

3rd SUNDAY IN LENT



March 15, 2020

11:00 a.m.

Greeting:

Gene Holt

***Call to Worship:**

Leader: We come to the well of fear and doubt.

People: We have drawn deeply of those waters.

Leader: We come to the well of anger and hate.

People: These waters flourish in all the land.

Leader: Lord, bring us to the water of peace and hope.

People: Lord, bring us to the well of salvation. AMEN.

***Opening Prayer:**

Gene Holt

Diminshing the Lenten Candles:

***Opening Hymn:** "There's Within My Heart a Melody" (v 1&2) P. 380

Anthem: "Step Into The Water"

Chancel Choir

Children's Noisy Collection

Children's Message

Carolyn McCafferty

Tithes and Offerings

Offertory Hymn:

(Ushers will collect during this hymn)

***Doxology**

Projected

Offertory Prayer

Gene Holt

Joys and Glory Sightings

Prayer Requests, Prayer Cards, Prayer Blankets

Intercessory Prayer

Pastor Annette

The Lord's Prayer

Projected

***Gospel Lesson:** John 4:5-45

Pastor

Message: "Never Be Thirsty....Again!!!"

RESPONSE TO THE WORD

Prayer of Confession:

God of living waters, we confess that we have often turned from you and wandered in our own wildernesses of fear and doubt. Our thirst mounts daily, seeking to be quenched by your redeeming love. Yet, when that love is offered to us, we again turn away, unable to truly believe that you would actually heal and love us. We have behaved in very unloving ways. We have chosen to ignore those in need or to deal only passively with them. Our hearts are not placed in service to others, but rather in self-serving motives. Heal us, merciful God. Wash us again in the living water. Help us be faithful servants. AMEN

Words of Pardon & Assurance

***Hymn of Dedication:** "Dwelling in Beulah Land"

***Benediction/Blessing**

Pastor Annette

***Postlude:** "Turn Your Eyes Upon Jesus"

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Turn Your Eyes upon Jesus, look full in his wonderful face.
And the things of earth will grow strangely dim in the light of
his glory and grace.

****Stand as you are able***

PASTOR: Rev. Annette Carper

ORGANIST: Lorayne Fischer

LITURGIST: Gene Holt

ACOLYTE: Matthew Chamberlain

MEDIA: Brenda Crow

CHOIR DIRECTOR: Charles McAtee

USHERS: John Cunningham,
Carolyn McCafferty, Lea Ann Terrell.

Rick Harvey

GREETERS:

Children's church: Lee Ann Smith & Bobbie Workman

DID YOU KNOW?

Your Bishop, your District Superintendents, your Conference staff, and Pastor Annette all desire for everyone, both individually and communally, to be safe and to put into practice precautionary measures to help prevent the coronavirus (Covid-19) from spreading. (List of precautionary measures on Hospitality Table just inside front doors).

For now, continue to worship and pray for and with each other.

Update emails and phone numbers so that your church family can be in contact with one another outside worship or fellowship gatherings.

Establish intentional ways for your congregation to make sure that those who are sick or homebound may have access to basic necessities. Remember your neighbors who may not be affiliated with a church

Grace and peace,
Bishop Sandra Steiner Ball



PRAYER CONCERNS

In Care Centers: Stella Decot Lila June Bungard Margie Holt
Hilda Runyan

Home Bound:

Dorothy Winland Carlene Cunningham James Cunningham
Margie Younkins Elizabeth Boso Sherry Lusk Jim Bickerton
Elizabeth Jaworski Susan Marl

Others Needing Prayer:

Dick Maidens Don Crow Jeff Anderson Amanda Pettit
Timmy Saxman Sherry Lusk Randy Omeear Sherri Mullins
Tim Holt Codey St. John Liz Holt Kerri Richards

DISTRICT PRAYER: Fairview/Wayman's Ridge UMC -
Rev. Ray Klages
Retired Pastor: Rev. Phil Dukes

ATTENDANCE: Sunday School 24 Worship 49
LAST WEEK'S OFFERING: \$1,994.00

BIRTHDAYS

March 16 – Scott Postle March 20 – Cathy Jefferson
March 20 – Carolyn Roberts

PRAYER BLANKETS –If you would like one, please fill out a form in the back of the Sanctuary or see Susan Burk.

MOUNDVILLE AREA MINISTERIAL ASSOCIATION LENTEN LUNCH SERVICES SCHEDULE:

March 18 – Messiah Lutheran Church - Noon

SCOUTS –They are collecting toiletries that can not be purchased with Food Stamps. A box is in the front hall for these items. An Eagle Scout Project for Conner Dobbs.

LENTEN LUNCHEON – On Wednesday, March 25 the Moundville Area Ministerial Association Lenten Service and Luncheon will be at Calvary UMC at Noon. If you would like to donate please contact Carolyn McCafferty.

LAY SERVANT ACADEMY –March 28 at Simpson UMC. Registration starts at 8:30 a.m. Forms are on Front Desk.



SUNDAY NITE LIVE

Sunday, March 29
6:00 p.m.

Various artists to perform
Come and enjoy some good gospel music

SCHEDULE OF THIS WEEK'S SERVICES

Sunday - Sunday School.....9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship.....11:00 a.m.
Charge Lenten Study at Washington Lands..2:00 p.m.
Youth at Washington Lands.....5:00 p.m.
Monday - Lenten Study at Omea's house.....4:30 p.m.
Wednesday – Choir Practice.....7:00 p.m.

UPCOMING

March 23 – SPPRC Meeting at 6:30 p.m.
March 29 – Sunday Night Live at 6:00
April 1 – UM Men meeting at Noon at Bob's Lunch
April 5 – Palm Sunday
April 7 Trustees Meeting at 7:00 p.m.
April 9 – Maundy Thursday service at Washington
Lands at 7:00 p.m.
April 10 – Good Friday Service at Calvary at 7:00 p.m.

GOOD SAMARITAN ITEMS FOR MARCH
Toilet paper (small packages)
Thank you

PHONE TREE – The Prayer Chain is available from 9:00 a.m. – 8:00 p.m. From **9 – Noon**, Monday through Friday call 304-845-2732 and give message to Carol. After Noon and on Weekends call:
Carolyn McCafferty at 304-218-4190

Or

Tracy Omea at Home 304-845-2243 Cell 304-639-1155

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