

~ Welcome ~

March 27, 2022 10:30am

Fourth Sunday in Lent

WE GATHER

Prelude "Alas, and Did My Savior Bleed"
By: Ralph E. Hudson

Welcome & Announcements
*Greeting

WE PRAISE

*Opening Hymn "Come, Ye Sinners, Poor and Needy" UMH No. 340

*Call to Worship
Leader: How blessed we are that God forgives us and loves us!
Prayer: For all those times when we have fallen short of what God would have us be, we have been forgiven.
Leader: God makes us new in God's Spirit!
Prayer: Now is the time to joyfully accept the newness of life which God offers to us.
Leader: Come, let us worship and be thankful.
People: Let us open our hearts to the peace and joy of God. Amen

*Morning Prayer
How incredible is your love, O God! We have been made new in your love and reconciled to you and to each other in peace and joy. Be with us this day as we hear your words of comfort and hope. Guide our lives that we may serve you more fully all of our days. Amen

Song of Praise "Through" By: Gaither Vocal Band Solo by: Millie Frambaugh

WE CELEBRATE COMMUNITY

Children's Time "God's Extravagant Grace" Pastor Jane
At the conclusion of Children's Time all children age 4 through 5th grades are invited to go with the teachers for Sunday School. Nursery care for younger children is also available.

Prayers of the People
Sharing our Joys & Concerns

Prayer of Forgiveness
Silent Prayer
Pastoral Prayer
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 trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. Lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power and the glory, forever. 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!

WE HEAR GOD'S WORD

Prayer for Illumination
All: 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.

Scripture Reading Dave Piehl
Joshua 5:9-12 p. 202
2 Corinthians 5:16-21 p. 1067
Luke 15:1-3, 11b-32 p. 964
Message "Draw the Circle Wide" Pastor Jane Piehl

WE RESPOND TO GOD'S WORD

Moment of Reflection
Offering

WE GO FORTH

*Closing Hymn "This Is a Day of New Beginnings" UMH No. 383
*Benediction
*Postlude

*Indicates congregation to stand

Pastor Jane Piehl Pastor
Millie Frambaugh Music Director
Dave Piehl Lay Speaker

This Week

Tues	7p	<i>Entering the Passion Study</i>
Sat	10a	Book Club

Upcoming Events

4/7	10a	<i>Grace Study begins</i>
4/21-5/26		Grief Group
Sun 4/10	10:30a	Palm Sunday
Thurs 4/14	7p	Maundy Thursday Service
Fri 4/15	7p	Good Friday Service
Easter Services 4/17:		
	7a	Sunrise Service at Greenleaf Park
	8:30a	Easter Breakfast
	9:30a	Egg Hunt at the church
	10:30a	Service at Church

ANNOUNCEMENTS

-A new study, *Grace*, by Max Lucado, will begin on April 7 at 10am.

-Easter Breakfast sign up sheet is available at the back of the sanctuary.

-Easter Flower order forms are available. Please return by Apr. 10. This year Lilies, tulips, daffodils, and hyacinths are available.

-Mark your calendars for a spectacular Easter celebration! The morning kicks off at 7:00 a.m. with a beautiful sunrise service at Greenleaf Park. Then a delicious breakfast will be served at 8:30 a.m. in Fellowship Hall. A sign-up sheet is in the back of the church if you would like to make something yummy! New this year will be a religious Easter egg hunt for the kids on the front lawn and in the labyrinth of the church at 9:30 a.m. Finally, we rejoice in the Resurrection of Our Lord at our regular 10:30 worship service complete with trumpet! Come and join us for this wonderful celebration!

(P.S. Naps are scheduled for 12:30 before your family meals at 1:00!!! LOL)

Welcome to Sharon Center United Methodist Church!

If you are visiting with us for the first time, we are glad you are here! Please make sure to sign the attendance pad as it is passed during the service and let us know your contact information. We welcome all to our Worship Service and our Communion Table is open to everyone. Please join us in our activities and gatherings and if you have a question, just ask, and come back again soon!

At Sharon Center UMC we are committed to building relationships with Jesus Christ. For families of all ages, this is a great community to join as you grow in your relationship with

God and with others.

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Readings for the Sixth Sunday after the Epiphany, February 12, 2017: Deuteronomy 30:15-20;
Psalm 119:1-8; 1 Corinthians 3:1-9; Matthew 5:21-37

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I will give thanks to you
with a heart that does right
as I learn your righteous rules.

– Psalm 119:7

