

## Tabor United Methodist Church

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**STEPHEN  
MINISTRY**

**Pastor:** Rev. Young Tae Lee

Sunday, March 1, 2020

First Sunday in Lent

† = please stand as able

**Bold = everyone reading together**

Gathering for Worship – *Please take an opportunity to look at the altar and prepare your heart and mind for worship.*

Prelude

The Reminder of Christ's Presence in Worship – *The altar candles are lit.*

Welcome

†Call to Worship

Leader: In the wilderness of life, we are not alone.

**People: God is with us, even in the midst of our loneliness.**

Leader: On the treacherous paths, God's guidance is ours.

**People: We will walk in God's ways of wisdom and truth.**

Leader: Come to hear. Come to learn. Come to the hiding place of God.

**People: Here we find grace. Here we find love. Here we will worship and pray.**

†Opening Hymn: *"Lord, Who Throughout These Forty Days"* #269 UMH

**Opening Prayer: Faithful God, strengthen us from the journey ahead. Guide us with your knowledge and your love. Send your Spirit to drive us and guide us where we need to go – ever-closer to you and to your ways. Amen.**

The Message for Young Christians-*The young and "young at heart" are welcome.*

Reading from the Old Testament

Psalms 122:1-9

The Word of God for the people of God. (p.480;LP p.766)

**Thanks be to God.**

Reading from the New Testament

Mark 2:23-28

The Word of God for the people of God. (p.763;LP p.1217)

**Thanks be to God.**

†Gloria Patri: "We Were Baptized..." – TFWS #2251 (verse 3)

*Glory be to God the Father, glory be to Christ the Son, glory to the Holy Spirit, ever three and ever one; as it was in the beginning, glory now resounds again in a song that has no ending. Amen.*

The Message

*"Sundays Can Surprise You"*

Rev. Young Tae Lee

Hymn: *"I Love Thy Kingdom, Lord"* UMH #378

The Prayers of This Church Community – *To make sure prayer concerns get into the bulletin, please fill out a "Prayer Request form" and place it in the offering plate or give it to Rev. Young Tae Lee*

Invitation to Communion (UMH, p. 12)

**Prayer of Confession: God of mercy and grace, cover our nakedness, and strengthen our vulnerabilities. Forgive us in our sinfulness, and surround us with your faithful love, that we may know true happiness through your mercy and grace. Amen.**

Words of Assurance: Faithful love surrounds you. Forgiveness is yours, through the grace of Christ. Rejoice and be glad!

Sharing the Peace of Christ with One Another

Giving Our Offering

†Doxology: "Rejoice, Ye Pure in Heart" UMH #160 (verse 5)  
*Praise God who reigns in high, the Lord whom we adore, the Father, Son, and Holy Ghost, one God forever more. Rejoice, rejoice, rejoice, give thanks and sing.*

†Prayer of Dedication

The Great Thanksgiving (UMH, p. 15)

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The Lord's Prayer (UMH #895)

*Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come, thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.*

Breaking the Bread

Giving the Bread and Cup

Prayer after Communion (UMH, p. 11)

Time of Sharing – *We will share our announcements and God moments. Please make sure to sign the red attendance pads!*

†Closing Hymn: “O Happy Day, That Fixed My Choice” # 391 UMH

†Benediction

†Postlude



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Gratitude 8 - And let the peace of Christ rule in your hearts, to which indeed you were called in the one body. And be thankful. (Colossians 3:15)  
Gratitude 9 - First, I thank my God through Jesus Christ for all of you, because your faith is proclaimed throughout the world. (Romans 1:8)

## Welcome to Worship at Tabor UMC!

*It is wonderful to have you here in worship with us! If you are a visitor, we would ask that you sign in on our red attendance pads. Please also check out our information in the back of the sanctuary.*



- Large print hymnals (*United Methodist Hymnal & The Faith We Sing*), along with large print pew Bibles, are available at the back of the sanctuary.
- If you are a visitor, please check the shelf at the entrance to the sanctuary where you can find church information, a directory and our ***March 2020 Good News Newsletter***.

### Prayer Concerns

Gracie Wiedmeyer; Breed and Samara; Family of Harlow Reseberg; Family of Bob Dvorak; Ron and Sandy Straub; Earl Morgan; Scott Myers; Steve Baus; John Binotto; Kristin Reeves; Darlene Burrow; Gianna Trotter; Glen Straub; Vic Rose; Sally Baumhardt; Dale Grahl; Jan Krueger.; Lindsay Pinkley; Hazel Hodorff; Troy Hodorff; Ron Reese; Confirmands; Stephen Ministers and their care receivers; Sunday School teachers and students; Our Servicemen and servicewomen.

### Upcoming Events

- **Today** – Holy Communion Sunday
- **Wednesday, March 4<sup>th</sup> at 7PM** - Lenten Wednesday Service at Tabor UMC
- **Friday, March 6<sup>th</sup> to 7<sup>th</sup>** – Wesleyan Heritage Confirmation Retreat at Lake Lucerne
- **Friday, March 6 at 7 PM** – The Movie Night: “Wonder”
- **Sunday, March 8, 2PM to 4PM** – The Family Event: Bowling@Ledgeview Lanes

### Announcements

- 90th birthday celebration for Dorothy Randall on Sunday, March 8<sup>th</sup>, 1PM to 4PM at 104 Pine St. Eden. All are welcome, no gifts.

- **Tabor-Majerus Scholarship:** The applications will be available on February 15, 2020 and must be returned no later than April 19, 2020 to any board member or by mailing it to Tabor United Methodist Church. Scholarships will be awarded on Sunday, August 16, 2020.
- **The Tabor Scrip program-** The church encourages you to use Scrip for your regular purchases and gifts. Gift cards and certificates can be purchased from Cindy Glass after church on Sundays.
- **The Capital Campaign** to improve the Nursery room and family restrooms. The fundraising will support our children and parents to worship God.
- **The Collection of personal products** will be on Sunday, March 22<sup>nd</sup> for the Salvation Army Food Pantry.
- Online giving is a safe, easy way to make regular contributions. If additional questions, contact Linda Hodorff, Tabor Finance Chairman at 920-979-2480 or [linda@secondlookholsteins.com](mailto:linda@secondlookholsteins.com) and The **GivePlus** Mobile app allows you to give on your phone
- If anyone wants to make a reservation to use any church facility or equipment, they must contact Don Miller(920-539-0186).



**GIVE  
PLUS+**

### Our Church Report for Sunday, February 23<sup>th</sup>

Attendance: 91

Offering: \$ 1184.13

### Worship Team for March 1<sup>st</sup>

Pastor:	Young Tae Lee
Liturgist:	Judy Straub
Greeters:	Diane Kuenzi
Ministers:	All the People
Organists:	Lolly Nichols, Randy Glass, Jeanne Miller
Church Custodian:	Orville Glass

### Liturgist & Greeter for March 8<sup>th</sup>

Liturgist: Roger Glass

Greeters: Alan & Julie Miller