



THE VISITOR

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PRAYER CORNER

Please pray for...

- ♦ The family of Phyllis Miller, who entered into eternal life on 2/25 at the age of 90.
- ♦ The family of Mary Silcox, who entered into eternal life in the early hours of 2/21 at the age of 97.
- ♦ The family of Rosemarie Schmidt, as Rosemarie entered into eternal life on 2/13 at the age of 95.
- ♦ Eric, Sarah, Emma, and Leah Nafziger, who flew to Sarasota, FL on 2/18 to begin a week of special treatment for Leah's migraines. Following treatment, Leah went more than 24 hours headache-free for the first time in 400 days. Praise God!
- ♦ Pauline Merillat, Roger's mother, who moved to Hillside Country Living after a time of rehab following a fall.
- ♦ Chloe Merillat, granddaughter of Roger and Kay, who had an MRI on 2/24 that revealed possible cancer in her leg. They will await biopsy results.
- ♦ Blake Grime, who is recovering from surgery to repair his torn ACL on 2/20.
- ♦ Larry and Melva Woolace, who have been facing some health concerns with Larry still receiving treatment for cancer and Melva recovering from frequent falls. Prayers are also requested for their son, Monte, who was recently diagnosed with cancer.
- ♦ Kyle Ducey, son of Kelly and Betsy, who moved to San Antonio, TX in February to continue serving in the US Navy.
- ♦ Steve Walker, whose ankle surgery was postponed as the surgeon found a better long-term solution.
- ♦ Betsy Redd, who is recovering well from outpatient surgery on 2/2.
- ♦ David Augustine, who continues to recover at home from pneumonia.
- ♦ Bev Beaverson, who lives in Fulton Suites in Wauseon, and has some health concerns.
- ♦ Joan Grieser, who is recovering well at home from knee surgery in January. She extends a heartfelt thank you for your prayers, well wishes, cards and visits during her recovery!

Prayers for protection and for the increase of peace worldwide:

- ♦ PFC Brenden Bostelman, Deployed, Jordan (Army) (Grandson of Bill & Kathy)
- ♦ Kali Collins, Destin, FL (Air Force) (Granddaughter of Nan Neill)
- ♦ Kyle Ducey, San Antonio, TX (Navy/NSA) (Son of Kelly & Betsy)
- ♦ Brayden Hall, Newton Falls, OH while at Kent State (OANG) (Son of Vond & Mary)
- ♦ MAJ Jared Kuntz, South Korea (Army) (Son of Keith & Kelli)
- ♦ Taylor Pitts, Dayton, OH (Air Force) (Granddaughter of Nan Neill)
- ♦ Shayne Pitts, Dayton, OH (Air Force) (Grandson-in-law to Nan Neill)
- ♦ Steve Schink, Chesterfield, MI (Coast Guard) (Son-in-law of Ed and Julie Ruffer)

Please consider sending cards to these individuals letting them know that we continue to lift them up to God in prayer; and that He will guide, comfort, and sustain them through these times:

Fairlawn Haven, 407 E. Lutz Rd., Archbold, 43502

Dean Beck, Room #154A

Josephine Short, Room #405

Donna Buehrer, Room #402

Fulton Manor, 723 S. Shoop Ave. Wauseon, 43567

Velma Overmier, Room #501-1

Bryan Health & Rehab, 1104 Wesley Ave., Bryan 43506

Verlene Lovejoy, Room #203B

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Audrey Smith, Room #403

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Shirley Wyse, Room #214

Fountain Park, 1391 N. Main St, Bryan 43506

Mike Meyer, Room #130

PASTOR'S COLUMN

In this season of Lent, everyone has the opportunity to strengthen their relationship with Jesus Christ. The Discovery Guide, a daily devotional used by many in the congregation, is currently working through several chapters of the Book of Revelation. With all of its symbolic imagery, Revelation requires careful reading and further study. The Discovery Guide daily reflections provide helpful food for thought, as well as appropriate questions of faith to consider.

