

ORDER OF WORSHIP

March 17, 2019

11:00 A.M.

Our Mission: *Follow Jesus, Make Disciples, Transform the World*

PRELUDE MUSIC

***TIME OF GREETING**

{Please extend a word of welcome and a hand of hospitality to each other.}

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

{Please take a moment to register your attendance on the pew pads. Your faithfulness helps us keep up with those in worship. Guests please also fill out the pew card you will find in the racks on the pews and drop them in the offering plate so that we can get to know you! Thank you for your attendance today!}

THE LIGHTING OF THE ALTAR CANDLES

CHORAL CALL TO WORSHIP “There’s Something About That Name”

***HYMN OF PRAISE #384** “Love Divine, All Loves Excelling”

***LITANY OF PRAISE** (based on Hosea 14)

Leader: Let us turn to the Lord, for we have been brought low.

People: Let us confess our wrongs and errors and ask for forgiveness.

Leader: Let us offer praises to our God because our God is the only one who can save us.

People: Only in our God is mercy found. Only in our God will healing come.

Leader: God’s love knows no bounds. God’s anger last only a moment in time.

People: God will refresh us. God will help us to grow deep and bear fruit.

Leader: God is our shade, our protection, our hope and source of life.

People: God, hear our prayers. God, you alone can answer our prayers. We call out to you and you hear us when we pray.

All: Your path Lord, is true and right. Help us to walk in your ways. Amen.

YOUNG PEOPLE’S TIME

(After the children meet up front with Pastor Kari, they may go with the leaders at the back of the sanctuary to children’s church.)

PRELUDE TO PRAYER

“I Love You Lord”

I love you Lord and I lift my voice to worship You. Oh, my soul, rejoice.

Take joy, my king, in what you hear.

May it be a sweet sweet sound in Your ear.

MORNING PRAYER

{Prayer cards are available in the pews. If you have or know of a prayer concern that needs to be brought to the pastor’s and/or congregation’s attention, please fill out the prayer card and place it in the offering plate. Prayers will be lifted up.}

THE LORD’S PRAYER

(In Unison)

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. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For Thine is the kingdom, the power and the glory, forever. Amen.

STEWARDSHIP AND OFFERTORY

Psalm 96:8-9 *Give to the Lord the glory he deserves! Bring your offering and come into his courts. ⁹Worship the Lord in all his holy splendor. Let all the earth tremble before him.*

SPECIAL MUSIC

Carol Petty

***DEDICATION OF GIFTS** Chorus of #140 Great Is Thy Faithfulness

“Great is Thy faithfulness! Great is Thy faithfulness! Morning by morning new mercies I see; All I have needed Thy hand hath provided. Great is Thy faithfulness, Lord, unto me!”

***THE OFFERTORY PRAYER**

(In Unison)

Heavenly Father, we praise you for your goodness and your faithfulness. We thank you for creating the heavens and the earth and for calling us to relationship with you. We thank you for this opportunity to worship in this place, the sanctuary, the church that you have provided for us. We praise you for calling us into fellowship with one another. You have given us this place and each other and called us to be a part of your body, the body of Jesus. Fill us with the Spirit that we will continue to spread your good news where ever we go. We worship you today with all that we have and ask that you bless these offerings we give to say thank you for your faithfulness to us. In the name of Jesus we pray, Amen.

SCRIPTURE READING

(In Unison)

