Bunker Hill United Methodist Church

*2nd Sunday in Lent*

*March 16, 2025*

**WELCOME &** **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

PASSING OF THE PEACE

CENTERING WORDS: “God loves each of us as if there were only one of us.” ~St. Augustine

**✝HYMN: *“Great is thy Faithfulness” UMH*#140**

✝ CALL TO WORSHIP:

One: Children of God, when you are surrounded on every side by shadows that frighten and voices that deride and confuse, what do you say?

**All: God is our light and our salvation! Whom shall we fear?**

One: When threats bombard you from every corner, stealing the security and peace you long for, what do you say?

**All: God is the stronghold of our lives! Of whom shall we be afraid?**

One: When anxiety and loneliness overwhelm and you do not know who or what to trust anymore, what do you say?

**All: Wait for the Lord; be strong, and let your heart take courage; wait for the Lord!**

One: Because God knows our suffering. God makes a home among us, welcoming us to come home to God and one another.

**All: Come! Let us worship God who hides us in the day of trouble and conceals us together under the cover of the tent of Love.**

**OPENING PRAYER: Holy One, you have promised to be with us, and long ago sent your Spirit to abide among us and guide us to a future of goodness and hope. We come seeking your truth, your justice, your kindness. O God, you are with us this morning. Let us feel your presence and welcome you into our lives. Come and fill these desires of our hearts.**

**SPECIAL MUSIC: “*Old Rugged Cross”***

**PASTORAL PRAYERS- JOYS & CONCERNS**

**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.**

✝ HYMN: *“Softly and Tenderly, Jesus is Calling” UMH#348*

**SCRIPTURE READING: Luke 23:32-43**

One: The Word of God for the People of God.

**All: Thanks be to God.**

**MESSAGE: *“Conceal Me”***

**PRAYER OF CONFESSION: We live in the shadow of peace, O God, but too often, we face the shadow and not the light. We pray for peace today because we know we are not a whole people without it. Forgive our warring madness, our abuse of power, and our disregard of the rights of others. Lift us from the burden of the need to always be in control. Teach us the ways of mutual love for all people. Help us to give peace a chance. Amen.**

WORDS OF ASSURANCE

One: I am still confident of this: We will see the goodness of the Lord in the land of the living. Wait for the Lord; be strong, take heart, and wait for the Lord.

**All: Amen.**

**WORSHIP WITH OUR GIFTS, TITHES, & OFFERINGS**

**✝ DOXOLOGY: *“Praise God”* *UMH#95***

***Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;***

***Praise him, all creatures here below;***

***Praise him above, ye heavenly host;***

***Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.***

**✝ HYMN: *“El Shaddai” UMH#123***

**✝ BENEDICTION AND BLESSINGS**

***Welcome!***

We are glad you are here for our worship and fellowship today. Our greatest joy is to share Jesus Christ. May you feel the presence of Christ during our time together.

I am visiting for the first time

I am new to the community

Fold, tear off and place in offering plate

I am looking for a church home

I would like the pastor to visit

I have a question about my faith

I want to know more about the
 United Methodist Church

  I want to offer my time and skills
 to the ministry here (list below)

Name

Address

email:

Phone:

Prayer Requests

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Pray for

Reason

 Private request for pastor only

 Please add to bulletin prayer list

 I have permission to make request public

Request by

*(Bulletin request requires your name and permission box must be checked to put in bulletin)*

**Welcome**

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**✝** You may stand as able to praise God

**UMH- United Methodist Hymnal**

**FWS- Faith We Sing**

Visitor Card and Prayer Request Form on back of this panel

For those in need, there are hearing devices available in the rear of the sanctuary.

Our Worship Servants

Secretary Tiffany King

Nursery Attendant Per Request

10:00 Service Servants

Liturgist Becky Haynes

Prayer Concerns

\*Equals the number of weeks on the list. The concerns remain 6 weeks unless resubmitted!

***March 16, 2025 Prayer List* Long Term Needs**

\*\*\*\*\*\*Family of Melody and Jonathan Cook Geni (Gess) Hart- Health Issues

\*\*\*\*\*\*Bella Cook- Tragic loss of both parents Linda Heavner- Health Issues

\*\*\*\*\*\*Michael Mossburg- Upcoming Surgery Kenny Feagans- Health Concerns

\*\*\*\*\*Family of Linda (Susan) Riner Richie Cookus- Health Concerns

\*\*Family of Richard Sine Stephanie Volpe- Health Concerns

\*\*Josh Knight- Emergency Heart Surgery Dwight Harshman

 Nathan Mitchell- 10 y/o w/ Brain Tumor

 Michael Mossburg- Health Concerns

 Freya Carroll- 5 y/o w/ Brain Tumor

 Jordan Liskey

**Military Personnel** Kate Smith

167th Air Guard

Connor Martin **Special Ministries**

Dan ShiroBoard of Childcare

Henry Robinson Good Samaritan Free Clinic

Nigel Robinson Rescue Mission

Alex Morgan The Table

Blake Place CCAP/Loaves & Fishes

Seth Place

Sterling Hall **Homebound Friends**

Kathryn Hall Hattie Sowers

Josh Leake/157th MP Helen Foley

Gage Mills Robert Orndorff

Kadyn Cox

Umcdiscipleship.org, Reworship/blogspot.org

Memory Verse

“You are a hiding place for me; you preserve me from trouble; you surround me with glad cries of deliverance.”

~ Psalm 32:7

**Welcome**

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Our Mission is to enable all people to have a personal relationship with Christ through discipleship and ministry.

Our Vision is to grow as Christians and to reach out in love and service to all people.