

“Blessed is the king
who comes



in the
name
of the **Lord!**”

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Mission Statement:

Tipton First United Methodist Church

“To make disciples of Jesus Christ for the transformation of the world.”

FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

10:30 am Service

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Greg Brown - Director of Xn Chaos

Don Griffith - Custodian

Denise Cartwright - Choir Kids Director

Jamie Bahr - Xn Chaos Keyboard

Sam Semotan-Dir. Little Friends

March 20, 2016

SUNDAY of the PROCESSION

10:30 a.m.

Welcome visitors – Whether you're related to a 'regular,' or if you're here by a mysterious, guiding hand, we're glad you're here. If you've not been here before, relax. We aren't going to ask you to stand up and introduce yourself or anything like that. If you're new to First, we do have print materials on the table at the back of the main level of the worship center... help yourself or just ask someone!

If children are with you, that's wonderful. Jesus loves children and so do we. You might sit near the front so the children can see and hear everything. There are children's activity bags on the coat tree at the back of the sanctuary; and children's bulletins are on the table. We do offer a staffed nursery for pre-school children during worship if you'd prefer to use it for part or all of the service. The easiest way to get there is go have an usher provide an escort.

*Ask an usher about using a **hearing assist device**; or for a **large print Hymnal**.*

In each program is a half-sheet insert. Please fill it out and use it for an "offering" at that time of the service! Beverage and light refreshments are offered in the dining room in the lower level of the building at the conclusion of worship. Everyone is welcome!!

PRELUDE

Sylvia Gould

Lighting of the Candles

Ringling of the Bell

* CALL TO WORSHIP

Luke 19:29-40

Reader: This is the Word of our Lord. **All: Thanks be to God.**

* PRAYER FOR WORSHIP

**Lord Jesus, your hour has come. Your sacrifice is always before us.
You arrived then as a king in the midst of a procession of waving palms.
You still move among us as one who serves— an example for us to follow.
Move us aside so we might give you appropriate awe, respect and love'
And receive you as king, Lord and Savior. Amen.**

* PRAISE

"Hosanna, Loud Hosanna"

No. 278

CHILDREN'S LESSON

Pastor Paul

(Pocket change collected in the copper kettles is directed by the Missions Team.)

LEARNING from the Early Christians

Philippians 2:5-11

LEAVING A LEGACY – Evidence of the Mind of Christ

Sing

"Find Us Faithful"

ACT OF PRAISE

"Hosanna!"

Chancel Choir

JOYS AND CONCERNS... and the Power of Persistent Intercession!

Call to Prayer
Prayers of the People

“Sanctuary”
“The Lord’s Prayer”

No. 2164

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 temptation, but deliver us from evil, for thine is the kingdom, and the power and the glory forever. Amen.

GIVING TITHES and OFFERINGS

THE OFFERTORY

“He Has Made Me Glad”

Chancel Choir

(The ushers will bring the offering forward during the prayer.)

* A PRAYER (unison)

Faithful God, your Son Jesus reveals what it means to be a servant leader who trusts you fully. Through his amazing self-sacrifice, you bring healing, hope, and peace. During this week, let our words and actions point to your grace. We present our tithes and offerings to bring witness to and to spread the hope we have in Jesus the Christ. Amen.

THE PASSION STORY

Luke 22:14-23:56

SING

“God Is Speaking”

SING

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SING

“Go to Dark Gethsemane”

(vs. 1) No. 290

SING

“Go to Dark Gethsemane”

(vs. 2) No. 290

SING

“Go to Dark Gethsemane”

(vs. 3) No. 290

SING

“To Mock Your Reign, O Dearest Lord”

(vs.1) No. 285

SING

“To Mock Your Reign, O Dearest Lord”

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* SENDING FORTH

L: Remember, this week, how Jesus came to Jerusalem, what he did,
what he refused to do, and what was done to him. Live within his story.
Let it feed your spirit, stretch your mind, fill your imagination,
let it rip your heart in two, and then mend it together, to the glory of God.

P: AMEN!

* MARCHING SONG

“Lord, Is It I?”

