

March 15, 2026- Volume 6 - Edition 11

**THE NEXT TWO WEEKS**

**Saturday, March 14, 2026**

9:00 AM – Men Meet at Volcano Coffee

**Sunday, March 15, 2026**

9:30 AM – Worship, Sanctuary  
 10:00 AM – Resident Worship, Julian Estates  
 10:45 AM – Coffee Hour  
 11:05 AM – Gathering Time in the Sanctuary  
 11:15 AM – Sunday School  
 12:15 AM – Choir Rehearsal  
 1:30 PM – Resident Worship, Bonaventure  
 5:00 PM – Worship, YouTube

**Tuesday, March 17, 2026**

6:30 PM – American Heritage Girls

**Thursday, March 19, 2026**

3:15 PM – Chime Practice  
 5:00 PM –Lent Service/Soup Supper/

**Sunday, March 22, 2026**

9:30 AM – Worship, Sanctuary  
 10:00 AM – Resident Worship, Julian Estates  
 10:45 AM – Coffee Hour  
 11:05 AM – Gathering Time in the Sanctuary  
 11:15 AM – Sunday School  
 1:30 PM – Resident Worship, Bonaventure  
 5:00 PM –Worship, YouTube

**Tuesday, March 24, 2026**

6:30 PM – American Heritage Girls

**Thursday, March 26, 2026**

3:15 PM – Chime Practice  
 5:00 PM –Lent Service/Soup Supper

**Music Notes**



(See details on page 3)

**Full Lectionary for March 15, 2026;**

<b>1<sup>st</sup> Reading</b>	<b>1 Samuel 16:1-13</b>
<b>Psalm</b>	<b>Psalm 23</b>
<b>2<sup>nd</sup> Reading</b>	<b>Ephesians 5:8-14</b>
<b>Gospel</b>	<b>John 9:1-41</b>

**Full Lectionary for March 22, 2026;**

<b>1<sup>st</sup> Reading</b>	<b>Ezekiel 37:1-14</b>
<b>Psalm</b>	<b>Psalm 130</b>
<b>2<sup>nd</sup> Reading</b>	<b>Romans 8:6-11</b>
<b>Gospel</b>	<b>John 11:1-45</b>

**Fourth Sunday in Lent**

Parament Color Is **Purple**

**Fifth Sunday in Lent**

Parament Color Is **Purple**



## Happy March Birthday !!

Legacy Lundberg	3/4	David Holmes	3/19
Larry Stickney	3/4	Hal Martin	3/23
Ann Vonderau	3/15	Daryl Olson	3/30

## EASTER LILIES



Would you like to make a \$15.00 donation toward the purchase of an Easter lily in memory of, or in honor of, a loved one? Please sign-up on the table in narthex with your donation. Sign your name and the name of a loved one on the sheet and place your \$15.00 in the envelope. After the Easter service, please take the lily home to enjoy. Your donation is very much appreciated.

## WHAT'S NEW?

### NEW CHAIRS IN THE CONFERENCE ROOM AND MORE!



Thanks to the generosity of Women's Ministry, and several donors, the Building Use and Decor Committee was able to purchase new chairs for the Conference Room, Sunday School Room, and Choir Room! They are the same as the sanctuary chairs minus the book rack underneath.

### A SYMBOL OF A DOVE WAS ADDED ABOVE THE FRONT ENTRANCE!



## Music Notes



**Prelude: “He Looked Beyond My Fault and Saw My Need”**

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=slAp5Lj9cb0>

Dottie Rambo (b. March 2, 1934, d May 11, 2008), a singer/songwriter who wrote more than 2500 songs in her lifetime, wrote the words to “He Looked Beyond My Fault and Saw My Need”. The tune is the familiar Northern Irish tune Londonderry Aire (Danny Boy). This prelude is an arrangement by pianist Dino Kartsonakis.

**“Praise the Name of Jesus”** <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Kdja-1cBopM>

**“Lord of All Hopefulness”** <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=oOZqqLMA18>

"Lord of all Hopefulness" is a hymn written by English writer, Jan Struther, which was published in the enlarged edition of *Songs of Praise* (Oxford University Press) in 1931. The hymn is used in liturgy, at weddings and at the beginning of funeral services, and is one of the most popular hymns in the United Kingdom.

