

WE GATHER IN THE PRESENCE OF GOD'S LOVE

PRELUDE

GREETING (DEUTERONOMY 8:1-3)

"This entire commandment that I command you today you must diligently observe, so that you may live and increase, and go in and occupy the land that the Lord promised on oath to your ancestors. Remember the long way that the Lord your God has led you these forty years in the wilderness, in order to humble you, testing you to know what was in your heart, whether or not you would keep his commandments. He humbled you by letting you hunger, then by feeding you with manna, with which neither you nor your ancestors were acquainted, in order to make you understand that one does not live by bread alone, but by every word that comes from the mouth of the Lord."

WELCOME

OPENING PRAYER

Lyn Palmer

✦CALL TO WORSHIP (PSALM 105:40-43)

Leader: They asked, and God brought quails, and gave them food from heaven in abundance.

People: God opened the rock, and water gushed out; it flowed through the desert like a river.

Leader: For God remembered his holy promise, and Abraham, his servant.

People: So God brought his people out with joy, his chosen ones with singing.

✦SONG OF PRAISE

HYMN # 706 – *I COME WITH JOY*

CALL TO CONFESSION (1 CORINTHIANS 11:27-28)

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Holy God, you call us to live in love. Help us to examine our lives and our actions. As we contemplate our days, reveal to us moments of selfishness and patterns of sin that we need to address. Forgive us, Lord, for the things that we have done and for the things that we have left undone. Help us to amend our ways. Change our hearts and restore us into the joy of your salvation. Hear now our silent prayers of confession...

PROCLAMATION OF GRACE (MATTHEW 26:26-28)

✦SONG OF GRACE

JESUS MESSIAH, w/m by Carson, Tomlin, Cash, and Reeves

✦PASSING OF THE PEACE

"May the peace of Christ be with you....And, also with you"

At this time, the congregation may greet each other with peace.

WE PROCLAIM GOD'S LOVE

SCRIPTURE READING

ISAIAH 25:6-10a

Gary Grimes

Leader: Blessed are those who hear and keep what is written, in the light of Jesus, the Word made flesh.

People: Thanks be to God.

✦SONG OF FAITH

I LIFT MY EYES UP, w/m by Brian Doerksen

SCRIPTURE READING

JOHN 6:1-14

SERIES: SEVEN SIGNS IN THE GOSPEL OF JOHN

SERMON

"FEEDING THE MULTITUDES"

Rev. Dr. Brad Busiek

WE EMBRACE GOD'S LOVE

OFFERING

GIVE ME JESUS, w/m African American Spiritual
In response to God's love, we are invited to reflect on how we might give thanks to God through the sharing of our time, talents, and treasures. (During this time, offering plates will be passed down the pews. There is no obligation to give. You may also choose to indicate your presence or desire to connect or volunteer by placing a gold connect card in the offering plate.)

THE SACRAMENT OF THE LORD'S SUPPER (See Insert)

All who trust in Jesus Christ are invited to share communion. Please come forward down the center aisle and return down the side aisles, taking the bread and cup with you to consume when you are back at your pew. (The bread is gluten-free and the cup is grape juice.)

WE ARE SENT OUT TO SHARE GOD'S LOVE IN THE WORLD

✦CHARGE AND BLESSING (REVELATION 7:15-17 AND JOHN 21:17)

✦SONG OF DEDICATION

HYMN # 698 – *LET US TALENTS AND TONGUES EMPLOY*

✦POSTLUDE

✦Those who are able, are invited to stand.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Welcome! We're glad you have joined us today and hope you feel welcomed and loved! Everyone is invited to gather in the Fellowship Hall after worship for refreshments and conversations. It's great to share stories about how God is working in our lives and community!

Are You Interested in Learning More About our Church? Church membership is a way to publicly affirm your faith in Christ and make a commitment to partner in fellowship and ministry with a local community of Christians. When you join Smith Memorial Presbyterian Church, it does not mean that you are perfect or that you understand everything about God; it means that you have a growing desire to identify yourself as a Christian. It means that you are seeking a community of faith in which your spirit can be nourished in God's love and thus be encouraged to follow Christ into the world and share that love with all. Our next membership information class will be offered after worship on Sunday, March 15.

One Great Hour of Sharing (OGHS)- Around the world, millions of people lack access to sustainable food sources, clean water, sanitation, education, and opportunity. The work supported by OGHS—disaster, hunger, poverty, climate change, and immigration/migration and refugees—serves individuals and communities in need. This work provides people with safety, sustenance, and hope. Typically received during the season of Lent, this offering helps to improve the lives of people in these challenging situations.

The Jubilant Bells Begin Rehearsals this Week. Beginning March 5, the bell choir will practice every week on Thursday evenings between 6 and 7:30 pm. If you would like to learn how to ring the bells or already know how, you are invited to join. See Michael Day with questions and for more information.