One of the recent readings was of Revelation, chapter 3. In the seven letters written to the seven churches, Revelation 3:14-22 is to the church in Laodicea, and verse 16 offers a word of truth and warning: "So, because you are lukewarm – neither hot nor cold – I am about to spit you out of my mouth." This is a word of warning to Christians who are wandering away from God.

The Laodicea was located in an area that had many resources and the citizens were able to live comfortably and were known to be prideful in being able to provide for themselves. This attitude of self-sufficiency affected the church, too. The church thought they could do everything themselves and they neglected their relationship with God.

One resource I read on this passage shared the following: This image of lukewarm water would have caused a powerful reaction from the Laodicean church. It's not a mistake or happenstance that the title this church is given is one of being lukewarm water. Drinks are better when they are hot or cold. But all that this city had access to was lukewarm water. The neighboring city of Hierapolis had a hot spring that was valuable for its medicinal effects. By the time it made its way to Laodicea through aqueducts it had lost much of its heat and medicinal value. It was lukewarm. Another nearby city of Colosse had cool, refreshing, life-giving water that was the perfect refreshing beverage. But by the time the cool and refreshing water reached Laodicea, it was no longer cold. It was lukewarm. Hot water is useful. Cold water is refreshing. Lukewarm water is not so useful (rethinknow.org).

The word of Revelation 3:16 to the church in Laodicea warns them that they have become stagnant. Stagnant – no current, no flow, no movement, dull and sluggish. Churches can become lukewarm, and believers can become lukewarm. The season of Lent calls us to check our spiritual temperature.

In Revelation 3:20, the Lord offers a glorious image, one that we each can derive encouragement from: "Here I am! I stand at the door and knock. If anyone hears my voice and opens the door, I will come in and eat with that person, and they with me."

Feeling lukewarm? Been less motivated recently? Feeling spiritually sluggish? Jesus stands at the door of your faith, beckoning you to open the door and drink deeply of the waters of faith.

Humbly,

ERICH

CONGREGATIONAL NEWS & THANK YOU'S

To our Dear St. John's Christian Church Family,

We are all filled with so much gratitude for your gifts of cards, texts, prayers and monetary donations given to our family during our trip to Sarasota. The blessing of your monetary donations is a gift of Agape love. That is love that comes only from God in the highest form, through you all. You've blessed us so abundantly that we're blown away and speechless. We will humbly receive your gifts and forever remember the Agape love you've shown to us. We are so thankful for your love and support. We felt and continue to feel your prayers as we continue on with treatments for Leah. As of today, 2/28, Leah is still headache free! We Praise the Lord for this daily! Thank you again and again and again...we're so blessed to be a part of this church family.

With deepest and most humble gratitude,
Eric, Sarah, Emma and Leah Nafziger

We love you all so much
"We love because He first loved us" 1 John 4:1

Dear Pastors & Church,

Thank you so much for your hospitality on January 21, 2023. We're so grateful that you allowed our group, Revive Fulton County, to gather in your beautiful facility. Special thanks to Pastor Ryan Volkman for sharing an encouraging devotional and leading the group in a hymn of worship!

In Christ's Love,
Revive Fulton County Core Group

St. John's Church Family,

Thank you for supporting our senior high youth in our recent sub sale. Our church's generosity is always amazing. The funds raised will help continue to support our youth activities.

Thank you again!
SYF Youth & Advisors



It's a boy!

Congratulations to Collin and Emily Walker on the adoption of their son, Ryan William Walker, who was born in Cleveland on November 15, 2022. They learned of his case late afternoon on Friday, January 27th and had him home in their arms by Saturday evening, January 28th. Continued prayers are needed for the finalization of the adoption to go quickly and smoothly over the next several months. Celebrating with them are grandparents, Dave and Karen Walker.

In need of prayers or rejoicing?

