



**Prelude** Pam Campbell

**Welcome & Announcements** Loren Swenson

(\*Please stand as you are able)

**\*Christ's Light Enters**

**\*Opening Hymn** O Worship the King - #73 – Vs. 1, 4, 5

**\*Apostles Creed**

**Traditional Version**

**I believe in God, the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth;  
And in Jesus Christ his only Son, our Lord; who was conceived by the  
Holy Spirit, Born of the Virgin Mary, Suffered under Pontius Pilate,  
Was crucified, dead, and buried; The third day he rose from the dead;  
He ascended into heaven, And sitteth at the right hand of God the  
Father Almighty; From thence he shall come to Judge the quick and  
the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, The holy \*catholic Church, The  
communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the  
body, And the life everlasting.**

**Amen.**

\*Universal

**Missions Moment** Nancy Wentz

**Children's Moment** Nancy & Monte Wentz

**Sharing Joys and Concerns**

**Time of Prayer**

**Lord's Prayer**

**Hymn** In the Cross of Christ I Glory - #295 – Vs. 1, 2, 4, 5



**Offering**

**\*Doxology #95**

**\*Offertory Prayer**

Generous God, you tenderly care for each person you have created. You miraculously restore people to health and shine light into the lives of those who are discouraged. Guide us so that we will not regard others according to outward appearances but seek to find your love in their hearts. We dedicate our offerings and ourselves to contribute to the work of your kingdom on earth until Christ returns in glory. Amen. ([1 Samuel 16:1-13](#))

**Scripture Readings:** Matthew 27:24-26

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

Congregation Response: **Thanks be to God.**

**Sermon** “Sentenced” Pastor Kibum Kim

**\*Hymn of Sending Forth** Leaning on the Everlasting Arms - #133

**\*Our Purpose**

What is our purpose?

**To provide a place for all to BELONG to our community,  
BELIEVE in and experience the transforming love of  
Jesus Christ, and BECOME his disciples.**

**BELONG! BELIEVE! BECOME!**

**\*Benediction**

**\*Benediction Response** Let there be Peace on Earth #431

**\*Postlude**

**Events this week in church:**

**Sunday, March 19, 2023**

9:30am Crusader  
9:30am Searchers  
10:30am Worship Service  
11:30am Italian Dinner for Two  
5:30pm Confirmation  
6:00pm Mat Yoga

**Monday, March 20, 2023**

First Day of Spring  
5:30pm M&M's

**Wednesday, March 22, 2023**

10:00am Commodities  
5:00pm Sitting with Jesus  
5:30pm Choir Practice  
6:00pm Table Talk Meal  
6:30pm Classes Begin

**Sunday, March 26, 2023**

9:30am Crusader  
9:30am Searchers  
10:30am Worship Service  
12:00pm Community Baby Shower



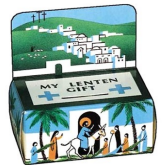
**HAPPY BIRTHDAY**

21~Linda Culley  
22~Jesse Copple  
24~Connie Bentz  
25~Betty Musick  
25~Jeff Swenson



*Prayer Requests*

Amanda Waterman  
Doug Moore  
Teresa Benson  
Joyce Petersen  
Marjorie Cruzen




**Lenten Boxes and Devotional Books are available from the ushers.**

All Lenten Box proceeds will go to Mission Agency Support.

**Missions Buckets**  
**"Noisy Offering" for March**

**UMCOR**  
**Special Offering**

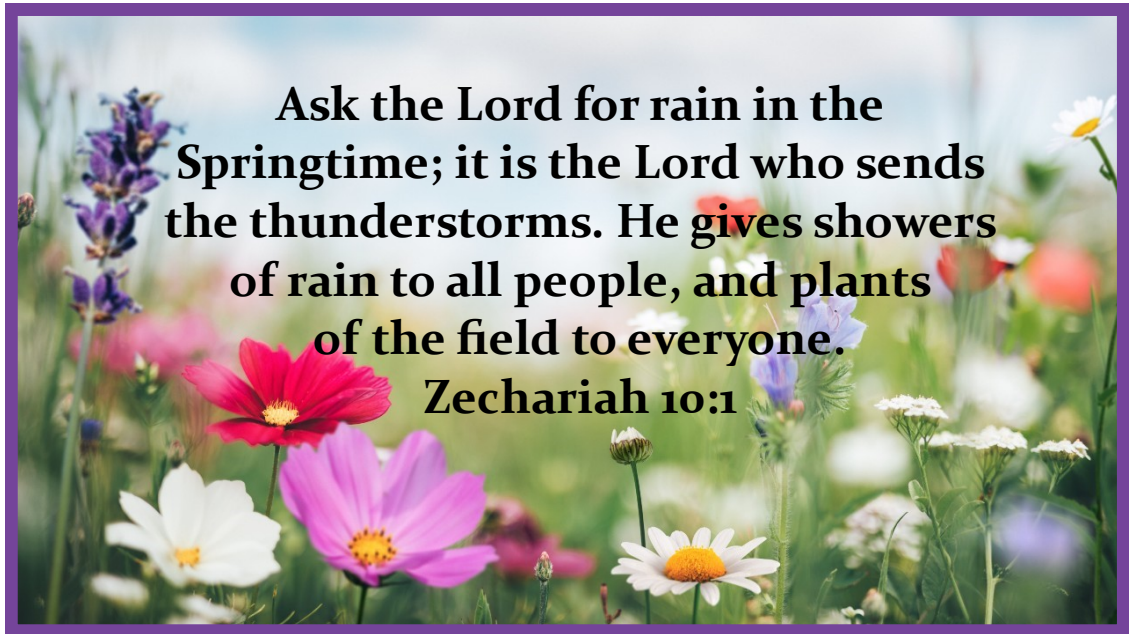
**Mat Yoga Class**  
**Choir Room**  
**at 6:00pm on March 19, 2023**  
**All are Welcome!**  
**Contact Angie Gabel McConkey or Mary Thoman for more details!**

There is Still time to become an **IMPACT Mission Trip Sponsor!**  
Catch one of the Kids, Jason Johnson or there are forms on the Bulletin Board:

Peyton Johnson Gentry Thomas  
Nevaeh Valcoure Carly Brown or Zac Allen




Each Item is \$20.00  
Today 11:30am: Italian Dinner for Two!  
April 9th for Easter One Dozen Cinnamon Rolls!  
May, Mothers Day Hand-Crafted Gift!  
June Father's Day Gift for a Guy!



**Ask the Lord for rain in the Springtime; it is the Lord who sends the thunderstorms. He gives showers of rain to all people, and plants of the field to everyone.**

**Zechariah 10:1**



**March 19, 2023**  
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**Do No Harm ~ Do Good ~ Stay in Love With God.**  
**John Wesley**