Galatians 5:16-24 *So I say, let the Holy Spirit guide your lives. Then you won’t be doing what your sinful nature craves. ¹⁷The sinful nature wants to do evil, which is just the opposite of what the Spirit wants. And the Spirit gives us desires that are the opposite of what the sinful nature desires. These two forces are constantly fighting each other, so you are not free to carry out your good intentions. ¹⁸But when you are directed by the Spirit, you are not under obligation to the law of Moses. ¹⁹When you follow the desires of your sinful nature, the results are very clear: sexual immorality, impurity, lustful pleasures, ²⁰idolatry, sorcery, hostility, quarreling, jealousy, outbursts of anger, selfish ambition, dissension, division, ²¹envy, drunkenness, wild parties, and other sins like these. Let me tell you again, as I have before, that anyone living that sort of life will not inherit the Kingdom of God. ²²But the Holy Spirit produces this kind of fruit in our lives: love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, goodness, faithfulness, ²³gentleness, and self-control. There is no law against these things! ²⁴Those who belong to Christ Jesus have nailed the passions and desires of their sinful nature to his cross and crucified them there.*

SERMON

Rev. Kari L. Howard

Keep Turning But Not In Circles

Series: 40 Days

***HYMN OF DEDICATION #370**

“Victory in Jesus”

***THE BENEDICTION AND SENDING FORTH**

***RECESSIONAL** Chorus #128 “He Leadeth Me: O Blessed Thought”
“He leadeth me, he leadeth me, by his own hand he leadeth me; his faithful follower I would be, for by his hand he leadeth me.”

***POSTLUDE**

**Please stand as you are able.*

Special thanks to Carol Petty for sharing her musical gifts with us today.

MESSAGE NOTES:

Mainline: _____ is a lifestyle of _____ from and _____ with.

Through repentance we allow the Holy Spirit access to:

1. _____ our lives and _____ the _____ over _____.

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2. _____ the sinful nature and its _____.

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3. _____ fruit in _____ of Christ-like _____.

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What behavior, attitude, habit, etc. do I need to get rid of today?

What will I replace it with? _____

Church Calendar

Sunday, March 17

9:45AM Sunday School
 10:30AM Choir Warm Up
 10:55AM Starting With Prayer
 11:00AM Worship
 5:00PM-6:00PM Handbell Practice

Monday, March 18

9:30AM-11AM Care Givers Seminar Pt. 1

Tuesday, March 19

12:00PM-1:00PM Table of Grace

Wednesday, March 20

9:30AM-11AM Care Givers Seminar Pt. 2
 10:00AM Bulletin Deadline
 4:00PM - 5:00PM Choir Practice

Friday, March 22

9:30AM-11AM Care Givers Seminar Pt. 3

Starting Tomorrow!

West Bend United Methodist Church will be sponsoring a 3-part series providing information about the unique challenges of caring for someone you love with dementia.

West Bend UMC is proud to announce that they are offering three workshops providing practical information about caregiving. Part one covers useful information on how dementia can change the fundamental structure of families and give information on finding a new balance. As well as tips on different stages of the disease and common behaviors with practical solutions to navigate everyday life. Part two covers some of the toughest caregiver challenges such as delusions, anxiety, anger, repetition and wandering. Part three rounds out the series with strategies to address some of the daily care issues that can become overwhelming such as eating and dressing. The final session also covers home safety and practical tips on getting your loved one to give up the wheel.

The instructor is a NC Licensed Professional Counselor who has been educating adults for over 20 years. This series sprang from working with staff supporting an aging population in supported living settings and personal experience struggling to support & understand her Mother with dementia.

This 4.5 hour program will be held March 18, 20 and 22 from 9:30 am to 11 am at West Bend. This is a free event sponsored by West Bend UMC. Special thanks to Cyndi Reinhardt, of Brite Ideas for setting this up and presenting these presentations free of charge.

For more information about the event, contact the church office at 336 625-5025. For more information on the content, please contact Cyndi Reinhardt at Cyndireinhardt58@gmail.com or (336) 460-1740.

Next Leadership Team Meeting will be held on Monday, April 8, at 6:30 PM in the parlor.

