

# Sunday Morning Worship

March 31, 2019 ~ 10:30 A.M

Fourth Sunday in Lent

Liturgical Color: Purple

**Attendance:** Members and Visitors, please sign and complete the Friendship Registration Pad at the end of each pew and pass it to your neighbor. The Ushers will pick them up during one of the hymns.

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**GREETING WITH WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS** Rev. Lance J. Eiland  
**CHIMES FOR WORSHIP**

**ORGAN PRELUDE** *Behold the Lamb of God! - arr. Smith*

✦ **LENTE HYMN 340** Chancel Choir/Congregation  
*Come, Ye Sinners, Poor and Needy— harm. Webb*

✦ **AFFIRMATION OF FAITH** Rev. Eiland

Leader: Where the Spirit of the Lord is, there is the one true Church, Apostolic and universal, whose holy faith let us now declare.

## The Apostles Creed

*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.*

\*catholic means universal

✦ *Holy, Holy Lord of Mercy - French Melody* Chancel Choir/Congregation  
*Holy, holy Lord of mercy, holy God of power and might,  
Heaven and earth are full of your glory, You alone are love and light.  
Praises now we raise before you, "Glory in the highest height!"*

**CALL TO PRAYER** Chancel Choir/Congregation

*Lead Me, Lord  
Lead me, Lord, lead me in thy righteousness;  
Make thy way plain before my face.*

**MORNING PRAYER** Rev. Eiland

**OUR LORD'S PRAYER (895)**

*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.*

## DEDICATION TO GOD OF HIS TITHES AND OUR OFFERINGS

**OFFERTORY PRAYER** Rev. Eiland

**ORGAN OFFERTORY**  
*Take Up Your Cross— arr. Broughton*

✦ **A LENTEN DOXOLOGY** Chancel Choir/Congregation  
*Praise God throughout these forty days.  
Praise Christ, our Lord, whom God did raise.  
And praise the Spirit who imparts  
God's love in Christ into our hearts. Amen.*

**CHILDREN'S MESSAGE** Mrs. Dawn Wendland  
All children through 6th grade are invited to Children's Time.  
Children's Church is for children 4 years old through 1st grade ONLY.

**LENTE ANTHEM** Chancel Choir  
*In Love Christ Came Among Us— Martin*

✦ **LENTE HYMN OF PREPARATION 378** Chancel Choir/Congregation  
*Amazing Grace—harm. Excell*

**FIRST READING** Joshua 5:9-12  
**SERMON TEXT** Luke 15:1-3;11b-32

**MESSAGE** Rev. Eiland  
*Prodigals*

✦ **LENTE HYMN OF COMMITMENT 357** Chancel Choir/Congregation  
*Just as I Am, Without One Plea— Bradbury*

✦ **BENEDICTION** Rev. Eiland

✦ **SENDING FORTH** Chancel Choir/Congregation  
*Lord, Who Throughout These Forty Days - Excell  
And through these days of penitence, And through thy passiontide.  
Yea, evermore in life and death, Jesus, with us abide.*

✦ **ORGAN POSTLUDE**  
*A Lenten Postlude - arr. Broughton*

✦ Congregation, please stand if able.

**Welcome to Church Street United Methodist Church!**

**Acolyte Training** - is TODAY at 4:00 pm, in the Sanctuary. It's not too late to come even if you have not signed up.

**VBS Planning Meeting** - is TODAY at 4:00 pm, in the Choir Room. If you would like to volunteer to serve, please contact Kayla in the church office. Areas of service include: Teachers, Line Leaders, Kitchen Help, Decorating, and Registration.



**Holy Week Services - April 15th - 19th**  
**Monday, April 15th, 12:00 noon** - Lenten Luncheon at First Baptist Church with service to follow

**Tuesday, April 16th, 12:00 noon** Lenten service at Cornerstone Presbyterian Church with lunch to follow

**Wednesday, April 17th, 12:00 noon** Lenten service at Church Street UMC with lunch to follow

**The Holy Week Communion Offering will be given to UNITED for the City.**

**Thursday, April 18th, 12:00 noon** Lenten service at Our Lady Queen of Peace with lunch to follow

**Maundy Thursday Service, 6:30 pm at CSUMC**

**Friday, April 19th, 12:00 pm** Lenten Service at

St. Paul's Episcopal Church

**Good Friday Service, 6:30 pm at CSUMC**

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

### Sunday, March 31, 2019

#### Fourth Sunday of Lent

- 8:30 am Breakfast/Fellowship  
 \*9:15 am Sunday School  
 \*10:30 am Morning Worship  
 4:00 pm Acolyte Training—  
 Sanctuary  
 4:00 pm VBS Planning Meeting—  
 Choir Room

### Monday, April 1st

- 12:00 pm Rotary  
 5:30 pm Ministry Staff— GL  
 5:30 pm Catherine Revel— WH  
 6:30 pm Boy Scouts— OP

### Tuesday, April 2nd

- 9:30 am Staff Meeting—GL  
 10:30 am Worship Staff— GL  
 10:30 am 11th Hour - OP  
 12:00 pm Bible Study  
 6:30 pm Emmaus— WH

