

IN OUR PRAYERS

Robbie McClure (Marie Dunnam's brother) Elizabeth Christensen (Kathy Skillen's niece), Bob and Debbie Hartness (Rev. Audrey's parents), Clifton Mabry, Sam and Edna Dillard, Kathy Skillen, Marie Dunnam, Trey Bratcher (Clifton Mabry's grandson), Nancy Dougherty, Martha Reid, Henrietta Wright (friend of WPC), Ed Black, Lou Haynes, Colleen Halvorson (Trish McCoy's daughter-in-law), Virginia Gordon and Henry Gordon, Doyle Hoover (friend of the Stancils), and Meddy Tomaselli (friend of the Chuites).

WELCOME!

We are so happy to have you with us today! Please take a moment to fill out a visitor card for us to contact you and follow up with a card.

PW CIRCLE MEETING

All ladies, join us for Circle **tomorrow at 4:30 in Gossett Hall**. We will have our annual Passover meal and Holy Communion. Don't miss this moving and inspirational time together!

ADULT SUNDAY SCHOOL

Join us next Sunday, **March 8th at 9:30 am in Gossett Hall**, for Sunday School! Barry Burden will be leading us. Don't miss your blessing!

HOLY WEEK SCHEDULE

Palm Sunday, March 29th—Cantata presented during Worship
Maundy Thursday, April 2nd—Seneca Presbyterian at 7:00 pm
Good Friday, April 3rd—Westminster Presbyterian at 7:00 pm
Easter, April 5th—Sunrise and Breakfast—7:00 am, Worship with Holy Communion 11:00 am

LENT SOUP AND STUDY

Join Rev. Audrey for Soup and Study! We will be studying "The Sabbath Way". The lesson will be **Wednesday, March 4th at 5:00 pm**.

LENTEN DEVOTIONAL

Don't forget to pick up your family's copy of our Lenten devotion. You will find them in the narthex.

Lent 2026

Expect the Unexpected

"Jesus told her, 'Your
brother will rise again'
John 11:23

"Lord, are you going
to wash my feet?"
John 13:6

"What is truth?" Pilate
asked" John 18:38

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Second Sunday of Lent

March 1, 2026

11:00 A.M

GATHERING

Prelude: “God So Loved the World”.....Stainer

Welcome and Announcements

Extinguishing of the Lent Wreath.....Barry Burden

I love to tell the story of unseen things above, Of Jesus and His glory, of Jesus and His love; I love to tell the story, because I know 'tis true, It satisfies my longings as nothing else would do. I love to tell the story, 'Twill be my theme in glory, To tell the old, old story Of Jesus and His love.

Prayer of Invocation

***Hymn 738:** “O Master, Let Me Walk With Thee”.....Smith

Call to Confession

Prayer of Confession

Merciful God, You call us to follow You with trust and obedience, yet we confess that we often choose our own way. We cling to comfort instead of carrying our cross, and we listen to the noise of the world more than the whisper of Your Spirit.

Forgive us for the times we have turned away from Your path. Cleanse our hearts from pride, fear, and selfishness. Teach us to walk in the way of Christ— with humility, courage, and love— so that our lives may reflect Your grace. In the name of Jesus Christ we pray.

(a moment of silent reflection)

Assurance of Pardon and Passing of the Peace

THE WORD

Anthem: “Come Walk With Me”.....Martin

Prayer for Illumination

New Testament Scripture: John 13:1-17

Sermon: “The Unexpected Servant ” Rev. Audrey H. Reese

***Apostles Creed** (*Glory to God Hymnal p. 35*)

Gloria Patri (*Glory to God Hymnal p. 581*)

Musical Offertory: “Let Us Break Bread Together”.....Traditional

During the offertory, you are invited to take a moment of prayerful reflection. We appreciate your gifts to our ministry. Monetary gifts may be placed in the box in the back of the sanctuary, or in the offering plates at the front, as you leave today.)

***Doxology** (*Glory to God Hymnal p. 606*)

***Hymn 518:** “Your Only Son (Lamb of God)”.....Paris

HOLY COMMUNION

Invitation to the Table

Prayer of the People and Lord’s Prayer

Breaking of the Bread

Communion

Prayer after Communion

SENDING

***Hymn 542:** “God Be With You Till We Meet Again”.....Tomer

Benediction

*****UPCOMING SERMON:** Join us for worship next week as we welcome Rev. Mel Davis to our pulpit. Bring a friend to join us!