Special Thanks To Our Worship Associates

Lector: Dave Camp
Announcements: Laurie Hunt
Musician: April Brown
Media Team: Justin Luck & Jenni May
Ushers: Debra Hill, Susann Camp, Cyndi Reinhardt, Toni Welch, Reagan Hill
Children's Church: Debra Hill, Lora Hill, Amanda Jones
Communion Stewards: Gloria Johnson, Holly Delk, Doris Davidson, Susie Lowe
Opening & Closing & Trash Detail: Bill Burrow
CUOC Deliveries: Cindy Ingold

Sign Up Sheets are on the bulletin board in the back of the sanctuary.

PRAYER REQUESTS

Lives at Home
 Vickie Freeman

Assisted & Skilled Living
 Daffie Branson - Clapp's
 Bernice Dwiggin - Somerset, Mocksville
 Ruby Howard - Clapp's
 Elizabeth Howell - North Pointe
 Angie Isenhour - North Pointe
 Rene Overton - Cross Roads
 Kim Shaw - Woodland Hills
 Ramona Shephard - Carillon
 Joe Thomas - Cross Roads

Christian Sympathy is extended to:
 Larry Davis' Family (Rita & Richard Lanier's brother-in-law)
 Betty Hewitte's Family (Ellen Vaughn's mother)

Our Military
 Kasey Ingold Logan Morris

Others
 Our Church Revival Our Country Unchurched

Prayer requests will be left on for 2 weeks unless specified for a longer time.

Community Needs
 CUOC: Canned Carrots
 Hospice: Snacks, Travel Size Toiletries
 Lions Club: Used Eyeglasses

Praying for Revival To Come Like Rain to the Parched Earth

"Shower, O heavens, from above, and let the clouds rain down righteousness; let the earth open, that salvation and righteousness may bear fruit; let the earth cause them both to sprout; I the LORD have created it" (Isaiah 45:8).

With all the rain we have had lately, this scripture reminded me that we should ask God to pour out a spiritual rain, a REVIVAL on us like the water that has been pouring out from the heavens to the earth. Here's a prayer based on Isaiah 45:8:

Lord, open up your stores of righteousness and rain it down on us that revival might come to our souls and spill out on our community. Help us to receive your salvation and restoration like the dry earth soaks up the rain that we might bear new fruit for You. You alone God are the creator and the redeemer and sustainer of all life and we need the filling of your Holy Spirit in this time. Shower down on us your goodness, Lord. We are waiting to receive. In Jesus' Name. Amen.

If you need assistance hearing during our worship service, please see the sound tech in the back of the church before worship.

We have ear buds you can use during worship!

Welcome Guests!

We would like to extend a warm West Bend welcome to our visitors today. We hope you will plan to worship with us again and consider joining our church family.

The Nursery and restrooms are located through the double doors up the steps behind the sanctuary and the handicap restroom is through the double doors in the chapel.

Please feel free to join in any of our ministries. If you have any questions about the church, the pastor's e-mail address and phone number are located in the staff section.

We are a community in which questions are welcome, the dress code is whatever you have on, and the grace of God revealed in Jesus matters above all else.

Ministry Staff

Ministers	Every Member
Pastor	Rev. Kari L. Howard
Worship & Music Leader	Ms. Zoe Faircloth
Office Manager	Mrs. Debra Y. Rogers
Lay Leader	Mrs. Laurie Hunt
Janitor	Mr. Tim Burrow

