

This Week and Beyond

Sunday, March 8

8:45 am	Contemporary Worship
10:00 am	Sunday School
11:00 am	Traditional Worship
5:30 pm	Meal for Confirmation Class
6:00 pm	Confirmation Class

Tuesday, March 10

11:00 am	Lent Bible Study
6:00 pm	Lent Bible Study

Wednesday, March 11

10:00 am	United Methodist Women Meeting
5:30 pm	Children's Fellowship
6:30 pm	Praise Band Rehearsal
7:30 pm	Chancel Choir Rehearsal

Sunday, March 15 - UMCOR Sunday

8:45 am	Contemporary Worship
10:00 am	Sunday School
11:00 am	Traditional Worship
5:30 pm	Meal for Confirmation Class
6:00 pm	Confirmation Class

In Our Thoughts and Prayers

- Ruby Spearman
- Caron Cannon
- Jean Carey
- Frances Downie
- Jim Ruud
- Family of Buddy Dallas
- Clarice Bobo
- Brad McKee
- Cliff Edwards, Relative of Meg Edwards
- Melanie Shepard, Mother of Gary Mathis
- Priscilla Bridges, Cousin of Diane Greer
- Louise Bradley, Mother of Robert Bradley
- Ben Barnett, Former Pastor of EFUMC
- Richard Savory, Son-in-law of Char Fetterly
- Chris Maier, Brother of Rob Maier
- Carolyn Eppard, Mother of Markley Hidde
- Lisa Cassell, Sister-in-law of Joe and Phyllis Venable
- Paul Nathan Davis, Friend of Alison Hood
- Our Church

Our Stewardship as of 03/04/26

Offering week of 03/01/26	\$12,091
Weekly need to meet 2026 budget	\$10,887
Balance in General Fund	\$23,806
Estimated expenses for 03/11/26	\$11,684
Reserve Fund	\$6,903
2026 Apportionment Paid	\$0
2026 Received for Budget	\$100,496
2026 Expenses paid (including mortgage principal)	\$93,338
2026 Budget	\$566,169

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Pastor Michael Hood



March 8, 2026 | Third Sunday in Lent

CONTEMPORARY WORSHIP | 8:45 AM

*Opening Song	“House Of The Lord” Phil Wickham, Jonathan Smith	Praise Team
Welcome and Announcements		Rhett Bush
Scripture Reading	Exodus 17:1-7 Pew Bible Page 49	Jo Hood
*Song of Praise	“Be Thou My Vision” Eleanor Henrietta Hull, Mary Elizabeth Byrne	Praise Team
Silent Witness: Rooster		Denise Kellers
Children’s Sermon		Pastor Matthew
Pastoral Prayer with the Lord’s Prayer		Pastor Michael
*Gospel Reading	John 4:5-42 Pew Bible Page 72	Pastor Michael
Sermon		
Song of Reflection	“All Who Are Thirsty” Brenton Brown, Glenn Robertson	Praise Team
A Service of Holy Communion	“The Great Thanksgiving and The Lord’s Prayer”	Hymnal Page 13
*Closing Song	“King Of My Heart” John Mark McMillan, Sarah McMillan	Praise Team
*Benediction		Pastor Michael

**Those who are able may stand.*

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

TRADITIONAL WORSHIP | 11:00 AM

Pre-Service Music	“Pass It On” Kurt Kaiser/Arr. Mark Hayes “I Love to Tell the Story” William Fischer/Arr. John Leavitt	Ralph Boggess
Ringing of the Bell Tower Bell		Ushers
Welcome and Announcements		Pastor Michael
Prelude	“When I Survey the Wondrous Cross” Lowell Mason/Arr. Dan Forrest	Ralph Boggess
Call to Worship	“Fill My Cup, Lord” Richard Blanchard	Chancel Choir Mike Lawson, Bass
*Hymn	“Glorious Things of Thee Are Spoken”	Hymnal Number 731
Scripture Reading	Exodus 17:1-7 Pew Bible Page 49	Buddy Jordan
Silent Witness: Rooster		Jim Blalock
Children’s Sermon		Pastor Matthew
Anthem	“The Cross” Craig Courtney	Chancel Choir
Pastoral Prayer with The Lord’s Prayer		Pastor Michael
*Hymn	“Jesus Is All the World to Me”	Hymnal Number 469
*Apostles’ Creed		Hymnal Number 881
*Gospel Reading	John 4:5-42 Pew Bible Page 72	Pastor Michael
Sermon		
Offertory	“Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah” John Hughes/Arr. Brian Buda	Ralph Boggess
*Doxology	“Praise God, From Whom All Blessings Flow”	Hymnal Number 95
*Hymn	“I Love to Tell the Story”	Hymnal Number 156
*Benediction		Pastor Michael
*Benediction Response	“Jesus, Name Above All Names” Naida Hearn	Chancel Choir
*Postlude	“I Love to Tell the Story” William Fischer/Arr. John Leavitt	Ralph Boggess

**Those who are able may stand.*