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Welcome in the name of Jesus!
(Announcements & Candle Lighting)

Centering Prayer

Song of Praise (FWS) 2108 O How He Loves You and Me

Sharing of the Peace – please take a moment to greet those around you in the Name of the Lord.

Anthem - In Mercy Hear us, Oh Lord

*Call to Worship

L: Today we step up a little higher on our Lenten Journey

P: We are moving from contemplation to action.

L: Are you ready to take the next step?

P: Yes, we are ready. The cross is before us.

L: Come, walk together on this journey to the Cross.

P: Lord, prepare our hearts and our spirits for this next step. AMEN.

*MORNING PRAYER

You stop us in our tracks, O Lord, with your reminder that discipleship is not a “sometime” thing. We are called to place our whole lives in your care; to follow you; to serve you by caring for others, not just once in a while, but always. We admit that we’re not always ready to do this. The demand is great; the need is great; our energies are limited. Help us to place our trust and our lives in your care. You will give us the strength and courage that we will need for this step on the journey. Be with us. Help us to remember that your love is poured out for all your people; you are never far away. It is in Jesus’ Name, we pray. AMEN.

Hymn of Praise (UMH) 295

Prayer Time – Please share your joys as well as your prayers.

TIME OF PRAYER (FWS) 2215 Cares Chorus

THE 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 temptations but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power and the glory, forever. Amen

Party with the Preacher

Offering (Doxology page 95)

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Scripture Reading – Mark 8:31-33 (p 44)

Message - Simon Peter

Closing Hymn - (UMH) 269

*Good News

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FWS – Faith We Sing

UMH – United Methodist Hymnal

Please join us for coffee and conversation after
Worship.

SERVING THIS WEEK (3/10/18)

Greeters: Meredith N and Ruth Ann M
Ushers: Fuzzy and Ryan Anderson
Scripture Reader: Barbara Bailey
Sunday School: Kerry Fitch
Counters: Ron Salyer and Pam Althouse
Nursery: Trish DeMontfort and Dave Perl
Door Greeter: Karen Drumm
Fellowship: Pam Althouse and Barbara Bailey

SERVING NEXT WEEK (3/17/19)

Greeters: MaryAnne Miller and Joel Warren
Ushers: Marguerite and Ron Miller
Scripture Reader: Ron Salyer
Sunday School: Pam Althouse
Counters: Elly Stempien and Bill Sutherland
Nursery: Chris and Stacy Wyant
Door Greeter: Matt Fitch
Fellowship: Marilyn Sands and Trish D

Mark Your Calendars (please and thank you)

March 18 and 19th – 12:00-3:30 – Friends attending PYE (both days) and PYMS (only the 18th) are invited to come to church on these days! Check the newsletter for more details.

***Under the back table there are tote bags with activities for kids to use during worship. Please put the bags back when you are finished.**

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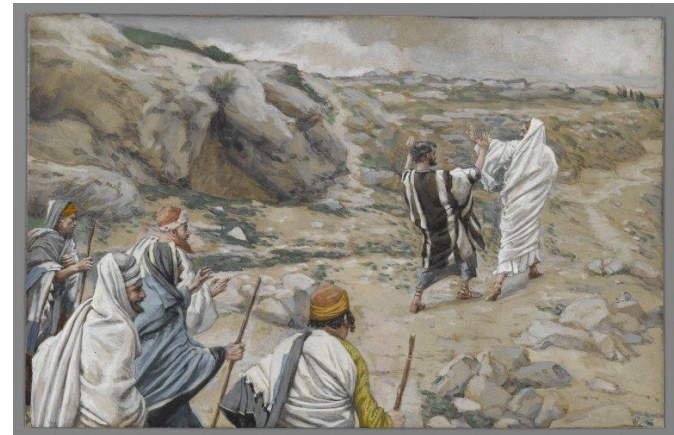
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