

11:00 a.m. Service

The Work of the People for March 26, 2023

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Gathering For Praise

Choral Call to Worship	'Holy God'	Chancel Choir
Hymn of Praise	'Praise to the Lord, the Almighty'	UMH 139
Psalter	Psalms 31	UMH 764 Response 1
Welcome & Announcements		
Sacrament of Baptism	Emma Hayes McAda	UMH 33
Baptismal Song	'God Claims You'	TFWS 2249
Anthem	'And the Crowd Cried Out'	Jay Althouse
Children's Discipleship Moment		Rebecca Tompkins

Hearing God's Word

Scripture Reading	Luke 17: 11-19 (Common English)	Lisanne Cisson
Hymn of Preparation	'Give Thanks'	TFWS 2036
Series	<i>WALK</i>	
Sermon	'Walk Like a Samaritan'	

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UMH: United Methodist Hymnal

TFWS: The Faith We Sing Hymnal

Choir Director Jann Howell

Pianist Debra Lusk

Responding to God's Word

Kyrie Eleison

UMH 484

Prayer of Confession

Lord, we confess our day to day failure to be truly human.

We confess that we often fail to love with all we have and are, often because we do not fully understand what loving means, often because we are afraid of risking ourselves.

Lord, we cut ourselves off from each other and we erect barriers of division.

We confess that by silence and ill-considered word we have built up walls of prejudice.

We confess that by selfishness and lack of sympathy we have stifled generosity and left little time for others.

Holy Spirit, speak to us.

Help us listen to your word of forgiveness, for we are very deaf.

Come, fill this moment and free us from sin. Amen

Kyrie Eleison

UMH 484

Offertory

Doxology

UMH 95

Invitation to Christian Discipleship

Going Forth to Serve God's World

Hymn of Sending

'An Outcast Among Outcasts'

TFWS 2104

Sending Forth

From where we are to where you need us,

Jesus, now lead on!

From the security of what we know to the adventure of what you will reveal,

Jesus, now lead on!

To refashion the fabric of this world until it resembles the shape of your kingdom,

Jesus, now lead on!

(adapted from Wild Goose Resource Group)

Worshiping here for the first time?

Stop by one of our Hospitality Stations on your way out of the sanctuary for a welcome bag and a greeting from one of our Hospitality Team members.

Stewardship Report

One Fund Monthly Goal 2023	\$43,620	Date	Online	In-Person	Sunday school
		3.05	83	200	88
One Fund Actual MTD	\$24,747	3.12	101	201	78
		3.19	TBD	186	84
Deposits week ended	\$9,323				

Building Project Fund as of February
\$1,322,081

Thank you!

E-giving available at trmethodist.net or scan QR code —>

Text-to-Give: text the amount you wish to give to (833) 948-2135, wait for response to guide you through the process.



Prayer

HOMEBOUND

George Adamson
James White
Dee Hughes
Pam Miller
Patrick O'Dell
Reggy O'Dell
Frances Lockaby
Barbara Floyd
Martha Foster
Mary Greene

TRUMC

Fred Dyal
Myra Robitalle
Richard Goodall
Ron Parker

FRIENDS

Jennifer Morgan
Joey Smith
Brynley Woods and family
Alice, Sister of George Adamson

Submit a prayer request to our Prayer Team:

prayer@trmethodist.net

(Please indicate if you would like it to be on the church-wide list or just for the team)

Pray for Peace in Ukraine and for all affected by the war



TRUMC is a Stephen Ministry Congregation. If you could benefit from having a Stephen Minister, please contact Patti Crenshaw (864)380-8421 or Dave McAda (864)380-5867

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'Goodness of God'

Jenn Johnson, Ben Fielding, et al

Doxology

UMH 95

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Song of Sending

'Your Grace is Enough'

M. Maher

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TRAIL GUIDE

Sunday, March 26, 2023

Series: *WALK*

Sermon: 'Walk Like a Samaritan'

Scripture: Luke 17:11-19 (CEB)

11 On the way to Jerusalem, Jesus traveled along the border between Samaria and Galilee. 12 As he entered a village, ten men with skin diseases approached him. Keeping their distance from him, 13 they raised their voices and said, "Jesus, Master, show us mercy!"

