

Reynolds United Methodist Church
March 12, 2023 Third Sunday of Lent

Gathering

Greeting & Words of Welcome & Centering

Announcements (See below)

The All Church Memory Verse of the Month: John 13:34

A new command I give you: Love one another. As I have loved you so you must love one another. John 13:34

Opening Praise "Morning Has Broken" UMH 145

Call to Worship (Call & Response)

Leader: Come, let us sing a new song to the Lord. Let us make a joyful noise to the God of our salvation.

People: Let us enter God's presence with thanksgiving and make a joyful noise to him with songs of praise.

Leader: O come, let us worship and bow down; we will kneel before God, our Maker.

People: We are the people of God's pasture. Today we will listen to God with open hearts.

Union Prayer

We come to you, God, because we are thirsty. Our spirits need the refreshing water of your word, just as our bodies need the refreshment of a cool drink of water. We worship you with joy as we await the coming of your Spirit. In these moments open our ears so that we may hear you. Open our lives to your truth and empower us to follow Jesus more fully. Enable us to accept the unacceptable, challenge the conventional, and join together as members of your kingdom. AMEN

Praise Song "There's Something About That Name" UMH 171

Proclamation and Response

Scripture Lesson Luke 14: 1-14 (page 1621 in pew Bible)

Children's Moment Rhonda Brown

Message "ON THE ROAD TO JERUSALEM" Pastor Glen Stewart

A Stop in a Pharisees House

Thanksgiving & Communion

Testimony to Joys and Concerns

The Lord's Prayer

Pastoral Prayer

Offertory

The Doxology (UMH 95)

Prayer of Dedication (Unison)

How thankful we are, Lord, for all the blessings you have given. Our Church is surrounded by the richness of your soil that produces crops in abundance. Even more, the wonder of your Spirit enriches our lives with the promise of forgiveness and eternal life. We bring these gifts in gratitude for all that your love has showered upon us. Use them now for the work of your kingdom. AMEN

Sending Forth

Sending Song "O Master, Let Me Walk with Thee" UMH 430

Benediction

CHURCH CALENDAR

Monday, March 13 – Ministry Council Meeting 7:00 pm

Saturday, March 25 – Men's Breakfast 8:00 am Huddle

Thursday, April 6 – Women's Breakfast 8:30 am Huddle

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Our Mission of the Month for March is missionary Rev. Dr. Jin Y. Kim. Rev. Dr. Kim serves as the coordinator of Korean Peninsula Dialogue of Peace building of the World Council of Churches, based in Geneva Switzerland. Dr. Kim was commissioned in the Spring of 2017. Rev. Kim, a native of South Korea, is a clergy member of the Northern Illinois Annual Conference. Please make checks payable to "Reynolds Church" with Rev. Dr. Kim or "M.O.M." in the memo line and drop your donation any Sunday or mail to Penny Bennett. Thank you. Missions Team

Submit items for the Newsletter to the Church office by March 27th

Serving This Sunday, March 12

Organist: Bev Kerns

Ushers for this week: Volunteers needed

Greeters: TBD

Liturgist: Volunteer needed

Youth Moment: Rhonda Brown

Children's Church Teacher: Rhonda Brown

Children's Church Shepherd: Volunteer needed

Communion Steward for March: Kathy Becker

Church Hostess for March: Contact Kathy Becker

Coffee Fellowship Time: Lois & Bob Heimbaugh

Plowing/shoveling snow: Service Opportunity Available

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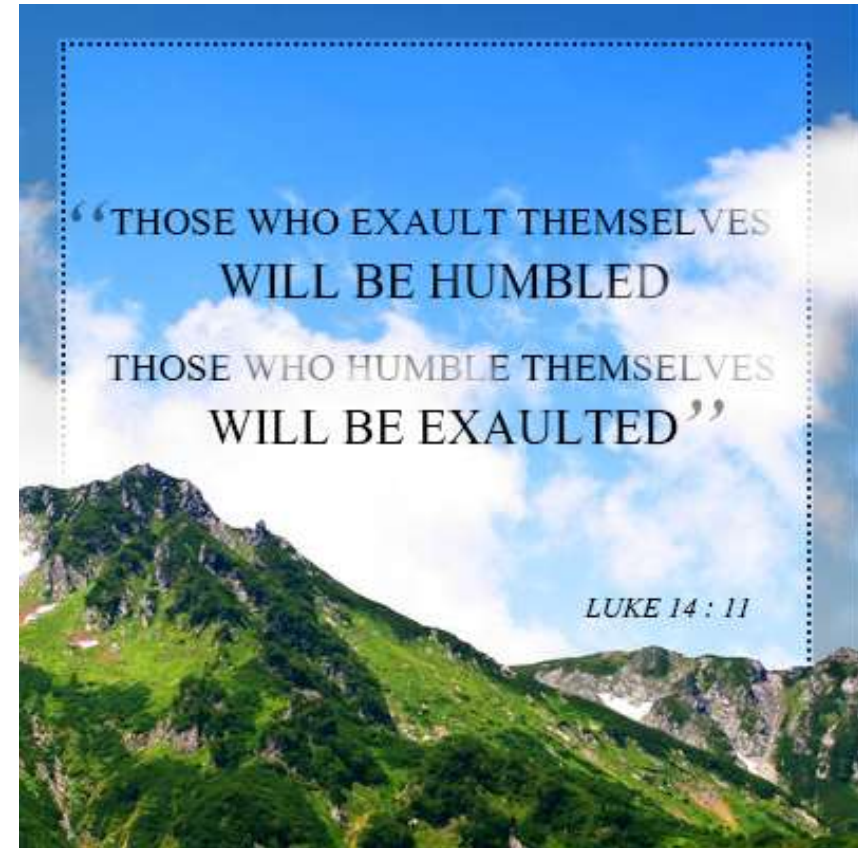
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Offering for:

Church Fund: \$1385.00

MOM \$30.00



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