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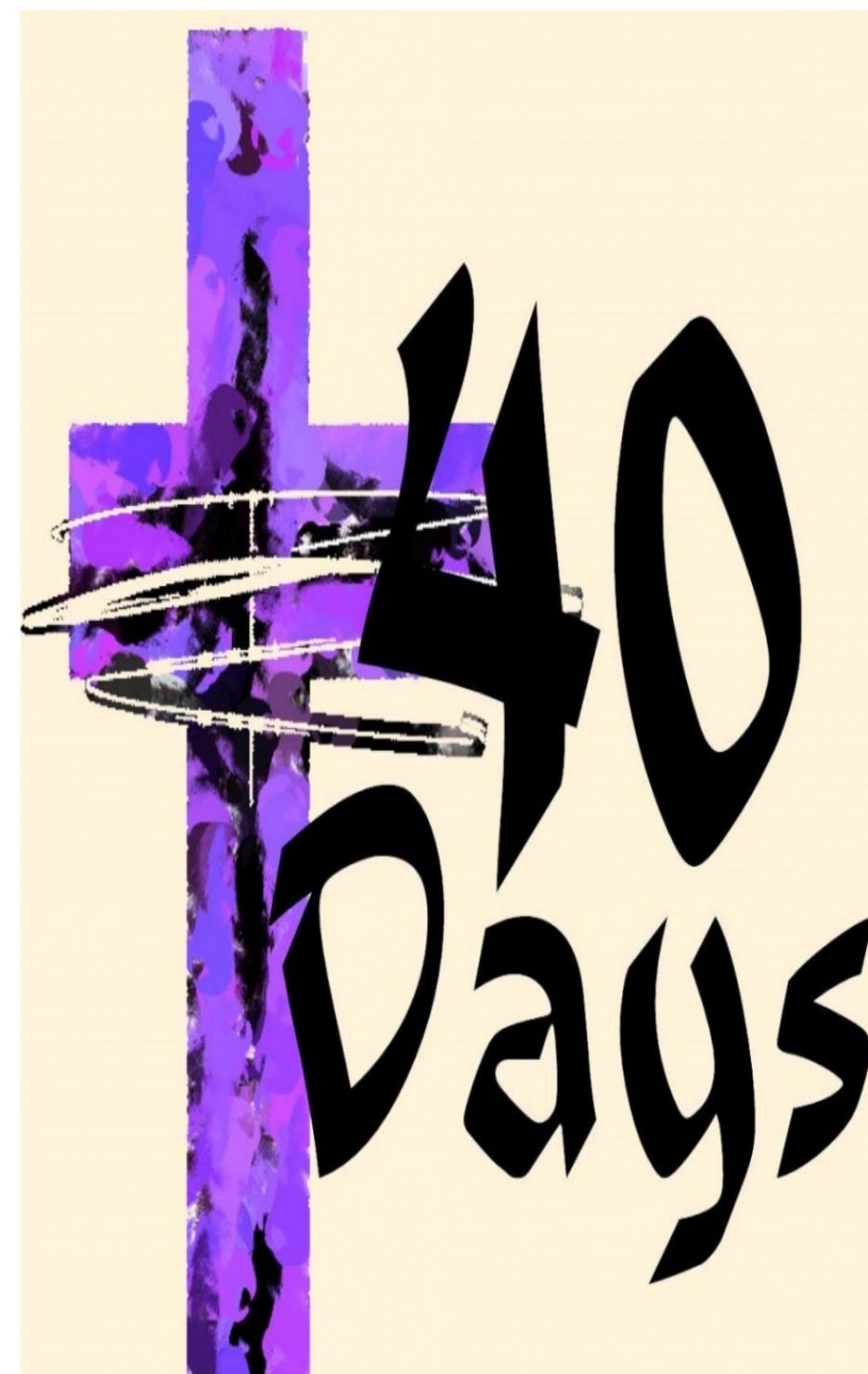
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Welcome to the world little, Levi Morris! Born on March 10, Weighing in at 9 lbs. 5 oz., & 21 in. long. Parents are Logan & Kristin Morris. Big sister is Lily Morris. Grandparents are Mike & Cindy Ingold. Great Grandparents are Carol Petty & Ramona Shephard. May God continue to bless you through this child.



Baked Potato & Salad Lunch Sunday, April 7th, 12 PM

Come to church and plan on staying for this wonderful free lunch provided by WinGs and enjoy our fellowship together.

Weekly Stewardship Update

Offerings Needed To Date \$25,100
 Offerings Received To Date \$20,475
 -\$ 4,625

Received Last Week: \$2,025
 Offering Needed Each Week: \$2,510
 Thank you for your gifts.