

We believe the Bible is the Word of God and the only perfect rule for faith, doctrine, and conduct.

We believe in the necessity of the New Birth, and a continuing life in fellowship with our Living Lord, Jesus Christ.

We believe we “are blessed to be a blessing.” We seek to **BLESS** others as we:

- B**egin with prayer,
- L**isten with care,
- E**at together,
- S**erve with love, and
- S**hare our story.

**There Will Be an All-Church Wedding Shower** for Josh and Ashley next Sunday beginning at 5:00 pm. An evening meal will be served. Y'all Come! Please place your name on the signup sheet in the Narthex if you are planning to attend.

**This afternoon Laverle (Bish) Hunnicut will celebrate her 90<sup>th</sup> birthday**, at MCC from 2:00 – 5:00 pm, at a reception hosted by her family. All are welcome to come and greet LaVerle on this special day.

**You Are Invited to Attend our Wednesday Evening Lenten Dinners.** Dinner will be served at 6:30 pm and will be followed by a time of prayer. Reservations are not required. Suggested donation is \$5.00. These dinners are provided by the Diaconate.

**“Thank You,”** to Marlin & Nancy Seeman for providing last Wednesday’s Lenten dinner. It was great!

**Snacks for Six:** A signup sheet is on the bulletin board in the narthex for anyone who would be willing to provide snacks for our Confirmation Class. Snacks need to be at church by 2:00 pm on Wednesday afternoon.



Sunday, March 17, 2019

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Second Sunday in Lent

# Welcome

## We Gather in God's Name

During Lent we remember Jesus' journey to the agonizing glory of the cross on Golgotha. We are invited to journey with Jesus this Lenten season.

## We Prepare Our Hearts

Prelude

\*Songs – Silver Book, #20: *Father, We Love You*  
Silver Book, #21: *Bless the Lord*  
Silver Book, #22: *For Thou Lord, Art High*  
Silver Book #23: *Jesus, Name Above All Names*

\*Invocation and Lord's Prayer (sins)

## We Hear God's Word

Genesis 12:1-4a

Psalms 121 – Responsive Reading #846

John 3:1-17

(Children through grade 5 are invited to Sunday School)

**Message** – “Born Again”

## We Respond to God's Grace

Confession of Sin/Words of Assurance

\*Song – Blue Book, #220: “*Man of Sorrows!*”

Prayer

Offering/Offerory

## We Are Sent Forth with God's Blessing

\*Song – Blue Book, #221: *In the Cross of Christ I Glory*

\*Blessing

Postlude

\*Please stand if you are able

# Update

Week of March 17 - March 24, 2019

## Sunday, March 17, 2019

8:30 am.....Adult Sunday School  
10:00 am .....Worship/Children's Sunday School  
11:00 am .....Fellowship Hour  
11:30 am .....Trustee Board  
12:00 pm .....Executive Committee  
2:00 – 4:00 pm .....90<sup>th</sup> Birthday Open House  
for LaVerle Hunnicut @ Memorial Community Care

## Wednesday, March 20, 2019

2:30 pm.....Confirmation  
6:30 pm.....Lenten Dinner

## Sunday, March 24, 2019

8:30 am.....Adult Sunday School  
10:00 am .....Worship/Children's Sunday School  
Greeters – Nancy & Doug Salmon  
Nursery – Nancy Salmon  
Children's Sunday School – Marsha Pawley  
11:00 am .....Fellowship Hour  
5:00 pm.....Shower for Josh Gibson & Ashley Lawton

## Serving in Worship Today

Pastor – Karl Larson

Leader – Butch Lewin

Scripture – Nancy Seeman

Sound – Steve Pawley

Pianist – Lorey Wadell

Trumpet – Elizabeth Larson

Greeters – Betsy & Duane Onken

Nursery – Marsha Pawley

Children's Sunday School – Marlin Seeman