

Our Service of Worship
4th Sunday in Lent

10:55 am

March 14, 2010

* We invite those who are able, to stand during these acts of worship

Gathering Music
Announcements

Rev. Whitehead

Time of Welcoming

Persons may greet other members of the community with signs of reconciliation and love.
Please be seated as we begin worship.

Blest Be the Tie That Binds

Blest be the tie that binds our hearts in Christian love;
the fellowship of kindred minds is like to that above.

Opening Scripture
Chimes

Rev. Whitehead

Opening Voluntary
My Savior's Love

Marjorie Morgan, Organist
arr. Albin Whitworth

Lighting the Altar Candles

***Processional Hymn**

Great Is Thy Faithfulness

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***Affirmation of Faith**

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***The Gloria Patri**

Glory Be to the Father

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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.

Story for All Ages

Jesus Loves Me

Carole Fletcher

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Jesus loves me! This I know, for the Bible tells me so.
Little ones to him belong; they are weak, but he is strong.
Yes, Jesus loves me! Yes, Jesus loves me! Yes, Jesus loves me! The Bible tells me so.

Following this, all children through Kindergarten
Are invited to "Children's Church" time next door in our Education Building.
Parents may pick them up there following the worship service.

Prayer Sharing
Call to Prayer

Turn Your Eyes Upon Jesus

Morning Prayer

The Lord's Prayer

Rev. Tilk
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Rev. Tilk
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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.

The Offering
Offertory

Lento

Ushers
Marjorie Morgan, Organist
César Frank

***Doxology**

Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow

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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.

Epistle Lesson

2 Corinthians 5: 16-21
(pg. 171 NT)

Rev. Whitehead

Anthem

My Shepherd Will Supply My Need

Chancel Choir
Don Michael Dicie

Gospel Lesson

Luke 15: 1-3 & 11b - 32
(pg. 74 NT)

Rev. Tilk

Sermon

"God's Redemptive Nature"

Rev. Tilk

***Hymn**

Love Divine, All Loves Excelling

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***Benediction**

Postlude

Präludium und Fuge in d

Marjorie Morgan, Organist
J.S. Bach

Worship Matters

We want to **remember and lift up in prayer** these folks: Janet Broen, Pauline Brown, Ann Duck, Raylene Edwards, Patrick Fletcher, Marian & Raymond Hurst, Mary Neal Nixon, Lucille Smith, Joan Turner, Mickey Watson. Also, those men and women serving in our military overseas: Kenneth Gainey, John Hall, T. Lance Hines, Monte Jackson, Jimmy Killinger, Bruce Munger, Jonathan Rodriguez.

It is our intent to leave names on the prayer list for 1 month.
If there is further need, please call the church office at 627-9226.

Our heartfelt sympathies to Pauline Smith and family on the recent death of her sister, **Joyce S. Crosby** of Tifton, GA who died March 7, 2010.

Announcements

Communion will be served in Shelfer Chapel immediately following the worship service.

The Youth will be offering a lunch fundraiser **TODAY** after the worship service to raise money for their summer mission trip.

Staff Parish Committee will meet **Monday, March 15** at **7pm**.

UMW Circle# 1 will meet **Tuesday, March 16** at **12N** in Fellowship Hall.

Church Council will meet **Tuesday, March 16** at **7pm**.

Come and join JOY Club for lunch on **Thursday, March 18** at **11:45am**. Please RSVP.

Our Presence Last Week

Worship	100
Sunday school	41
Bible study	20
Prayer service	7
Choir practice	12

Our Stewardship Last Week

General Fund 2010	\$4,098.00
Plate Cash	\$59.00
Sunday school	\$14.00
Pew Bibles	\$364.00
Pastor's Discretion	\$128.00

Ongoing offering of Habitat for Humanity: **\$2,796.87**

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