

**IN SERVICE NEXT SUNDAY (MARCH 25)**

Liturgist: 8:30 Joan Mueller  
10:45 Marvin Stump  
Sound Board: 8:30  
10:45 Don Vaughn  
Nursery 10:45: Cheryl Marlow & Erin Otter  
Junior Church 10:45: Children in Worship

***THIS WEEK***

**Today** 12-2:30 p.m. OneUnited Youth  
**Mon:** 9 a.m. Newsletter material due  
**Wed:** 6:30 p.m. Quilts of Love  
**Fri:** Final day to RSVP for the Sanctuary Anniversary celebration dinner on April 8<sup>th</sup>. Please let Carol Sieb (734-639-1212) or the church office know if you intend to stay for the catered meal after the April 8<sup>th</sup> worship service.

***NEXT SUNDAY – MARCH 25<sup>TH</sup>***

Palm Sunday with the receiving of the 2018 Confirmation Class

***AHEAD***

March 29<sup>th</sup> Maundy Thursday worship at 7pm  
March 30<sup>th</sup> Good Friday worship at 1pm

**Easter Sunday -- April 1<sup>st</sup>**

On Easter morning the United Methodist Men will sponsor a *Continental* breakfast from 9 to 10 a.m. A variety of breakfast rolls and fruit along with coffee, tea, & juice will be available for your enjoyment.

10 a.m. Worship (just one service)



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Fifth Sunday in Lent March 18, 2018  
Worship 8:30 & 10:45 a.m. Sunday School 9:30 a.m.  
Rev. Taek Kim, pastor

Organist: Edna Trainor-Lancour Pianist: Carol Sieb

Liturgist: 8:30 Jodie Bean 10:45 Tim Bodenmiller  
Sound Board: 8:30 Jerry Morin 10:45 Don Vaughn  
Communion: 8:30 Rev. Kim & Jodie Bean  
10:45 Rev. Kim, Tim & Kim Bodenmiller, Tracey Drouillard

Nursery (10:45) Megan Robertson & Nancy Young  
Junior Church (10:45): Karen & Trevor Kessell

## Order of Worship

### Announcements

*Please pass the friendship folders located at the end of the pew; providing your name and address, so we can celebrate your presence.*

### Prelude and Service of Lights

#### \*Call to Worship

L: We begin each week with worshipping God!

**P: We re-center ourselves by putting Christ at the center of our lives.**

L: Allow God to work in your heart, mind and soul this morning.

**P: May we be renewed and empowered to share God's love.**

#### \*Opening Song

8:30	<i>Praise to the Lord, the Almighty</i>	139
10:45	<i>Come Into the House of the Lord Mighty to Save</i>	

### Greet One Another

*We're glad you're here! Extend a warm greeting to one another.*

### Children's Message

*All children are invited forward for the children's message. After the message, children may remain in worship or leave for Jr. Church.*

### Prayer Requests and Praises

*Please fill out a green prayer request card for those you are lifting in prayer today so we can send a note of encouragement to them.*

### Silent and Pastoral Prayers

#### 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 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.

\*Song *O How I Love Jesus* 170

Scripture Reading Romans 5:1-5

Reader: This is the word of God for the people of God!

**People: Thanks be to God!**

Message *Growth Through Adversity* Rev. Taek Kim

### Offering Ourselves and Our Gifts

#### \*Thanksgiving

Praise God from whom all blessings flow. Praise him all creatures here below. Praise him above ye heavenly host. Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost. Amen.

#### \*Prayer of Dedication

**Bless these gifts and our lives, O Lord, for your work and will.  
May all we give and how we live bring others to a closer and  
saving relationship with you. Amen.**

### Holy Communion

\*Closing Song *One Bread, One Body* 620

#### \*Benediction

#### \*Postlude

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\*Please stand as able.