Please let our pastors or the church office know how we can be in prayer for you and/or your loved ones. The power of prayer is real in times of sickness and grief, and it is also an amazing way to praise His glorious name and goodness through congregational births, anniversaries, and birthdays! If you would like your request or good news shared in *The Visitor* or our weekly bulletins, please contact Pastor Erich or the church office.

MINISTRY HAPPENINGS

Scholarship Application

Students in the congregation who will be attending college this upcoming 2023 -2024 school year are invited to submit a Scholarship Application, which will be reviewed by the SJCC Scholarship Committee prior to the new school year. The application and requirements can be found at www.stjohnsarchbold.org under the "Resources" tab. Applications are due by April 1st to the church office either via hard copy or emailed to office@stjohnsarchbold.org.

GIF Gals

On February 16th, the Gals gathered for lunch and a Painting and Propagating class led by Jocelyn Walker. We first filled our bellies at the Senior Luncheon provided by the Archbold Rotary and then shuffled over to the Fireside Room, where we found a table of paint colors and supplies, pots, plant trimmings, and chocolates!

For the next hour or so, we sat in happy conversation while we painted brightly colored terra cotta planters. Jocelyn taught us about the ZZ plant, which are rooted with bulbs that look like potatoes! She shared trimmings from her healthy plant for each of us to take home and propagate. Over the next 6-8 weeks, we'll get to watch as our trimmings "**Grow In Faith**" and develop their own little potato roots, which will then be planted into our new pots!

In March, the Gals will be led by Judy Sear's niece, Ruth Ann in a craft. We'll gather on March 18th at 2:00PM in the Fireside Room. If you haven't signed up but would like to join, please let one of the group leaders know.



Third Thursday Luncheons

For Senior Citizens and Any and All!

These monthly luncheons, which begin at 11:30AM, feature three blessings – food, fellowship and faith. Each month there is a meal provided for all who attend, so good food and fellowship are enjoyed! Pastor Erich then provides a faith activity – it could be in the form of a game, a video lesson or a Bible study. The luncheons typically end no later than 12:45PM.

FEBRUARY FUN!



*Life Planning
bowling night
on February 8th.*



*The JYF Advisors created
yet another silly month of
activities for our youth!*



*Fellowship Game Night on
February 11th was a blast!*



*The Women's SS Class delivered
Valentine's Day flowers to our
shut-in members at Fairlawn <3*



MINISTRY HAPPENINGS

Game Night ...

Action Games

(games involving movement)

**Saturday, March 25th
In the Chapel
6:17pm**

Come and join in the fun!!

Bring a snack to share — Drinks will be provided



CONSISTORY

Special Congregational Meeting

At the special congregational meeting held on February 26th, Eric Nafziger was elected as an elder to serve a two year term.