### Wednesday, April 3rd

- 10:00 am Park Place Communion  
 10:00 am Bible Study - GL  
 3:00 pm Good News Club— Clark  
 6:00 pm Choir  
 No C.O.T. tonight

### Thursday, April 4th

- 7:00 pm Boy Scout Round Table  
 — OP

### Friday, April 5th

- 5:30 pm Mock-Jordan Rehearsal

### Saturday, April 6th

- 2:00 pm Mock— Jordan Wedding

### Sunday, April 7th

#### Fifth Sunday of Lent

- 8:30 am Breakfast/Fellowship  
 \*9:15 am Sunday School  
 \*10:30 am Morning Worship  
 10:30 am Children Singing  
**Last Sunday Night Service/  
 Activities**

\*Nursery Provided

### College Student for the Week of March 31st:

Louise Stewart, Owen Hall Room 210,  
 330 Roosevelt Drive, Auburn, AL  
 36849 (334)349-9410.

Email- [ifs0011@auburn.edu](mailto:ifs0011@auburn.edu). Louise is  
 a Freshman at Auburn University ma-  
 joring in Exercise Science. Her mentor  
 is Darien Arrington.

**Bible Studies** - The Tuesday Bible  
 study led by Martha Jackson meets  
 each Tuesday, at 12:00 noon, in the  
 Old Parsonage. The new study is  
 "God of Covenant - A study of Gene-  
 sis 12-50" by Jen Wilkin. Anyone is  
 welcome to attend. Bring a sack  
 lunch.

The Wednesday Bible study led by  
 Suzanne Stringer meets each  
 Wednesday, at 10:00 am, in the Grist  
 Library. The new study is "Believing  
 God" by Beth Moore. Anyone is wel-  
 come to attend. Following the study  
 time, the group has lunch at a local  
 restaurant.

**Lee County Tornado Response**—If  
 you would like to contribute with finan-  
 cial donations to the Lee County Tor-  
 nado Response, Checks can be made  
 payable to Church Street Methodist  
 Church with "2019 Tornado Response"  
 in the memo line.

**Easter Lily Order Forms** Please  
 turn your order forms into the church  
 office by Sunday, April 14th.

**The Link Submission Deadline** is  
 Wednesday, April 17th. If you have an  
 event or item of interest to go in the  
 next edition, please contact the church  
 office.

## IN OUR THOUGHTS AND PRAYERS

### **Current:**

Caroline Thomas, John Sherrer, Tony Lee, Mary Owen Harrison, Avere Adams

### **Ongoing:**

Rex Waldrop, Anita Williams, Tim and Barbara Young, Danny Jordan,  
 Cassandra Steele, Pam Cunningham, Joanie Looney, Baxter Ellzey, Su-  
 san Burns, Payton Denmark, Jimbo Barrett, Peggy Cross, Elna Scales,  
 Mauricette Haywood, Roger Coleman, Shannon Miller Cook, Nicole Pea-  
 cock, Lee Calame III, Virginia Guarino, Herb McCreary, Margaret Bennett,  
 Wesley Siddens and Family, Jackie Kelly, Margaret Bennett, Clark  
 Schatz, Jeff Looney,  
 Our City, Our Nation

### **Homebound:**

Nell Woodward, Helen Rogers, Ann Pegues, James Utsey, Barry Blanton,  
 Rex Osburn, Eloise Trammell, Jean Walker

They were continually devoting themselves to the apostles' teaching and  
 to fellowship, to the breaking of bread, and to prayer." Acts 2:42

## PRAY FOR OUR NATION

*Be wise now therefore, O ye kings; be instructed, ye judges  
 of the earth. Serve the Lord with fear, and rejoice with  
 trembling. Psalms 2: 10-11*

## IN CHRIST'S SERVICE MARCH 31, 2019

### **Acolytes:**

Emma Wendland  
 Ellie Adams  
 Maryanna Turner

### **Nursery Workers:**

Sherie Leigh Ousley  
 Mary Alan Ousley

### **Children's Church:**

Dawn Wendland

### **Breakfast Cooks:**

Dub Deavor  
 Les Smith  
 Wayne Vardaman  
 Claude Anderson

### **Worship Stewards:**

Evelyn Register  
 Em Moore

### **Greeters:**

Seekers

### **Ushers:**

Wayne Vardaman, Captain, Dick  
 Dunaway, Ed Livingston, John Net-  
 tles, Joe Newton, Scoop Rivers,  
 Lee Calame, Larry Jones

### **Security:**

Bart Adams, Butch Jones, Buc  
 Shaw, Tom Lang, Leigh Lang, Judy  
 Moore

### **Lay Leader:**

Dub Deavor

### **Collection Counters:**

Amy Sims  
 Julie Ford

### **Sound Technician:**

Rand Smith

### **Faithful in attendance 03/24/2019**

Sunday School: 76

Worship: 117

# Church Street United Methodist Church 214 Church Street Selma, AL 36701

*Serving God and  
 God's People since 1835*



***To be disciples of Jesus Christ  
 through love, worship, service  
 and evangelism***

**Rev. Lance J. Eiland**  
 Pastor

**Mr. Rand Smith**  
 Director of Youth and College Ministries

**Mrs. Kayla Smith**  
 Director of Children's Ministries

**Mr. Gordon F. Welch**  
 Director of Music Ministries/Organist