(vss. 1 & 4) No. 3080

ANNOUNCEMENTS: How We’ll Each Put Hands & Feet To The Gospel This Week

Always use a microphone so everyone may be included. Thank you.

POSTLUDE

Sylvia Gould

This Week Sunday Servants

Liturgist: Ruel Wehde; Acolytes: Adam Heil & Lucas Lieser; Children's Lesson: Pastor Paul; Power Point: Melinda Stonebraker Create, Jesse Lieser Run; Ushers: Kamryn, Molly, Stacy Chapman & CJ Eicher; Greeters: Larry & Kathy Houstman; Fellowship Coffee: Rick & Judy Rouse, Scott & Karen Anderson; Nursery: Alec & MJ Heil

March 27 Sunday Servants

Liturgist: Jen Johnson; Acolytes: Davis Webb & Nicholas Eicher; Children's Lesson: Dusty Johnson; Power Point: Carmen Hoffman; Ushers: (7 am) Jesse Lieser, Landan Hill, CJ Eicher, (10:30am), Bailey Schmidt, Elliot Cummins. Greeters: (7 am) Bob & Barb Rickard, (10:30 am) Murry Mente family; Fellowship Coffee: Missions Breakfast; Nursery: Kris Clark

PRAYERS

Hospitalized/Procedures:

Grace Nichols @ Select in Davenport (JComstock's mom)

Healing: Darlene (Marjorie Stonerook's sister), Jerry Ferguson, Marvin/Frances Ford, Donna Gault, Arlene Hein, Linda Huff, Rex Idlewine, Leon Kruse(V.Shontz's bro), Erma Lyle, Ron Martin, Lynn McIntosh, Warren Nielson (L&K Houstman's bro-in-law), Ray Penningroth (M. Stonerook's bro); and others under care or treatment.

Prayers for those in Life Transitions:

Aaron/Jennifer Comstock family & the myriad decisions in this 'wilderness.'

Couples/Families searching for the way forward.

Persons & families of incarceration;

Persons in employment limbo;

Families struggling with the impact of drug and alcohol abuse or other addiction.

Persons uprooted due to "natural" and/or "human" disaster; and those who are called to help.

Persons/people persecuted for religious convictions.

In Treatment: Jean (Jayne Erickson's sis), Gary Kline, Linda (Kay Miller's sis), Dan Conrad, Rod Ferris

Hospice/Palliative Care: Mabel Lamp, Henry Wiskus

Armed Services: Thomas Brown (Seydel's son-in-law), Sean Hannes, Kyle Marchik, Corey Ormsby

Worship 94, General Fund \$2635.94, Leaving A Legacy \$10.00, GIG Books \$11.00, Shared Blessings \$87.00, LFP Salary \$886.32, Copper Kettle \$38.34, Ester Pool \$175.00, UMCOR \$10.00. Grand Total \$3853.60

This Week

Sun. Mar 20: Palm Sunday, Children's Sunday, 10:30am
Worship, 2:00pm GIG painting

Mon. Mar 21: Newsletter Articles Due, 4:30pm Grief Grp

Tues. Mar 22: 9:00am Pastor @ Cluster, 2:00pm Prairie Hills Program, 5:30pm Girl Scout Trp 2166

Wed. Mar 23: 1:00pm GIG, 1:30pm Bible Study, 6:00pm GIG, 6:30pm GIG, 6:30pm Connections Matter, 7:00pm Choir

Thurs. Mar 24: 10:00am GIG, 6:30pm Chaos, 6:30pm Girl Scout Trp. 5302, 7:00pm Priscilla Circle

Fri. Mar 25: Good Friday, Office Closed, 7:15pm Good Friday Worship Service

Sat. Mar 26: 6:00am to 6:00pm Prayer Vigil, 11:00am Shared Blessings

Sun. Mar 27: Easter Sunday, 7:00am Easter Sunrise Service, 7:45-8:45 Missions Breakfast, 8:30am Choir Kids, 9:00am GIG, 9:00am Sunday School, 10:30am Worship, 3:00pm Cedar Manor Worship