerman	Room 10
	1:30 PM	<i>Game Day</i> - Mexican Train Dominoes	Lindsay Hall
SATURDAY	4 PM	Worship Service - Pastor Marvin	Chapel
March 21			
SUNDAY	7:45 AM	Choir Rehearsal	Choir Room
March 22	8:30 & 10 AM	Worship Service - UMCOR Sunday - Pastor Marvin	Sanctuary
	9:30 AM	Hospitality Hour	Lindsay Hall
	9:45 AM	Adult Sunday School	Room 1
	2 PM	Singles Carpool to Chandler Center for the Arts	E. Parking Lot
	5:30 PM	All Church Fellowship Potluck	Lindsay Hall

Attendance Last Week: 657 (Saturday 59, Sunday 593, Renaissance 5)

KEEP THEM IN YOUR PRAYERS

RECENT: Don Berner, David Clayton, Barbara Henre, Howard Jenne, Norma Marsh, Anders Olson, and Ellie Osborn.

ONGOING: Roger Allen, Gigi Anderson, Hazel Arnpriester, Bill Bailey, Dick Bernard, Cari Berube, Lois Boese, Marian Breithaupt, Marian Burns, Suzanne Campbell, Alice Carlson, Barb & Rod Carruthers, Barbara Cload, Gary Collett, Randy Cook, Ben Fought, Marilyn French, Mary Garlack, Dann Gerblick, Marty Goodale, Diane Dankerl-Hartman, Pam Hartman, Michael Jenne, Phyllis Jenne, Joyce Johnson, Nick King, Jim Loomis, Russ Magill, Don Martin, Doris Maxwell, Karin Meade, Ann Mouchette, Wes & Phyllis Noel, Chris Olson, Nancy Peterson, Pete Pietrak, Don Plamondon, Irma Rahr, Joan Reinke, Janet Sanders, Nancy Schofield, Mary Shafer, Scott Sievert, Bob Sjolín, Margaret Soden, Kelly Sperry, Gerry Sundquist, Gene Szabo, Karen Townsend, Dick Vogel, Lee Widener, John & Lois Wohlgemuth, Bob Yager, Bob Yaryan, Michelle Yaryan, and Dotty Young.

MILITARY AND FIRST RESPONDERS: Joseph F. Abrutz III, Alex Humecki, Jon Branigan Miller, Graham Nash, Darrell (Buck) Porath, and Dionne Socie

LOVE AND SYMPATHY TO Art and Sue Darby on the death of their son, Roy Darby, who passed away March 9.

The Liturgist for both services today is Janine Schneck.

The Stephen Minister for the 8:30 AM service is Faye Jankovich and 10 AM is Roger Warren.

The Stephen Minister will be available at the lectern for prayer concerns after each service.



"Kindness is a language which the deaf can hear and the blind can see." ~ Mark Twain

Let us be kind to you or someone you know who is in need of a caring friend. Contact

Joan Loose at 480-895-8766 for information about our **Stephen Ministry Program**.

Stephen Ministers are trained to listen, to care, and to respect confidentiality.

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Office Hours: Mon.-Thurs. 9 AM - 3 PM & Fri. 9 AM - Noon

Worship Services: Saturday 4 PM & Sunday 8:30 AM & 10 AM

The Church Library is open during regular Church Office hours.

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Pastoral Care - Rev. Dr. David Holling

Staff

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