"Lord of all Hopefulness" is commonly set to the melody of an Irish folksong named SLANE (the same melody used by “Be Thou My Vision”. This melody is named after the Hill of Slane, the site where St. Patrick lit an Easter fire in defiance of the pagan king, Loegaire, near the village of the same name (Irish: *Baile Shláine*) in County Meath, Ireland. (from Wikipedia)

**“How Deep the Father’s Love for Us”** <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=QeUUmwZIRs>

The choir is singing “How Deep the Father’s Love for Us”. It was written by English Christian music artist, Stuart Townend. Although this was a solo effort, he has also teamed up with Northern Irishman, Keith Getty to write many contemporary Christian songs including “In Christ Alone”, the most popular song sung in U.K. churches today.

**Offertory: “Be Thou My Vision”**

“Be Thou My Vision” is an old, 8<sup>th</sup> Century Irish hymn (around the time of St. Patrick). It is most often sung to an old Irish folk tune which was only recently made into a hymn tune (SLANE) by David Evans and published in the *Church Hymnary* in 1927.

**“The King of Love My Shepherd Is”** <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=QqMHfA15i90>

“The King of Love My Shepherd Is” was written by vicar H.W. Baker, born the eldest son of an Admiral in London in 1821. He based it on the Welsh version of Psalm 23 (our lectionary Psalm this week). There are four main melodies in use. The melody we are using today is ST. COLUMBIA, an Irish tune. However, one of the other popular melodies is DOMINUS REGIT ME, written by his friend and contemporary, John Bacchaus Dykes, who we met last week in this space.

**“Bring Back the Springtime”** <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=HFImNOKoA6Y>

**PRAYER ROOM**

“Is anyone among you suffering? Let him pray. Is anyone cheerful? Let him sing praise.”  
James 3:18 (ESV)

*Watch over those who put themselves in harm’s way to protect us and grant peace of mind to the families who love and miss them. We praise you for continuing to protect:*

Josh Jepsen, USAF Utah  
Elijah Lundberg, USMC Yuma, AZ

Owen Daubenspeck, USAF Spokane (Owen)

*Comfort those who are bereaved, having lost loved ones recently:*

Lorraine Stargel and the Lawrence family on the passing of her brother, Gene Lawrence

*Relieve pain for all who suffer in any way and restore them to good health of body, mind, and spirit. Encourage them and strengthen their caregivers:*

Maurice Hedlund  
**Hal Martin**  
**Jothi Holmes**  
Jeff Brennan  
Bill Marsh  
Debbi Zavadil  
Duane Claiborne  
**Kitty Jepsen**

Darlene Luberts  
Carolyn Martin  
**Larry Stickney**  
**Carol Brennan**  
Yvonne Olson  
Wallace Duggan  
Lori Schmidt  
Lena Duggan

Terry (and caregiver Ron)  
Cheryl Hedlund’s aunt, Sue  
David Martin (son of Bob and Nancy Martin)  
Sue Doll (sister-in-law of Duane & Valerie)  
Johnny Beck (son of Sharlene Parker and brother of Toni Sherman)

**Shana Carlson**

Amy Cruver  
**Roger Lawrence**

**Tina** (daughter of Judy Williams)  
**Julie Mendoza** (Heidi Sturdivant)

*Grant discernment, wisdom, and courage to leaders within the church and world. Raise servants to accomplish Your will. May Your will be evident in all decisions and actions.*

Living Word Members  
Victims of War in Ukraine and Israel/Middle East

Living Word Leaders

Persecuted Christians  
Elected Government Officials

*Prayer and praise for healing and continued recovery:*

Bonnie Socey

Jan Williams (sister in law of Judy Williams)

*Thank you, LORD, for hearing and answering our prayers – even when you do so differently than we would prefer. We pray in the holy and mighty name of Jesus, our LORD. Amen*

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**Names in Bold are new additions. Please let the office know if you wish your request to remain on the list. Otherwise, requests are removed after a month.**

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