

If anyone thinks that he is wise
among you in this world,
let him become a fool,
that he may become wise.

For the wisdom of this world
is foolishness with God.
For it is written,
“He has taken the wise in their craftiness.”
And again,
“The Lord knows the reasoning of the wise,
that it is worthless.”

I Corinthians 3:18-21

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March 9, 2025
~~ First Sunday of Lent ~~
“This is the day the Lord has made,
let us rejoice and be glad in it”
Psalm 118:24

The Celebration of Worship

The Gathering of God’s People

Time to speak with each other

Greeting

“The Lord be with you....
And also with you.”



Please fill out and pass the Friendship Books.
Visitors, please fill in your address as well. Thank You!

Prelude

Gabriella Fryer

The Call to Worship

Deacon Jerry Carey / Congregation

Come to worship and follow Jesus Christ.

We come seeking life eternal.

To find life, you must first die to yourselves.

We come seeking to be comforted.

To be comforted, you must give comfort to others.

We come seeking ivory palaces and golden streets.

Here you will find the cross. Take it and live.

All: We receive our cross to bear so that we may follow Jesus.

Please join us in our gathering hymn...

Gathering Hymn: “Trust and Obey” (vs 1,3,4) #523

The Welcoming Prayer/God's Greeting

Rev. Keith Tamlyn



Children's Prayer

(after which children 3rd – 8th grade leave for Sunday school)

(Children ages 3yrs - 2nd grade are attending Children and Worship in room 9)

The Call to Confession

Deacon Jerry Carey

Prayer of Confession

Holy God, we confess we do not trust you completely. We rely on ourselves and the power of other human beings and not on you. Please forgive us and remind us that to live faithfully, we need to turn our hearts to you, O God, with complete trust. Transform us into obedient children who rely on you for every need. You have proven your trustworthiness; help us demonstrate our trust in you. We ask this in your holy name. Amen.

Words of Assurance / The Law

Deacon Jerry Carey

“Glory Be to the Father”

Anthem

Gabriella Fryer



We Proclaim the Good News

Prayer of Illumination

Scripture

Matthew 4: 1-11

This is the Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

The Message

“Old You – New You”

Rev. Keith Tamlyn

Sermon Hymn:

“We Will Glorify”

#118



We Respond to the Good News

*(Please print your prayer request on the blue card in the pew rack
and deposit in offering plate.)*

The Offering

The Doxology

The Offertory Prayer

Bountiful God, you have given us so much. Take the portion we offer back to you and use it for your glory. Make us more generous people. In your Holy Spirit, we pray. Amen.

Prayer Hymn:

“Spirit of the Living God”

#297

Prayers of Thanksgiving (Pastor)

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 debts, as we forgive our debtors. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.

For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

Sending Hymn:

“Stand Up, Stand Up for Jesus”

(vs 1,3,4) #663

Benediction and Postlude