Consistory Meeting Minutes Highlights – February 20th

1. Personnel Committee
 - a. \$8300 is currently budgeted annually for Pastor Erich's HSA; Personnel Committee would like to propose front-loading this annual amount rather than monthly installments due to medical expenses being incurred for this year. Motion carried unanimously.
 - b. Personnel Committee is in need of an additional volunteer to serve on the committee. Several names were brought forward to consistory and will be contacted.
2. Leadership Development
 - a. Unity of Christians – not a goal to achieve; it is a fact to be recognized. Hand-out provided. The hand-out outlines five qualities needed to maintain church's unity.
3. Committee Reports
 - a. Budget & Stewardship – Betsy Redd – Everything is status quo with financials. The market was up slightly in January 2023. Regarding committee goals: 1) things we do well include: checks and balances in place, pastor who takes interest in and understands accounting. 2) areas for growth include: balances in the building fund; transparency as building activities begin, youth pastor position has viability from a finance perspective.
 - b. Building Committee – Jeff Rutledge and Richard Spiess will be visiting a building in Defiance with an elevator system that doesn't require an exterior elevator shaft.
 - c. Fellowship Committee – Steve Walker – committee met on January 24, 2023; reviewed agenda for the year; still 2 members short but they will continue to try to find others to serve; Maundy Thursday Soup and Salad meal to be hosted by the committee; Chicken BBQ may be replaced with burgers, brats, etc. Port-a-Pit is no longer in business.
 - d. Mission Committee – Missy Warncke – working on setting 2023 goals; there was a \$10,000 donation (from 2nd Mile Fund) to Archbold Fish Pantry's spring building project; Jesse Tree Fundraising Event for Lent to be given to Aroles and Back Bay Mission; The Suons have been gifted money from a donor, the Suons have transferred to a different mission partner, the gift has been forwarded to the Suons even with this change.
 - e. Property Committee – Matt Hines – meeting with a maintenance candidate this week; working on some maintenance issues in the kitchen.
 - f. Spiritual Council – Erich Christman – upcoming worship schedule was discussed, summer Sunday school schedule may be adjusted for the summer due to low numbers, considering Wednesday evening confirmation rather than on Sundays in conjunction with JYF, church directory will provide list of both members and non-members without designation of membership; reviewed pastoral care concerns.
 - g. Other Committee Reports – Evangelism Committee will be meeting on March 9.
4. Pastors Report
 - a. NCD Assessment Update – there are 3 primary reports to be reviewed. Erich will be given training on how to interpret the reports. We had exceptional participation.
 - b. 2023 Committee Member Recruitment – Names were provided as potential volunteers for the Fellowship and Evangelism Committees.
 - c. Church Attendance – Hand Outs provided to be reviewed before next month.
5. Old Business Items
 - a. Preparation was made for the Special Congregational Meeting set for Feb 26, 2023.
 - b. Motion was to create the position for a youth & young adult pastor. Motion carried.
 - c. Church Safety Plan – continuing to look for a chair person for this committee.
6. New Business Items
 - a. Cyber Insurance Protection – an application has been filled out regarding this coverage.

STEWARDSHIP REPORT

Income and Expenses of the Operating Fund as of February 28, 2023

Income	\$73,803.30
Expenses	\$79,791.26
Deficit:	\$5,987.96

MISSION DISBURSEMENTS

Mission Disbursements as of February 7, 2023

	Mission Committee Disbursements	Designated Envelope Donations
3110 Aroles	\$ 1,000.00	
3115 Back Bay Mission	\$ 1,000.00	\$ 130.00
3120 Cherry Street	\$ 1,000.00	\$ 115.00
3135 Church World Services		\$ 1,505.00
3150 Crossroad	\$ 1,000.00	
3155 CRU - Jenni McMahon		\$ 100.00
3157 CRU - Hannah Barnhart		\$ 100.00
3160 CRU - Matt & Paige Waanders		\$ 50.00
3175 Fish Pantry	\$ 2,000.00	
3185 Franks, Tony & Leila (World Team)		
3190 Freedom International - Suons		\$ 3,020.00
3200 Friendship House	\$ 1,000.00	\$ 230.00
3201 Fulton County Christian Music Ministry	\$ 500.00	
3230 Kajiado Childrens Home	\$ 1,000.00	\$ 59,814.08
3235 Kajiado Sponsorships		\$ 3,500.00
3260 Reach Global - M.N.	\$ 1,000.00	
3266 Reliant - Kyle Chase	\$ 1,000.00	\$ 100.00
3267 Reliant - Matt Pardi	\$ 1,000.00	\$ 100.00
3278 Shepherd's Circle		\$ 100.00
3279 Sparrow's Nest	\$ 1,000.00	\$ 115.00
3285 Toledo Gospel	\$ 1,000.00	
Totals	\$ 13,500.00	\$ 68,979.08
Second Mile Disbursement - FISH	\$ 10,000.00	
Overall Total - \$13,500+\$10,000+\$68,979.08		\$ 92,479.08

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MISSION CORNER

Mission-A-Month: Friendship House



The Friendship House is an Archbold ministry supported by area churches and coordinated by Cecily Rohrs. This two-story home located near downtown Archbold is designed to provide shelter for one or two individual or family units at a time until they are able to become self-sufficient. The Friendship House is endorsed by the Archbold Area Ministerial Association and is coordinated by a volunteer board.

