

Apostles' Creed
I believe in God the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth; and in Jesus Christ His only Son our Lord; who was conceived by the Holy Ghost, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead and buried; He descended into hell; the third day He rose again from the dead; He ascended into heaven, and sitteth on the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence He shall come to judge the quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Ghost, the holy catholic church; the communion of saints; the forgiveness of sins; the resurrection of the body; and the life everlasting. Amen.

Gloria Patri
Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost. As it was in the beginning, is now and ever shall be, world without end. Amen. Amen.

Mars UP Church

Come Holy Spirit, Come
Before the Service – Speak to God!
During the Service – Let God speak to you!
After the Service – Speak to each other!

(*Please stand, if able)

Welcome and Mars Messages

Prelude

Choral Introit

“Surely the Presence”

Chancel Choir

The Call to Worship

Leader: Come, all you who are struggling.

People: Come, all you who are crippled by pain and suffering.

Leader: Come to worship a God who heals your pain.

People: Come to worship a God who gives forgiveness.

All: Let us worship God, who sets us free and gives us new life!

Pastoral Invocation

***Hymn of Praise**

“Sweet Hour of Prayer”

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Call to Confession

The Lord's Prayer

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 debts,
as we forgive
our debtors;

and lead us not
into temptation,
but deliver us
from evil.

For Thine
is the kingdom,
and the power,
and the glory,
forever. Amen.

The Doxology

Praise God
from whom
all blessings flow;
praise Him
all creatures
here below;
praise Him above,
ye heavenly host;
praise Father, Son,
and Holy Ghost.
Amen.

Prayer of Confession

Have mercy on me, O God, according to your steadfast love; according to your abundant mercy blot out my transgressions. Wash me thoroughly from my iniquity, and cleanse me from my sin. For I know my transgressions, and my sin is ever before me. Against you, you alone, have I sinned, and done what is evil in your sight, so that you are justified in your sentence and blameless when you pass judgment. Indeed, I was born guilty, a sinner when my mother conceived me. You desire truth in the inward being; therefore teach me wisdom in my secret heart. Purge me with hyssop, and I shall be clean; wash me, and I shall be whiter than snow. Let me hear joy and gladness; let the bones that you have crushed rejoice. Hide your face from my sins, and blot out all my iniquities. Create in me a clean heart, O God, and put a new and right spirit within me.

Do not cast me away from your presence, and do not take your holy spirit from me. Restore to me the joy of your salvation, and sustain in me a willing spirit. Then I will teach transgressors your ways, and sinners will return to you. Deliver me from bloodshed, O God, O God of my salvation, and my tongue will sing aloud of your deliverance. O Lord, open my lips, and my mouth will declare your praise. For you have no delight in sacrifice; if I were to give a burnt offering, you would not be pleased. The sacrifice acceptable to God is a broken spirit; a broken and contrite heart, O God, you will not despise.

Assurance of Pardon

Gloria Patri

Scripture

Luke 13:1-9

Children's Chat

Choral Anthem

“Answer to Our Prayer”

Chancel Choir

Morning Message

“For Better or Worse”

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Mon -Thurs from 9 a.m. -2:30 p.m.

Prayers of the People and Lord's Prayer

*Hymn of Praise 342
"Rock of Ages"

*Doxology

*Offering Prayer
Offertory Response Chancel Choir
"All Things Come of Thee"

*Hymn of Invitation 656
"Time to Be Holy"

*Benediction

*Congregational Response (Everyone sings)
(See Insert)
Let Us Now Depart in Thy Peace, blessed Jesus
Send us to our homes with God's love in our hearts.
Let not the busy world claim all our loyalties
Keep us ever mindful dear Lord of thee. Amen

*Postlude

**Flowers are presented today to the Glory of
God, in memory of our loved ones and in
honor of the people of Ukraine by Jay and
Ruth Wilson.**

*Morning Worship:
10:00 am*

3rd Sunday in Lent

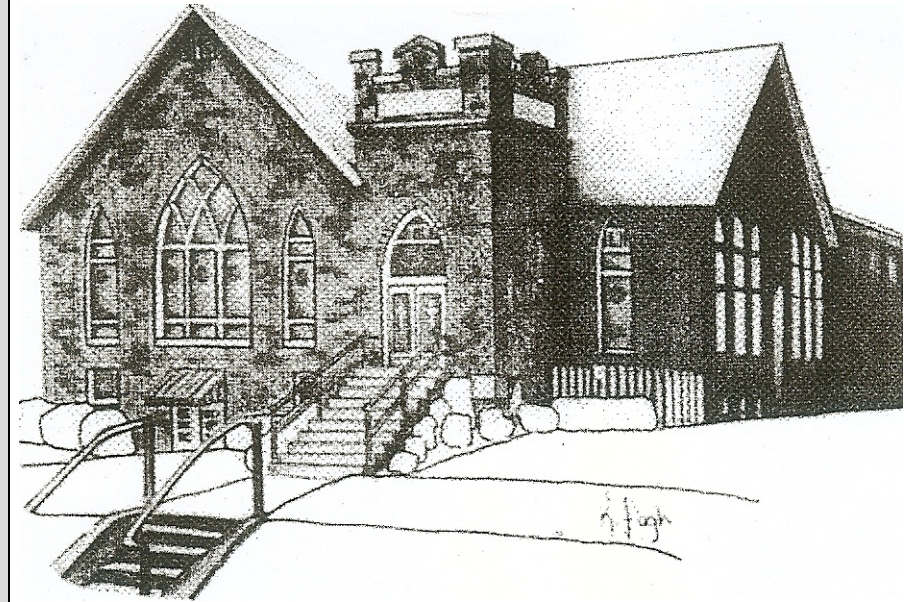
Prayer of Preparation
*Lord, we come to you
today with so many
things on our hearts.*

