

Lenten Season Reflection

Lent is a time of contemplation, fasting and preparation for the coming of Easter.

It is a time of self examination and reflection.

As you think about Lent, and prepare for Easter, is there a concern you have? Is there a word that comes to you that describes how you're feeling right now?

We will have an opportunity to turn our concerns and feelings over to God during the coming season of Lent. There will be notecards in the narthex that you may use to write down what you would like to share with God. It can be anonymous.

There will be a basket on the altar beginning Ash Wednesday, in which you, before or after worship services during Lent, may symbolically cast all your cares and/or joys at Jesus' feet.

1 Peter 5:7 "Cast all your cares upon him; for he cares for you."

We are blessed to be part of an ecumenical gathering of believers for a Good Friday evening service. For this occasion, we are putting together a community choir to sing the soulful anthem "Were You There?" We are asking singers from our congregation, even those who do not regularly sing in the choir, to consider being part of this reflective time for corporate worship. Please share your interest or commitment in an email or message to katy@eheights.org or 269-449-5443! Looking forward to making music together!



LIVING MATTHEW 25

FEED THE HUNGRY.
WELCOME THE STRANGER.
CLOTHE THE NEEDY.
CARE FOR THE SICK & IMPRISONED.
ACT BOLDLY.

WEEK SIX - MARCH 17-23

Coordinated by First Presbyterian Church of Downtown South Bend, in cooperation with many community partners, and offered to the people of the Michiana area as an opportunity to engage in learning and serving. All are welcome.

Sunday, March 17 - 9:45 a.m.

Minute for Mission

Lety Stanton-Verduzco, Director of Mission Integration, will provide an update on the important work of the Boys and Girls Clubs of St. Joseph County at the beginning of the worship service. First Presbyterian Church [Sanctuary] 333 W. Colfax Avenue South Bend

Sunday, March 17 - 11 a.m. - 1p.m.

Easter Baskets for children of El Campito Child Development Center, Hope Ministries & LaSalle Park Homes

Come for brunch and a fun time of filling 200 Easter baskets for children in the Michiana community. First Presbyterian Church [Social Hall] 333 W. Colfax Avenue South Bend
Please make a reservation for lunch by contacting the church at 574-234-4159 or info@fpscsouthbend.org.

Monday, March 18 - 6:00 p.m.

Mondays at the Movies - Roma [2018, R, 2h/14m, Alfonso Cuaron]

With his most personal film, Alfonso Cuaron recreated the early-1970s Mexico City of his childhood, narrating a tumultuous period in the life of a middle-class family through the experiences of Cleo, the indigenous domestic worker who keeps the household running. Elaine Roth, Professor of Film Studies at Indiana University South Bend, will moderate pre and post discussion with respondents from community organizations. The series is coordinated with the Browning Cinema, DeBartolo Performing Arts Center, University of Notre Dame. Saint Joseph County Public Library [Auditorium] 305 S. Michigan Street, South Bend

Tuesday, March 19 - 2:00 - 5:00

Senior Suds: Food Pantry, Health Screenings, Laundry, Lunch

Volunteer to help with a program that provides free laundry services for seniors. While washing their clothes, registered seniors may order food from Clay Food Pantry, talk with staff from Oak Street Health, and receive a meal to eat. Volunteers interact with guests in many ways. Register to help by calling Christ the King Lutheran Church, 574-272-4306. Burton's Laundry 3706 W. Western Avenue South Bend

Living Matthew 25 - 2024 is underwritten, in part, by a local mission grant from the Presbytery of Wabash Valley of the Presbyterian Church (U.S.A.).

Wednesday, March 20 - 6:00 - 7:15pm

Soup Supper & Vesper Service

Enjoy a light meal and participate in vespers. Sunnyside Presbyterian Church 115 S. Francis Street South Bend
No charge. No registration.

Wednesday, March 20 - 6 - 7:30pm

Reflecting on Matthew 25: Soup Supper & Study through Art

Soup supper, discussion, and Holden Evening Prayer. Christ the King Lutheran Church 17195 Cleveland Road, South Bend
No charge. No registration.

Thursday, March 21 - 11:30 am - 1pm

Community Partners' Lunch:

Update on Hunger in Michiana

Learn about the work of many organizations that address hunger in various ways. First Presbyterian Church [Social Hall] 333 W. Colfax Avenue South Bend
No charge. Reservations required and can be made by contacting the church at 574-234-4159 or info@fpsb.org.

Friday, March 22-9:30 am-12:30 pm

Re-entry Simulation of

St. Joseph County

Participate in an event to learn how challenging it can be for returning citizens (individuals returning from incarceration) to reenter society. Assume a role of a returning citizen, navigate through the first four weeks of the journey (each a fifteen minute time block), and participate in group discussion between simulated weeks. Co-sponsored by The Beacon Resource Center, Dismas House of Indiana, First Presbyterian Church of Downtown South Bend, Goodwill Industries of Michiana, Life Outside Reentry Assistance, South Bend Community Re-entry Program, St. Joe County Public Library, and University of Notre Dame Center for Social Concerns.

Saint Joseph County Public Library

[Ballroom] 305 S. Michigan Street South Bend

Free but registration is required by contacting Dismas House at dismas@dismasin.org or 574-233-8522.

Saturday, March 23 - 1:00 - 3:00 p.m.