This month, we ask that you prayerfully consider supporting this community ministry that strives to care for those in need of a place to stay and have a fresh start in life.

Summer Mission Trip – June 26th-30th

Dates have been set to volunteer with the LaPorte County Habitat for Humanity affiliate based in Michigan City, Indiana. The plan is to drive up Monday morning to spend five days working on a new home build. We won't know at what stage of construction the home will be until early June. The group will work until lunchtime on Friday and then return back to Archbold. Lodging will most likely be in one or two area Airbnb places (that worked well last year). The week has always turned out to be a very good week of work, fellowship and food! A sign-up sheet is posted on the bulletin board.

Jesse Tree

The St. John's Mission Committee is offering the Lenten Jesse Tree as an alternative to the Lenten Coin Folders. The Jesse Tree is on display beginning today and will be up through Lent. Donations will help support the Aroles and Back Bay Mission. It's simple: pick an offering denomination card from the tree's branches once or more throughout the season of Lent and drop your donation into the Tree's offering box!

MISSION THANK YOU'S

Dear St. John's,

Thank you seems like such an inadequate thing to express for the difference St John's Church is making in a child's life. St John's support of \$63,314.08 received on February 13, 2023 is having a huge impact on the life of these kids. We cannot express in words how much you mean to this home and to us at Hope For Kajiado. Without you, we would not be able to provide hope for children who need it the most.

Together, we provide loving care in addition to their needs. The kids have increased self esteem, enabled by the concern they feel from you, as they achieve educational and personal goals. They feel loved as they receive physical and spiritual nourishment through your commitment of financial and prayerful support. They will forever be thankful for the opportunity to break the chains of poverty and disease in their life, and instead grow into the future leaders of their communities.

We are truly blessed. Together, we showed God's Love to people who need it most. Thank you. If you ever have any questions or ideas on how we can better serve these children, feel free to give me a call. We hope you will continue to be blessed in many ways.

Thank You,
 Gaye List, Kajiado Children's Home
gayelist@hope4kajiado.org

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Sunday Worship 8:00AM and 10:30AM

MISSION THANK YOU'S (CONT.)

St. John's Christian Church,

There are no words to fully express our gratitude for your prayers and loyal financial support. We are inspired by your dedication and generosity... A church who answers the call to help others make more positive life choices.

Again, thank you!
Shepherd Circle
Nancy Rupp, Treasurer



St. John's,

Thank you for your ongoing support of my ministry. Your giving and prayers are having a real impact on the lives of students as they hear the Gospel!

Vince Ferry



Dear St. John's Christian Church,

Thank you for your January and February support of the Friendship House. Your church is always there for us!

Sincerely,
The Friendship House



Additional thank you's from...

- ♦ Back Bay Mission, for our gift of \$215
- ♦ Habitat for Humanity of Fulton County, for our gift of \$1,500
- ♦ Tony & Leila Frank, for our gift of \$4091.04
- ♦ Cherry Street & Sparrow's Nest, for our gift of \$447
- ♦ Toledo Gospel Rescue Mission, for our gift of \$530
- ♦ Kyle Chase, for our gift of \$100
- ♦ Matt & MaryLynn Pardi, for our gift of \$100
- ♦ The Friendship House, for our gift of \$455.24
- ♦ Matt & Paige Waanders, for our gift of \$50
- ♦ Robert & Jenni McMahan, for our gift of \$100
- ♦ Hannah Barnhart, for our gift of \$100
- ♦ Church World Service, for our gift of \$1505

