

*Our Service of Worship*  
*Second Sunday in Lent*

10:55 am

March 16, 2014

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

**Gathering Music**

Marjorie Morgan

**Announcements**

Rev. Whitehead

**Opening Scripture  
Chimes**

**Open Voluntary**

*Jesus, Our Divine Companion*

Karey Fowler, Organist  
arr. Robert Hebble

**Lighting the Altar Candles**

**\*Opening Hymn**

*Take Up Thy Cross*

# 415

**\*Psalter Reading**

Psalms 121

# 844

**Story for All Ages**

*Jesus Loves Me*

Amy Rooks  
# 191

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**

**Morning Prayer**

**The Lord's Prayer**

Rev. Whitehead  
# 895

**The Offering  
Offertory**

*I Have a Savior*

Ushers

Van Denman Thompson

**\*Doxology**

# 95

*Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow*

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 for Illumination**

**Lord, open our hearts and minds**

**by the power of your Holy Spirit,**

**that, as the Scriptures are read**

**and your Word proclaimed,**

**we may hear with joy what you say to us today. Amen**

**Epistle Lesson**

Romans 12: 1-8  
(Pg. 196 NT)

Kay Roach

**Anthem**

*Thou Knowest, Lord, the Secrets of Our Hearts*  
From *Funeral Sentences for Queen Mary* (1677)  
Text from *The Book of Common Prayer*

Chancel Choir  
By Henry Purcell

**Gospel Lesson**

Matthew 16: 13-26  
(Pg. 22 NT)

**Sermon**

"A Reality Check"

Rev. Whitehead

**\*Closing Hymn**

# 424

*Must Jesus Bear the Cross Alone*

**Benediction**

**Postlude**

*Toccata*

Karey Fowler, Organist  
Franklin Ritter

**Worship Matters**

We want to **remember and lift up in prayer** these folks: Sarah Adams, Ruth Barnes, Jerry Creager, Ruth Deeney, Bo Bo Edwards, Aaron Hudson, Helen Owenby, Maevan Pittman, Virginia Suber, Corey Trail, Mickey Watson. Also, those men and women serving in our military especially those overseas. Also, our sister church Santa Clara in Cuba and missionary, Robert Amundsen serving in the Red Bird Missionary Conference.

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

Communion will be served in Shelfer Chapel after this morning's worship service.

UMW Morning Stars will meet **Monday, March 17 – 11am** (Parlor)

### **Tuesday, March 18:**

12N – UMW Circle #1 (F.H.); -6pm – Church Council; 7:30pm – Choir rehearsal

### **NO Wednesday night activities on March 19**

Joy Club will meet **Thursday, March 20** at **12N**

### OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD SHOEBOX COLLECTION - 2014

**MARCH:** Small Toys (trucks, small stuffed animals, slinky, ball, jump rope)

If you are interested in going to see the play, "*All I really Need to Know I Learned in Kindergarten*" on **Thursday, March 27**, please call the church office.

#### **Membership and Marriage Records**

For the month of March, the Archives Committee is featuring in the narthex Centenary's membership and marriage records from the 1880's and later...

Rev. John Whitehead will be available for pastoral care in the absence of Rev. Tilk this week.

#### **Our Presence Last Week**

Worship service	91
Sunday school	21
Pancake Supper	53
Ash Wednesday service	20

#### **Our Stewardship Last Week**

General Fund 2014	\$2,170.00
Plate Offering	\$108.00
Sunday school	\$8.00
Pancake Supper	\$122.00
World Day of Prayer (Centenary Camp)	\$191.00

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