Poverty Book Club - Please read the book, *Invisible Child*, by Andrea Elliott, pg. 1-242 by March 29.

REGULAR HAPPENINGS AT SMPC (*schedule changes in italics*)

Day (next date)	Time	Event	Place	Contact
Sundays	11:45 - 12:15pm	Voice Choir Rehearsal	Sanctuary	Michael Day
2nd Sunday (3/8)	11:30 - 1:00pm	Deacon's Meeting	Upper Room	Marty Strange
2nd Sunday (3/8)	After worship	Family Funday	Fellowship Hall	Pastor Brad
Tuesdays	10:30 - 11:30am	Gentle Exercise	Fellowship Hall	Linda Murphy
Wednesdays	10:00 - 11:30am	Bible Study	Fellowship Hall	Lyn Palmer
Wednesdays	10:00 - 3:00pm	Sewing Group	Upper Room	Gayle Burke
Wednesdays	6:00 - 8:00pm	Youth Group	Church Campus	Pastor Brad
2nd Wednesday (3/11)	5:00pm	Grief Group	Quail Hollow Comm. Ctr.	Berni or Becky
3rd Wednesday (3/18)	5:30 - 6:30pm	Community Dinner	Fellowship Hall	Pastor Brad
Thursdays	10:30 - 11:30am	Gentle Exercise	Fellowship Hall	Linda Murphy
Thursdays	2:00-3:30pm	Line Dancing	Fellowship Hall	Janet Emch
2 nd /4 th Thursday (3/12)	12:00 - 2:00pm	Yarn & Thread	Fireside Room	Joyce Botsch
<i>Thursdays (Beg. 3/5)</i>	<i>6:00 - 7:30pm</i>	<i>Jubilant Bells</i>	<i>Sanctuary</i>	<i>Michael Day</i>
Fridays	9:30 - 11:30am	Food Pantry Prep	Church campus	Julie Weindel
Saturdays	10:00 - 12:30pm	Food Pantry	Church campus	Julie Weindel
3rd Saturday (3/21)	Tme Varies	Outriggers	Location Varies	Barb Lintner
Last Sunday (3/29)	9:00 - 10:00am	Poverty Book Group	Upper Room	Amy Busiek
5th Sunday (3/29)	After worship	All Church Potluck	Fellowship Hall	Janet Emch

NEXT WEEK'S (MARCH 8) SUNDAY SERVANTS

Greeters	Ian McAlevy and Jacque McAlevy	Opening Prayer	Connie Erickson
Ushers	Joyce Botsch and Pam Wetmore	Scripture Reader	Rob Pomazi
Special Helper	Steve Marker	Recorders	Leesa Pomazi and Jon Bachelder
Refreshments	2nd Week Fellowship		

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WELCOME TO SMITH MEMORIAL PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Seven Signs

IN THE GOSPEL OF JOHN



Jesus turns water into wine.
John 2:1-11

February 8



Jesus heals the official's son.
John 4:43-54

February 15



Jesus heals the paralytic.
John 5:1-15

February 22



Jesus feeds the 5,000.
John 6:5-14

March 1



Jesus walks on water.
John 6:16-21

March 8



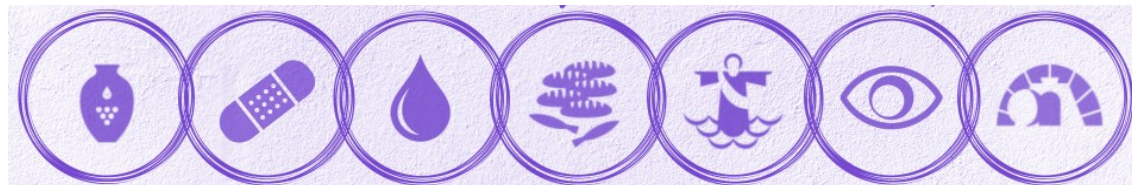
Jesus heals the man born blind.
John 9:1-41

March 15



Jesus raises Lazarus from the dead.
John 11:17-46

March 22



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INVITATION

GREAT THANKSGIVING, PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE, AND LORD'S PRAYER

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People: And also with you.

Leader: Lift up your hearts to the Lord.

People: We lift them to the Lord.

Leader: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

People: It is right to give our thanks and praise.

Leader: It is truly right and our greatest joy who forever sing to the glory of your name.

Sanctus—(Based on Psalm 118:26, Isaiah 6:3, and Revelation 4:8)



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Bless-ed is the one who comes in the name of the Lord. Ho-



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Leader: You are holy, O God of majesty ... Great is the mystery of faith.



Christ has died. Christ is ris-en. Christ will come a - gain.

Leader: Gracious God, pour out your Holy Spirit...

...in the strong name of our Lord Jesus Christ, we are bold to pray ...

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 debts, as we forgive our debtors; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory forever. Amen.

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SHARING OF THE BREAD AND CUP *BEHOLD THE LAMB*, w/m by Getty, Getty, and Townend

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

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