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MARCH WORSHIP SCHEDULE

- Mar 5 Scripture: Psalm 121, John 3:1-17, 1 Corinthians 11:17-34
 Sermon: "The Lord's Supper"
 2nd Sunday of Lent
 (10:30) Praise Team
- Mar 12 Scripture: Romans 5:1-8, John 4:5-26, 1 Thessalonians 4:13-18
 Sermon: "The Second Coming of Christ"
 3rd Sunday of Lent
 (10:30) SJCC Chancel Choir: "If It Is Your Will" w/ soloist: Scott Reeb
- Mar 19 Scripture: Ephesians 5:8-14, John 9, 1 Corinthians 6:9-11
 Sermon: "Redemption and Restoration"
 4th Sunday of Lent
 (10:30) Bells/Chimes & Praise Team
- Mar 26 Scripture: Ezekiel 37:1-14, John 11:17-27, 38-53, Colossians 3:12-17
 Sermon: "Reflecting God's Love and Grace"
 5th Sunday of Lent

Birthdays and Anniversaries

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| 1 Camden Warncke, Tony & Leila Frank (20) | 19 Ben & Sue Buehrer (40), Jeremy & Sarah Kinsman |
| 2 Cameron Yoder | 22 Sandy Frazier |
| 3 Cindy Sauder | 23 Brent Winzeler |
| 5 Roger & Kay Merillat, Brent & Lynda Schnitkey | 24 Dempsey Meyer |
| 6 Keith & Nici Wyse (30) | 25 Matthew Gilroy |
| 7 Jeff Nofziger, Aimee Roth | 26 Bo Krukowski, Jacob Nofziger |
| 8 Brad Enderle (70) | 27 Jon Rupp |
| 9 Charley Meyer | 28 Jaime Beck, Jodi Beltz, John Beck |
| 10 Ann Grime | 29 Carson Baden, Cagney Grime, Leah Nafziger, Emily K. Walker |
| 11 Chris Baden, Julie Buehrer | 30 Dorothy Miller (90), Mark Nofziger, Wyatt Overmier, Cathy & Jeff Nofziger |
| 12 Dawsyn Martinez | 31 Brayden Hall, Judy Salisbury |
| 13 Bryson Martinez, Bud & Tootie Beck | |
| 17 Keira Christman, Raegan Rutledge | |
| 18 Molly Rutledge, Sodie Warren | |

Please let us know if we do not have your special day correct.

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MARCH 2023

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
Sundays: 8a Worship 8:30a Pause for Praise 9:15a Sunday School 10:30a Worship	Mission-A-Month: FISH Pantry Elder of the Month: Betsy Redd		1 8:30a Moms in Prayer 5:50p LOGOS 6:00p Sermon Discussion 6:45p JYF 7:00p SYF 7:00p Lenten Service 8:00p Chancel Choir	2 11:00a Staff Meeting 3:00p Gym Reserved 5:00p Gym Reserved	3	4
5 3:00p Faith & Family w/ Toledo Walleye 6:00p Seekers	6 5:00p Gym Reserved 5:30p Parlor Reserved	7 9:15a Bible Study 3:00p Gym Reserved 5:00p Community Meal 7:00p Mission Committee	8 8:30a Moms in Prayer 5:50p LOGOS 6:00p Sermon Series Discussion 6:45p JYF 7:00p Lenten Service	9 11:00a Staff Meeting 3:00p Gym Reserved 5:00p Gym Reserved 6:30p Evangelism Committee	10	11 7:40a Men's Prayer Breakfast
12	13 5:00p Gym Reserved 5:30p Parlor Reserved	14 9:15a Bible Study 3:00p Gym Reserved 5:00p Community Meal 7:00p Property Committee	15 8:30a Moms in Prayer 5:50p LOGOS 6:00p Sermon Series Discussion 6:45p JYF 7:00p SYF 7:00p Lenten Service 8:00p Chancel Choir	16 11:30a Senior Luncheon 3:00p Gym Reserved 5:00p Gym Reserved 6:00p Girl Scouts	17	18 2:00p GIF Gals
19 3:00p TGRM Meal & Chapel 6:00p Seekers	20 5:00p Gym Reserved 5:30p Parlor Reserved 6:15p Spiritual Council 7:30p Consistory	21 9:15a Bible Study 3:00p Gym Reserved 5:00p Community Meal	22 8:30a Moms in Prayer 5:50p LOGOS 6:00p Sermon Series Discussion 6:45p JYF 7:00p SYF 7:00p Lenten Service	23 11:00a Staff Meeting 3:00p Gym Reserved 5:00p Gym Reserved	24	25 6:17p Fellowship Game Night
26	27 5:00p Gym Reserved 5:30p Parlor Reserved	28 9:15a Bible Study 3:00p Gym Reserved 5:00p Community Meal	29 8:30a Moms in Prayer 5:50p LOGOS 6:45p JYF 7:00p SYF 7:00p Lenten Service 8:00p Chancel Choir	30 11:00a Staff Meeting 3:00p Gym Reserved 5:00p Gym Reserved	31	

