

Oakfield United Methodist Church
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Pastor: Rev. Young Tae Lee
Sunday, March 5, 2017
8:45 AM

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"* UMH #269

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 Psalm 122:1-9(p.737)
The Word of God for the people of God.
Thanks be to God.

Reading from the New Testament Mark 2:23-28(p.1184)
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†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 #540

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)

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” UMH #391

†Benediction

†Postlude

March 1, 2020

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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 Oakfield UMC!

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

- Large print hymnals are available at the back table of the sanctuary.
- We have sound amplification equipment that is connected to our microphone system. Please let the pastor or an usher know if you would like a device.
- Please check the literature rack in the narthex where you can find the church directory, our **Good News Newsletter**, and other information.
- We have wireless internet access available in the church. Please contact Rev. Lee for an instruction.



Prayer Concerns

Carol Whyms; Family of Bob Dvorak; Jolie Tennie: Stan Ruplinger; Kara Martin; Brenda Bryden; Helen Kuekbusch; Edward Smith; Gary Collien; Tony O'Malley; Dan Wildenberg; Gary Taillefer, Van Dergen; Irv Pea; Sharon Martin; Joann Goodlaxson; Confirmands; Stephen Ministers and their care receivers, Sunday School teachers and students.

Missions: Momoh Kebbie (The Child that we sponsor through World Vision)

Our Servicemen and Servicewomen: Quinn Fechter (Al & Joann's Grandson), Riker Wilder (Alice & Monty's Grandson), Brandon Zirbe (*Vicki Seitz's nephew*)

Upcoming Events

- **Today** – Holy Communion Sunday
- **Wednesday, March 4th at 7PM** - Lenten Wednesday Service at Tabor UMC
- **Friday, March 6th at 7 PM** – Tabor Family Movie Night, “Wonder”

- **Friday, March 6th to 7th** – Wesleyan Heritage Confirmation Retreat at Lake Lucerne
- **Sunday, March 8th** – Noisy Can Offering & Social Sunday

Our Church Finances

- **Offering from Sunday, February 23th: \$ 1294.02**
- Needed Weekly to Cover Entire 2020 Budget: \$1023.57

Announcement

- **“Gratitude 52”** – We will do Gratitude exercise with the bible verse in 2020. I challenge you to take this Gratitude practice with your family.
- If you are considering membership in Oakfield UMC, please contact Rev. Lee at 920-392-9888 or oakfieldtaborpastor@yahoo.com

Giving Back to the Community

- There will be **Oakfield Community Blood Drive** sponsored by the Oakfield Lions Club at Oakfield community Center(130 S. Main St.) on Friday, March 6th from 1:30 PM to 5:30 PM. Please call Karen 920-933-3264 for an appointment
- Please donate to the Community Food Pantry

Oakfield Worship Team

Pastor: Young Tae Lee Ministers: All the People
Liturgist: Stephanie Wonzer
Ushers: Ron & Karen O’Laire
Greeter: Beulah Opperman
Organist: Jeanne Miller, Sandy Dvorak
Altar Preparations: Denise Shaffer
Communion Preparations: Karen O’Laire

Liturgist & Greeter for March 8th

Liturgist: Karen O’Laire
Greeters: Heidi Martin Family