Spring into Service - Welcome Kits for Guests at Center for the Homeless, Dismas House, Hope Ministries, Our Lady of the Road, St. Margaret's House, Upper Room Recovery Community - Men's & Women's Residences, and YWCA

All ages are invited to come to assemble 150+ Welcome Bags for guests at Michiana facilities. Please bring packages of paper towels, toilet paper, and tissues to share with these organizations. Snacks provided. Holy Cross College [Administration Building - Ave Brew Cafe] 54515 State Road 933 N Notre Dame

Evangel Heights United Methodist Church

March 17, 2024

March is Women's History Month

9:30 am In-Person & Live Stream Worship

The Beacon

Website: www.eheights.org

Facebook: www.facebook.com/evangelheightsumc

YouTube: www.youtube.com/@evangelheightsumc

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MON. - THURS. 9:30 AM - 1:30 PM

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Welcome Friends

All are welcome here!

Thank you for worshipping with us today!

For more information please see our website at:

<https://eheights.org> our Facebook page at:

<https://www.facebook.com/evangelheightsumc/>

This Week at EHUMC

Sunday, March 17, 2024

9:30 am | Worship Service (*Sanctuary*)

11:00 am | Confirmation

11:00 am | Sunday School (*Various Rooms*)

Monday, March 18, 2024

6:00 pm | Finance Committee (*Zoom*)

Tuesday, March 19, 2024

11:30 am | Intercessory Prayer (*Lounge*)

6:30 pm | Church Council (*Zoom*)

Wednesday, March 20, 2024

6:00 pm | Trustees (*Room 13*)

Thursday, March 21, 2024

6:30 pm | Bells Rehearsal

7:30 pm | Choir Rehearsal

See our website for the complete calendar.

March Coin Offering VBS & SOS

Dismantling Racism

Where and how have you witnessed acts of racism?

What was your response?

Last Week's Worship Service:

We are so glad to celebrate with 55 people in-person worship and 25 people online.

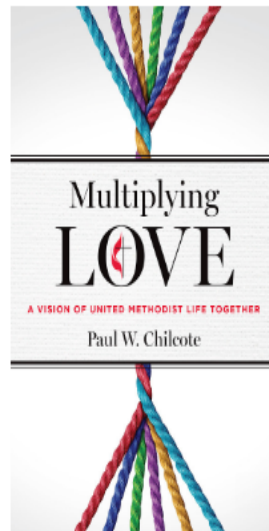
Prayer List

- **Pastor Michelle and Family**
- **Pam B.** - prayers for recovery healing and peace for a slight stroke
- **Dennis D.** - Prayers for pain management.
- **Barbara W.** Prayers for her mother.
- **Audrey F.** - Prayers for healing and comfort for a broken hip.
- **Kevin J.** (*Nephew of Jack & Gail H.*)
- **Jack H.** - Prayers for successful eye surgery and recovery.
- **Stephanie L.** (*Daughter of Jack & Gail H.*) - Preparing for thyroid surgery.
- **Patrick C.** - prayers for health issues.

See our website for the complete list.



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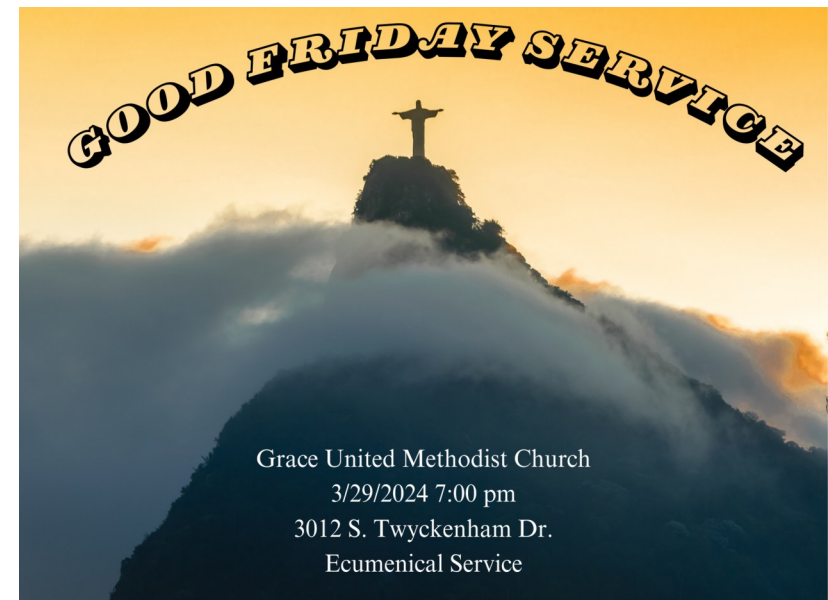


Beginning March 3, Bishop Trimble will be leading a study on the book *Multiplying Love* on Sunday nights from 6:00-7:00 p.m. (ET). The study is held via Zoom, but you must register to attend. What a wonderful way for Indiana United Methodists to join together in study and connection during the season of Lent. You do not have to purchase the book or attend each week; the purpose is to gather and learn with Bishop Trimble.

Opportunities to Serve.

The use of your talents and skills will help to bring about transformation in the lives of others. Prayerfully consider offering your talents and skills to one or more of the following areas:

- a) Teaching (grades 3-6; 7-8, High School and Young Adult)
- b) The Nurture Committee
- c) Worship Design Team
- d) Assist others with their phone, iPad, or computer
- e) Volunteer to present the Children's Message



Grace United Methodist Church
3/29/2024 7:00 pm
3012 S. Twyckenham Dr.
Ecumenical Service

Happy Birthday!



3/18 Morgan
3/18 Zee
3/20 Dennis
3/20 Anders

Serving Him! Prayers & Liturgy

3/17 Nan H.
3/24 Jill S.
3/31 Penny K.

Greeters

3/17 Tina & Rhett H.
3/24 Marilyn M. & Jo H.
3/31 Donna H. & Sande S.