Midweek Lenten Services

Beginning on March 1st, Wednesday evening Lenten services will be held in the Sanctuary, while Logos, JYF and SYF or Life Planning are being held.

(Mar 1) Midweek 1 - SALT - 2 Kings 2:19-22; Colossians 4:2-6; Matthew 5:13-16

(Mar 8) Midweek 2 - WATER - Genesis 7:11-23; 1 Peter 3:17-22; John 3:1-8

(Mar 15) Midweek 3 - LIGHT - Genesis 1:1-5; Ephesians 5:1-2, 8-14; John 8:12-18

(Mar 22) Midweek 4 - BREAD - Exodus 16:2-5, 11-18; 1 Corinthians 10:1-4, 15-17; John 6:32-37

(Mar 29) Midweek 5 - PALMS - Deut. 16:13-17; Revelation 7:9-17; John 7:28-39

MARCH DAILY SCRIPTURES

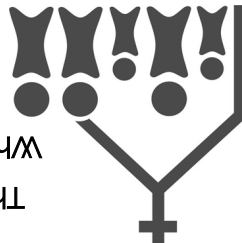
(From "Discovery" Daily Devotional)

Discovery® is a daily Bible reading guide that provides clear Bible explanation, prayers and relevant application questions.
You can pick up a copy in the church office. Suggested donation is \$6.

1 Bittersweet Faith -----	Revelation 10	16 If I Could Turn Back Time -----	Job 34
2 Let Your Kingdom Come-----	Revelation 11	17 Reach Out, I'll Be There -----	Job 35
3 Can We Benefit God? -----	Job 22	18 God Knows I'm Good -----	Job 36
4 When God Feels Far Away-----	Job 23	19 Don't Leave Me This Way-----	Psalms 38
5 The River of Delights -----	Psalms 36	20 Endure to the End -----	Matthew 24:1-14
6 A Day of Justice -----	Job 24	21 Ready, Set, Run!-----	Matthew 24:15-35
7 Can We Be Right with God? -----	Job 25, 26	22 Today's the Day -----	Matthew 24:36-51
8 A Clear Conscience -----	Job 27	23 Extra or Enough?-----	Matthew 25:1-13
9 Buried Treasure -----	Job 28	24 Great Things for God-----	Matthew 25:14-30
10 The Good Old Days -----	Job 29	25 Spot the Difference-----	Matthew 25:31-46
11 Help for the Hurting -----	Job 30	26 Homeward Bound -----	Psalms 39
12 Hope in The Lord -----	Psalms 37	27 Hostility and Love -----	Matthew 26:1-16
13 Rewarding Righteousness?-----	Job 31	28 Passover Preparations -----	Matthew 26:17-25
14 Do You Hear What I Hear?-----	Job 32	29 Bread, Wine, and Bravado-----	Matthew 26:26-35
15 Rejecting God's Love -----	Job 33	30 Jesus Alone -----	Matthew 26:36-46
		31 "It Must Happen this Way"-----	Matthew 26:47-56

Come Hear the Reason we're Inspired to Serve Together

Holy Communion:
New Year (1/8), Ash Wednesday (2/22), Maundy Thursday (4/6), Pentecost (5/28),
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