

Memorial United Methodist Church

March 17, 2024

Welcome and Announcements

Call to Worship –

Are you feeling tired and worn out?

Call on the name of the Lord.

Are mistakes from the past weighing you down?

Come to the fount of living water.

Are you the person you wish to be?

Seek God's help and it shall be granted.

Are you looking for a better path?

Ask Christ to show you the way.

Come! Let us worship.

***Hymn** "Beneath the Cross of Jesus" **UMH 297**

Opening Prayer

Our souls are troubled, Holy One, until they find their rest in you. When we live in fear of our mortality, help us face the future unafraid. Write the truth of Christ's words on our hearts: "Unless a grain of wheat falls into the earth and dies, it can only be a single seed. But if it dies, it bears much fruit." In our living and in our dying, draw us together with all your people. Amen.

Hymn "Change My Heart, O God" **TFWS 2152**

Prayer of Confession (In unison)

Engraver of the human heart, we long for your law of love to burst forth with every beat of our hearts. Work within us this day, that the majesty of your love may shine through us in everything we say and do. Put a new and right spirit within us, O Lord, that we may leave our failings behind and embrace the glory of our salvation, through Christ, our Lord. Amen.

***Hymn** "Take Up Thy Cross" **UMH 415**

Reading of the Psalm Psalm 51:1-7 **UMH 785**
(Responsive)

Presentation of Tithes and Offering
Doxology

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Time of Personal Prayer for the concerns of the Heart.

New Testament Lesson John 12:20-33 **PB 1671**

Message

***Hymn** "Where He Leads Me" **UMH 338**

Benediction

*** Please Stand If you are Able**

***God's law of love is engraved on our hearts.
Trust God's internal compass to guide you.***

Concerns:

Beverly Patton	Christie Springston	David Tupper
Cindy Sawyer	Kevin Starcher	Larry Truman
Jensen Webb	Jenny Lewis	Sharon McNemar

Unspoken Prayers
The Unchurched of our Community
Those affected by the recent natural disasters
Families suffering the loss of loved ones

To add a concern to the Prayer list - please complete a Prayer card or slip of paper and place it in the Offering Plate.

Do no harm. Do good. Stay in love with God.
John Wesley

On-line/ At Home Worship

Website - www.spencermemorialumc.org

On FaceBook - Memorial UMC - Spencer

On- Youtube - MEMUMC Spencer

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Our Sunday Service times are:

Worship Service at 10:00 AM

Sunday School at 11:00 AM

March

Sat. 23rd – General Conference Delegation Prayer Gathering,
Christ UMC, Charleston 2:00 PM

24th – Palm Sunday

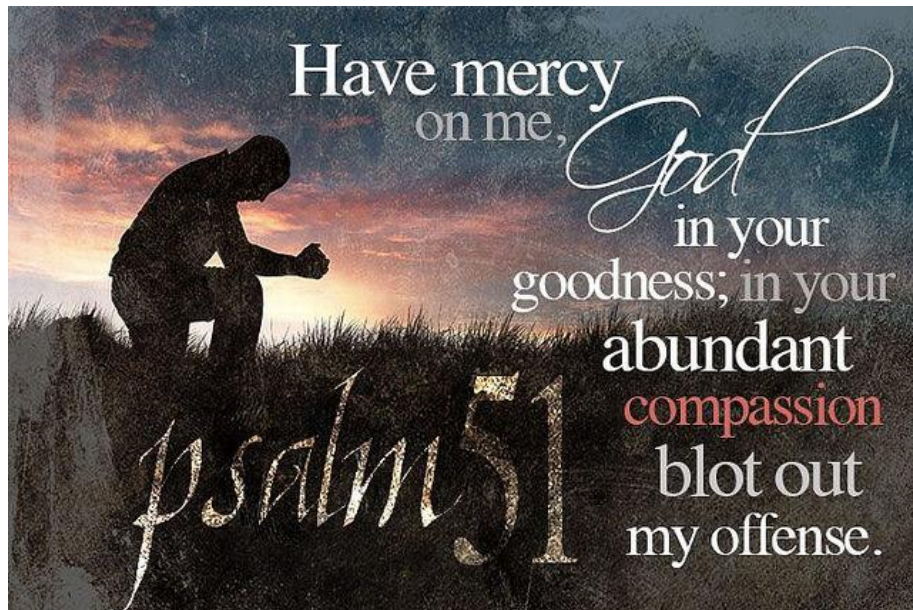
March 31 – Easter Services for the charge will be held
at St. John's UMC, 335 Church St., Spencer, WV

Sunrise Service – 7:00 AM

Fellowship Breakfast – 8:00 AM

Worship Service 9:30 AM with Communion

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Very truly I tell you,
unless a kernel of wheat
falls to the ground and
dies, it remains only a
single seed. But if it dies, it
produces many seeds.

John 12:24

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