*You call us to be in
relationship of trust
and love with you and
you offer healing to us
for those portions of
our lives that are
broken and injured.*

*Help us to be open to
your mercy and healing
love. For we ask this in
Jesus' Name.
AMEN.*

Mars United Presbyterian Church

Welcome!



***We are your hometown church: Faithful to Tradition,
Loving in Fellowship, & Reaching for Tomorrow!***

March 20, 2022

**We welcome you and we are glad you've chosen to
Worship with us today!**

CALENDAR: March 20, 2022 – March 27, 2022

Church Office Hours: Monday -Thursday from 9 a.m. – 2:30 p.m.

Today, March 20, 2022

9:00 a.m. Sunday School Hour

10:00 a.m. THE MORNING WORSHIP SERVICE

Monday, March 21, 2022

6:30 pm GriefShare

6:00 pm Cub Scouts

7:00 pm Boy Scouts

Tuesday, March 22, 2022

9:00 am A team

7:00 pm AA

Wednesday, March 23, 2022

9:00 am Material Girls

6:00 pm Girl Scouts

7:00 pm Chancel Choir Rehearsal

Thursday, March 24, 2022

Friday, March 25, 2022

12:00 pm Lenten Lunch – Speaker Gary Weston

Saturday, March 26, 2022

Sunday, March 27, 2022

9:00 a.m. Sunday School Hour

10:00 am THE MORNING WORSHIP SERVICE

1:00 pm Youth Group

VOLUNTEERS 😊

LAST SUNDAY'S In-House
ATTENDANCE: 44

LAST SUNDAY'S OFFERING:

Operating Funds: \$3830.00

Kindness Offering: \$35.00

Mission: \$50.00 BScouts

Memorial: \$100.00

Total: \$4015.00

Tarry N Talk Hosts
Buildings & Grounds

Welcome to all who are Worshiping with us today!

Guests

We sincerely hope our service is a blessing to you. We ask that our guests please take a few minutes to complete one of the Connect Cards found in the pew holder.

Should you have questions regarding any aspect of our church, including membership, please contact Pastor Brian or the church office during the week at 724-625-1365. Thank you for being with us today.

PRAYER – JOYS & CONCERNS

Lou Beckwith

Jan Balentine (sister of Karen Purvis)

Reid Christopher Hall (June Stirling's nephew)

Lindy McCartney (Lisa Barbour's Sister)

Patty Jackson

Nancy Govan

Kennedy (Great Granddaughter of Marlene Edwards)

Paige Barbour (daughter of Andrew and Steph Barbour)

Maria Elizabeth McKaveney (June Stirling's niece)

Chuck Kennedy

Isabel Boynton

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Bulletins are printed Thursday mornings; let us know if you have an announcement...

LENTEN LUNCHE Every Friday at noon, the community is invited to enjoy lunch and a special guest speaker. There is no charge for the lunch; however, donations will be received. The Lenten Lunches have begun and continue thru and including April 15th (Good Friday). Friday Lenten Lunches include Potato Soup and another Soup, Sandwich, Salad and Dessert. Every week Grilled cheese sandwiches are offered also.

Upcoming Speakers are:

March 25th Gary Weston

April 1st Rev. Dr. Jim Kirk

April 8th Rev. Dr. Peter DeVries

GOOD FRIDAY SERVICE 12:00pm on Good Friday. Mars Ministerial Association will lead the service.

HOLY HUMOR SUNDAY - Join us on Sunday April 24th as we continue to celebrate the joy of the resurrection with Holy Humor Sunday. Jokes and funny anecdotes will be shared throughout the service. Appropriate jokes may be shared by the congregation. It is sure to be a fun and uplifting service in celebration of the Resurrection of Jesus Christ! All are welcome!

YOUTH-LOCK IN Pastor Brian is planning a Youth Lock-in on April 1st thru April 2nd. If you are interested in attending, please talk to Pastor Brian. More info to follow!

CHURCH CLEANING On April 9th we will be meeting from 9am to ? to spruce up the church. There will be jobs for people of all abilities. Please try to come. Many hands make light work, please join us if you can!

EASTER EGG HUNT Mars UP Church Easter Egg Hunt on Sunday, April 10, 2022. Easter Egg Hunt will be after church. Bring your basket and a friend. Refreshments provided after the egg hunt.

