

Gathering & Welcoming God's Presence

Prelude

Jean Okuye

GREETINGS

Julie Minabe

ANNOUNCEMENTS

1. *Lent Study on Wednesdays 2/21 – 3/27 @6:00pm on 40*
2. *Days in Community by Rick Warren DVD/study guide*
3. *Holy Maundy Thursday Seder Meal Service 3/28 @5:00pm*
3. *Good Friday 3/29—7 Prayer Stations of the Cross @ 10am-1:00pm*
4. *Easter Sunday 3/31 – Children Easter Eggs Hunting, Bring Lilies in memories of a loved ones – Friends Sunday! Bring a Friend – Pot Luck!*
5. Covenant meetings on Wednesdays @10am—in person or via zoom begin (2/7/24)
6. Youth and children ministry Fridays @7pm
7. For those who are interested, the “One Bible in 365 Days” daily Bible reading schedule for the rest of the year is on the back of this bulletin.
8. Kari office hours 12:30-2:30pm M-F
9. Adult Bible Studies -- Sundays @9:30am
10. Zoom Bible Study –with Lucy Kishaba Thursday@1:00 pm starts in February

OPENING PRAYER: God of majesty, Christ of humility, Spirit of unanimity, no one can boast in your presence. We may not be wise by human standards, powerful in society, or noble in birthright, but we come to you in Christ, who is our wisdom, our virtue, our Redeemer, who alone is our boast. Amen.

CALL TO WORSHIP

Leader: The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ be with you all.

All: **And also with you.**

Leader: God calls us to faith in the Christ nailed to the cross, as wisdom wiser than ours and power stronger than ours.

All: **We hear God’s call to the teaching and example of Jesus.**

OPENING HYMN: “My Jesus, I Love Thee” v. 1-3

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LUMC’s Vision Statement:

“Show God’s love by accepting, supporting, and serving all people.” Matthew

25-35 36 40

TIME TO SHARE OUR JOY AND CONCERN

PASTORAL PRAYER Pastor Kalo

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, and the power, and the glory, forever and ever. Amen.

OFFERING

DOXOLOGY

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OFFERTORY PRAYER

SPECIAL MUSIC/UKULELE BAND

Children Ministry

Reflection hymn: “Seek Ye First” v 1,2

UMH# 405

JOHN 2:13-22

SCRIPTURE

SERMON: “Jesus Cleanses our Lives at all Times”

Pastor Kalo

HOLY COMMUNION

UMH#964

***CLOSING HYMN** “Amazing Grace” v.1,2,6 **UMH#378**

***BENEDICTION:**

***POSTLUDE**

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SCRIPTURE READING JOHN 2:13-22

¹³ When it was almost time for the Jewish Passover, Jesus went up to Jerusalem. ¹⁴ In the temple courts he found people selling cattle, sheep and doves, and others sitting at tables exchanging money. ¹⁵ So he made a whip out of cords, and drove all from the temple courts, both sheep and cattle; he scattered the coins of the money changers and overturned their tables. ¹⁶ To those who sold doves he said, “Get these out of here! Stop turning my Father’s house into a market!” ¹⁷ His disciples remembered that it is written: “Zeal for your house will consume me.”^{1a}

¹⁸ The Jews then responded to him, “What sign can you show us to prove your authority to do all this?” ¹⁹ Jesus answered them, “Destroy this temple, and I will raise it again in three days.” ²⁰ They replied, “It has taken forty-six years to build this temple, and you are going to raise it in three days?” ²¹ But the temple he had spoken of was his body. ²² After he was raised from the dead, his disciples recalled what he had said. Then they believed the scripture and the words that Jesus had spoken.

Reader: This is the Word of God **Congregation:** Thanks be to God



3rd Sunday in Lent

March 03, 2024

Sunday Worship 10:30 am

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<u>Mar.03</u>	<u>Ps. 50</u>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<u>Mar. 04</u>	<u>Deut. 10:12-22</u>
<u>Mar.05</u>	<u>Hosea 6:1-6</u>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<u>Mar.06</u>	<u>Zech. 7:8-14</u>
<u>Mar.07</u>	<u>Matt. 9:10-13</u>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<u>Mar.08</u>	<u>Matt. 12:1-7</u>
<u>Mar.09</u>	<u>Matt. 6:1-8</u>	<input type="checkbox"/>		