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8:00 am - 11:00 am, Sunday: 1 hour

Custodian: Steve Harrell

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Upcoming Events:

TODAY:	03/10	09:30 am 10:30 am Following Worship NOON	Coffee Hour Worship Homebound Communion Bible Study - Library
MONDAY:	03/11	06:00 pm	Disciples Women's Fellowship
WEDNESDAY:	03/13	12:00 pm	Lenten Lunch – St. Vincent de Paul
SATURDAY:	03/16	10:00 am	Easter Egg Hunt - Church
SUNDAY:	03/17	09:30 am 10:30 am 04:00 pm	Coffee Hour Worship Bible Study - Library

MARCH SERVING SCHEDULE:

Elder: Liz McKenzie

Greeters 15th St Bev McFadden K St Bill McFadden Canopy Bonnie Fye "Whatever you did for one of the least of these... you did for me."

We are collecting **BREAKFAST FOODS: CEREAL, RICE, OATMEAL, ETC.** during the month of **MARCH** for **L.I.F.E. Pantry**. Please place all packages in the baskets located in the foyer. *Any* food or items you wish to donate are welcome any month.



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Reaching Outward to Connect People with God's Abundance



March 10, 2024

March 10, 2024 SERVICE OF WORSHIP

Please complete the cream-colored card located in the back of each pew and place it in the offering plate. Help us by filling out the card as completely as you can. You may also use the card to inform the office of any prayer requests, joys, concerns, upcoming events, changes, etc. **Turn off cell phones as they may interfere with the live stream. Thank you.**

*Please Stand (as you are able)

Prelude Thou did'st leave Thy throne and Thy kingly crown - arr. Matthew Corl

Welcome and Announcements

Rev. William Brown

*Opening Hymn	I Love Your Church, O God	#274 (v 1, 2, 4, 5)
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*Call to Worship

Leader: All:	O give thanks to the Lord, for God is good. God's love and warm embrace last forever.
Leader:	When we cry out in distress, the Lord hears our call.
All:	Praise the Lord who delivers us from sin and death.
Leader:	Christ calls us to clothe ourselves in righteousness.
All:	Worship the One who wraps us with justice, and helps us grow
	in the image of our Creator.
Leader:	Love well, for your heart is where your treasure is.
All:	May our hearts be filled with God's blessings, divine
	provisions that meet our true needs.
Lord's Prayer A	

Scripture

John 3:14-21 (NRSV)

Message	"Whosoever"	Rev. William Brown		
*Hymn of Disciplesh	ip I Love to Tell the Story	#480 (v 1, 2)		
*Invitation to Giving		Rev. William Brown		
*Doxology		All		
*Prayer of Dedication	ı	Elder		
Communion Hymn	Lord, Who Throughout	#180 (v 1, 2)		
Invitation to Christ's	Table	Rev. William Brown		
Prayer for the Bread and Cup		Elder		
Communion Music	Communion Music Beneath the Cross of Jesus - Dale Wood			
Words of Institution		Rev. William Brown		
Taking of the Bread and Cup Together				
*Closing Hymn	Stand Up, Stand Up for Jesus	#613 (v 1, 3, 4)		
*Blessings and Benediction				
*Postlude	Rondeau (Premiere Suite) - Mouret			

Prayer List: Paula Beaton, Levi Chrisholm, Janet Cooper, Leo Coulter, Tina Corum, Pat East, Chantell Everton, Family of Aaron Evans, Family of Dave Facion. Finney Family, Ariene Gilbert, James Hackney, Karen Hackney, Liam Harting, Glorie Hilkey, Ainsley Jefferies, Beth Joyner, Judy Juranek, Van Kavanaugh, Defne Leonard, Danny Lyons, Wanda McPike, Family of Dan Merchant, Pat Merchant, William Metz, Cannon Mills, Sheila Miskuf, Patricia Morris, Shelly Perrson, Rita Robberts, Betty Robbins, Sydney Sowders, Shirley Stroud, Candy Sykes, Tim Tincher, Greg VanCleave, Mark Wingo, Ridge Wolka, Fred Wolka Sr., Kathy Wray, Roger Wykoff

Those away from home serving the church, in military, civil service, education and work.

Those unable to be with us in Worship:

Homebound - Karen Anderson, Janet Cunningham, Vivian Fishel, Leona Russell

Autumn Trace - Laverne Speer (109), Betty Wagoner (110)

Majestic Care (Garden Villa) – Jacob Householder (611)

Stonebridge - Paul Miller (516), Carolyn Tumey (109), Jimmy Waggoner (208)

Bell Trace (Bloomington) - Shirley McMunn (1118B)

EASTER LILY ORDER FORM

You are invited to provide a lily in memory or honor of a loved one to be placed on the chancel for Easter Sunday and then you may take it home after the service.

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Disciples Women Gathering

It's time to come together for some Fellowship and enjoy delicious goodies! Monday, March 11, 6:00 pm



A special thank you to our Hostess Committee: Treva

Hooten, Helen Merchant and Bev Wray





Presented by the Bedford Ministerial Association Wednesdays of Lent @ 12:00

Lunches will be held at the listed host speaker's church

March 13 St Vincent de Paul Catholic Church Speaker: Father Jegan Peter

March 20 1st Baptist Church **Speaker:** Rev. Jason Filler

Holy Week and Easter Services



Come Worship With Us!

Palm Sunday: March 24, 10:30 am Sanctuary

Maundy Thursday: March 28, 8:00 pm Sanctuary

Good Friday Service: March 29, NOON Sanctuary

Easter Sunrise Service: March 31, 7:15 am Camp Bedford with breakfast following worship

Easter Service: March 31, 10:30 am Sanctuary