

CHURCH OF THE SAVIOUR

United Methodist

Bringing New Life to Greater Heights



February 23, 2020

8:30 a.m., Myers Chapel

Rev. Andy Call, Lead Pastor
Rev. Gregory Kendrick, Jr., Pastor of Connections
Rev. Lois Annich, Pastor of Care Ministries
Rev. Amanda Moseng, Pastor of Discipleship

ORDER OF WORSHIP

MYERS CHAPEL

8:30 a.m.

OPENING TO GOD

WELCOME

Vince Holland

PRELUDE

Adagio

David Hegarty

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All: Let us worship God.

*HYMN OF PRAISE #162

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for not giving our time, our resources, and our love to your people in need.

Forgive us for judging others when we do not know what they are going through;

help us to offer grace even when we feel wronged.

We confess these sins knowing that Jesus died on the cross for us.

Allow us to come closer to you and live an abundant and fulfilling life.

(Silence is kept.)

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Leader: In the name of Jesus Christ, you are forgiven.

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*PASSING OF THE PEACE (Share signs of reconciliation with each other.)

HEARING GOD'S WORD

MINISTRY OF MUSIC

Barcarolle
Jacques Offenbach

Nora Lee Reinhardt, Harpist

*THE GOSPEL LESSON *Matthew 6:14-15; 7:1-5* (CEB) Jes Cunion
Leader: Thank you, God, for the gift of scripture. **People: Thanks be to God.**

HYMN OF PREPARATION #400 *Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing* (verse 1)

MESSAGE Eliot Call

Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing (verse 2)

MESSAGE Derek Yost

Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing (verse 3)

MESSAGE Lillian Kiefer

OFFERING OUR LIVES IN DISCIPLESHIP

HYMN OF REFLECTION #378 *Amazing Grace*

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE & THE LORD'S PRAYER (#895) Alaire Bang

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Offertory

*The Doxology (#95) & Prayer of Dedication Ian Hunter

*HYMN OF DISCIPLESHIP #670 *Go Forth for God*

*BENEDICTION Leslie Yost

*POSTLUDE *Classical Postlude* James Denton

*The people may stand.

YOUTH PARTICIPANTS

Greeters: Alaire Bang, Michael Duncan, Ian Hunter, Lukas Verhage, Jacob Wackers, Riley Walker, Xander Walker

Ushers: Kai Culbertson, Elliot Ganning

Hymn Selection: Emma Bocks, Ian Hunter

Call to Worship written by: Marcus Holland

Prayer of Confession written by: Isabella Stahl & Henry York

Prayers of the People written by: Emma Bocks & Alaire Bang

Prayer of Dedication written by: Ian Hunter & Colin Richard

Benediction written by: Emilie Lewis & Leslie Yost

Director of Music: David Gilson

Organist: Robert Day

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WORSHIP

Welcome		Emilie Lewis
Opening Praise		Worship Band
	<i>How Can I Give You Thanks</i> Mark Patterson	Vivace & Carol Choirs
Scripture	<i>Matthew 6:14-15, 7:1-5</i> (CEB)	Jes Cunion
Messages		Wes Call Lucy Campbell Tom Barr
Music for Reflection	<i>Thy Word</i> Amy Grant & Michael W. Smith; arr. Geschke	Celebration Ringers
Prayer		Alaire Bang
Offering & Announcements		Vince Holland
Closing Blessing		Leslie Yost

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Be sure to stop in the Parlor this morning:

- Learn ways you can help serve our church members who will be participating in **Kairos** #37 at Trumbull Correctional Institution on March 19 – 22.
- View the photo exhibit from award-winning photographer **Stephen Bivens**.
- Find out more information about upcoming group studies during Lent.

Ash Wednesday services will be held on February 26 at noon in Myers Chapel and 7 p.m. in the Sanctuary. We will receive ashes in the shape of a cross on our foreheads/hands and celebrate Holy Communion.

Young adults (20 - 30s) are having a **Mardi Gras Party** on Tuesday, February 25 starting at 6 p.m. at Andrew Cochran's house: 3103 Washington Blvd, Cleveland Heights. For information on what to bring, contact Sarah Modlin at Semodlin@email.wm.edu or 216-374-8303. We would love to see new faces! No reservation required.

On Tuesday, February 25 please join **Edna Rhodes Circle** for the presentation by Kevin Schaner on "Mayan Methodist Circles in Guatemala." We will meet in the Parlor at 12:30 p.m. for a brown bag lunch. Dessert and beverage will be provided. Kindly RSVP to Geneva Willis, the church office, or on the friendship pads.

Would you enjoy eating homemade bundt cake and drinking fresh hot coffee while discussing the Lenten theme book, "Life of the Beloved?" Then come and share these activities with the **Spiritual Fitness Group** in Room 121 at 8:15 a.m. every Saturday, starting February 29. Contact Art Varnes at 216-921-7457.

Lenten Midday Prayer & Eucharist: Sometimes we arrive at the middle of our week and need centering. Join us for about 30 minutes on Wednesdays, March 4 – April 8, at 12:05 p.m. in Myers Chapel for prayer, music, and Holy Communion.

Soul Shop: A Workshop for Congregations (*Ministering to Suicidal Desperation*) - Have you wondered how to build faith communities able to engage in safe conversations about suicide? Former member, Rev. Robin Craig, leads this workshop for congregational members, staff, ministry teams, and volunteers of ALL ages on Sat., March 7 from 9 a.m. – noon in Calvary Hall. Register in the office or on our website by March 5.

Thursday Night Fellowship Dinner (6:15 - 6:45 p.m. in Calvary Hall) Join your fellow COTS members and friends for a Community Dinner on Thursdays. Delicious food will be available for a \$5 at-will/able offering. Contact Laura Moseley, Director of Children's Ministries, at lmoseley@cotsumc.org for information.

Please join us in the Parlor after worship for a time of fellowship and refreshments, hosted by the Kingsley Class.

Mark your calendars:

- Sunday, March 8: *Discover COTS* (brief, informal meet-and-greet for those interested in church membership) at 10:30 a.m. in the back of the Great Hall and at noon in Room 100.
- Tuesday, March 10: **UMW Fellowship & Hands-On Mission Work Day**, anytime from 10 a.m.– 3 p.m. in Calvary Hall.

WORSHIP SERVICES

Ash Wednesday, February 26

Noon, Myers Chapel

7 p.m., Sanctuary

NEW SERMON SERIES: Virtues & Vices

Sunday, March 1

8:30 Myers Chapel, 9:30 Great Hall, 11:00 Sanctuary

Temperance/Gluttony (*Galatians 5:16-25*)

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Accompanist: Don Katt

Director of Celebration Ringers: Daran Kiefer

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Chaz Cotton, Creative Director | Jill Phillips, Worship Leader | Graham Rosen, Production Team Leader

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