14 When Jesus saw them, he said, "Go, show yourselves to the priests." As they left, they were cleansed. 15 One of them, when he saw that he had been healed, returned and praised God with a loud voice. 16 He fell on his face at Jesus' feet and thanked him. He was a Samaritan.

17 Jesus replied, "Weren't ten cleansed? Where are the other nine? 18 No one returned to praise God except this foreigner?" 19 Then Jesus said to him, "Get up and go. Your faith has healed you."

Thy Word is a lamp unto my feet. And a light unto my path.

Trail Blazes (thoughts and ideas to guide you)

Next Steps for the Journey

Read Luke for Lent: Luke chapters 17-19

'We don't turn around to get God to love us, but because God loves us.' Discuss.

Why do we forget to be thankful to Jesus? How do you remember to thank him?

This Week's Walk

Go on a *'ThankYouThankYouThankYou'* Walk. Offer thanks to Jesus for something different for each step you take.

Retracing Your Steps: 'I've done this a few times with lost things. Conviction. Hope. A sense of God's goodness or nearness. Where did I last see it? I retrace my steps. I return along the route I've come until I get back to that place where I first came into the light. Is there anything you've lost along the way? Name it. Try to recall where you last saw it. Then walk backward until you find it.' (Mark Buchanan, *God Walk*, Chap 4)

Travelers Rest

United Methodist Church



*The Church on the Trail
Walking with Christ,
Serving God,
Changing Lives.*

March 26, 2023

5th Sunday in Lent

TRUMC

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8:45 a.m. Service

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Gathering For Praise

Song of Praise 'Always' B. Glover, C. Tomlin, et al

Psalter Psalm 31 Rev. Christine Matthews

Welcome & Announcements

Children's Discipleship Moment Jann Howell

Hearing God's Word

Scripture Reading Luke 17: 11-19 Donna Koegler

Song of Preparation 'Kindness' C. Tomlin

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Psalm 100 Band Director: Bryan Catron

Upcoming Events and Announcements

For full events schedule, see the monthly *Pew & Pulpit* Newsletter (paper or online)

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Help Lead Worship

Acolytes/Bible Bearers; Children's Moments; Scripture Readers; Greeters/Ushers:

Sign up online www.trmethodist.net/online-sign-ups

Lenten Studies

'It Is Solved by Walking' Sessions:

Tuesday, 3/28, 6:30pm in the Parlor with Pastor Jonathan

Thursday, 3/30, 12:30pm in the Parlor with Pastor Christine

'The Way' by Adam Hamilton, Tuesdays, 10am at the Woodlands, led by Linda Anderson

Lenten Prayer

Our Prayer Team offers Prayer Services each Wednesday in March, 11am-11:45am.

This Wednesday, in the Sanctuary, join us for our final session. We know Jesus's walk from the garden to death on the cross is filled with suffering and confusion.

Come and walk with us as we guide you in prayer using the Stations of the Cross.

Plan Ahead for Holy Week

Palm Sunday, April 2nd: Children's Palm Procession and TRUMPETS Children's Choir at both services; Children's Easter Egg Hunt at 10am (donate pre-filled easter eggs)

Stations of the Cross: Sanctuary open Monday-Friday of Holy Week, 8am-6pm, for self-guided walk with Jesus through Scripture and prayer

Maundy Thursday, April 6th: Worship Service of Communion with New St Luke UMC, 6pm (Here at TRUMC)

Good Friday, April 7th: Worship Service at New St Luke UMC, 6pm (250 Pine Log Ford Rd, Travelers Rest)

Easter Sunday, April 9th:
Sunrise Service with Communion at 7am
Worship Services at 8:45am & 11am
Bring flowers for the Living Cross