

Third Sunday in Lent

March 7, 2010

Welcome! Please sign the attendance folder that will be passed down the aisle.

*Denotes times when you are invited to stand if it is comfortable to do so.

*Songs: "Are You Washed in the Blood?"
"Oh How He Loves You and Me"

Welcome & Announcements

*Invitation, Confession and Pardon:

Leader: Yet that do truly and earnestly repent of your sins, and are in love and charity with your neighbors, and intend to lead a new life, following the commandments of God, and walking from henceforth in his holy ways; Draw near with faith, and take this holy Sacrament to your comfort, and make your confession to almighty God.

People: *Almighty God, Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, maker of all things, judge of all people: we acknowledge and bewail our manifold sins and wickedness, which we from time to time most grievously have committed by thought, word, and deed, against thy divine majesty. We do earnestly repent, and are heartily sorry for these our misdoings; the remembrance of them is grievous unto us.*

Have mercy upon us, have mercy upon us, most merciful Father. For thy Son our Lord Jesus Christ's sake, forgive us all that is past; and grant that we may ever hereafter serve and please thee in newness of life, to the honor and glory of thy name; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

(All pray in silence)

Leader: The saying is sure and worthy of full acceptance, that Christ Jesus came into the world to save sinners. Therefore, in the name of Jesus Christ, we are forgiven.

People: *Thanks be to God! Amen.*

Song: "Lord, Listen to Your Children Praying"

Scripture Lessons: Psalm 116:12-13 John 4:19-24

Leader: This is the Word of our Lord.

All: *Thanks be to God.*

Sermon: Draw Near with Faith Rev. Andy Smith

Pastoral Prayer

Offering Our Tithes and Gifts

Offertory Song: "Lamb of God"

The Great Thanksgiving

The Lord's Prayer (sung)

Song during Communion: "Just as I Am"

*Hymn of Invitation: "Blessed Assurance"

Blessing & Sending Forth

*Closing Song: "Leave It in the Hands of Jesus"

Participating in Today's Worship Service

Greeters/Ushers: Norman & Janet Jones

Reader: Erin Coats-Smith

Communion: Anne & Bob Wetherholt &
Dorothy Muschalek

Bread: Vicki Huet

Vision Statement: *“By the grace of God, FUMC will engage in living ministries which radiate God’s love, uniting God’s children through growth in spirit, knowledge and love of God, and service to our neighbors.*

Refreshments and coffee are available at 9:30 a.m. at the hospitality table located in the fellowship hall.

Participating in Ministry

First United Methodist Church Staff

Ministers	Members of the Congregation
Pastor	Rev. Andy Smith
Youth Pastor	Rev. Cynthia Engstrom
Administrative Assistant	Michele Pittman
Co-Director of Music Ministries	Ellwood C. Zimmerman
Co-Director of Music Ministries	Brenda C. Zimmerman
The Hideout Director	Jeanne Creagh
Great Beginnings Director	Jenny Turner
Facility Maintenance Engineer	Robert Hays
Wesley Nurse	Charlotte Johnson, RN, BSN

Large print Bibles, hymnals and Upper Room
Daily Devotionals are available from the ushers.

Children’s folders are available from the ushers. The church nursery is located in the church basement with nursery attendants on staff for children aged 4 and under. Children’s Sunday school classes are held upstairs in the church building.

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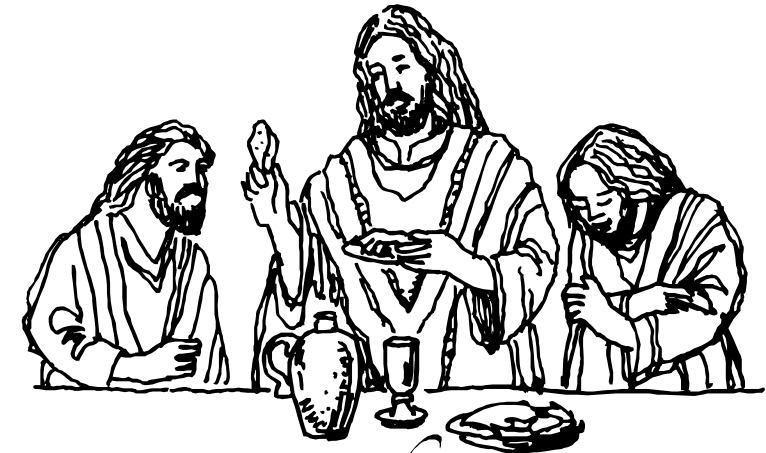
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FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

BASTROP, TX

9:45 a.m. *The Gathering*
Communion Worship Service



“Given for you...”

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