

Johnstown United Methodist Church

March 17, 2019

2nd Sunday in Lent

“Together, let us make disciples of Jesus Christ for the transformation of the world!”

**Please stand if you are able*

Prelude

Diane Bobb, Organist

Gathering & Announcements

Todd Dodderer

Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world.

Grant us peace.

Pastoral Greeting & Welcome

The Lord be with you.

And also with you.

Call to Worship

Todd Dodderer

God created us,

and we are God’s children.

Let us be glad in that heritage.

**As children of God, we will proclaim our birth. As heirs with Christ,
we will declare our inheritance.**

*Hymn

Lead Me, Guide Me

The Faith We Sing No. 2214
(See insert)

*Invocation

Passing of Christ’s Peace

Children’s Message

Sue Baldwin

Offering Ourselves & Our Gifts to God

Offertory

*Response

United Methodist Hymnal (UMH) No. 95

*Prayer of Thanksgiving

Praying Together

Pastoral Prayer

Scripture

Philippians 3:14-4:1

Pew Bible New Testament p. 198
Todd Dodderer

Anthem

In the Garden

Cindi Reeves, Violinist

*Gospel

Luke 13:31-35

Pew Bible New Testament p. 77

*Gloria Patri

UMH No. 70

Message

Seriously?! It’s Jesus!

Pastor Matt

The Lord’s Prayer

UMH No. 895

*Hymn

In the Cross of Christ I Glory

UMH No. 295

Blessing

Pastor Matt

Sung Benediction

Blessed Assurance

Choir

Dismissal

Postlude

Diane Bobb, Organist

Prayer Requests

**our country’s leaders, our military and their families, Johnstown community,
people with addiction, Logan Fleshman, Pastor Stacy, Kim Jakeway,
Joyce Priest, Rev. Nick & Renee Shaw and family, all unspoken requests**

- The Altar Flowers this week are provided by **Dan & Margie West**.
- Please consider supporting the **Scholarship Fund**. Donation boxes are located by the guest book and the back of the sanctuary.
- The Trustees are responsible for the **Little Friendly Food Box** in March.
- **Reserve your dates for Altar Flowers**. Please write in the memo of your check that it is for Altar Flowers. Specify if you want one arrangement (\$30) instead of the regular 2 vases (\$40).
- Please consider a donation to the **Johnstown/Northridge Food Pantry**.

Weekly Events for Lent

Sundays	9:15 am 10:30 am	Sunday School Worship Celebration
Tuesdays	10:30 am 8 pm	Faith Exploration at Hot Spot AA Meeting
Wednesdays	7:30 pm	Choir Practice
Thursdays	10:30 am	<i>Biblical Journeys</i> Bible Study at the Church
Fridays	4:30-7 pm 8 pm	Fish Fry at the Church of the Ascension AA Meeting

Additional Events

Mar 21	10:30 am	<i>Biblical Journeys</i> Bible Study at the Church
Mar 27	10 am	SPRC Meeting
Apr 1	7 pm 7:30 pm	Child Conseration League Trustees Meeting
Apr 11	10:30 am 7:30 pm	United Methodist Women Finance Committee Meeting
Apr 14	10:30 am	Palm Sunday
Apr 15	7:30 pm	Eucharist Service
Apr 16	7:30 pm	Eucharist Service
Apr 17	7:30 pm	Eucharist Service
Apr 18	7:30 pm	Upper Room Communion Service
Apr 19	7:30 pm	Good Friday Devotional Service

(Our weekly need to meet the 2019 budget is \$2,938)

Last Sunday Giving • **\$1,804.04** (General Fund: \$1,739.04; Missions: \$65.00)

Last Sunday Attendance • Worship: **58**; Sunday School: **16**

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 Greeter - Emma Lou Rhyan
 Liturgist - Todd Dodderer