

For PRAYER . . .

CHURCH FAMILY:

Geoff Gilbert; Doris Branam; Stanley Stevenson; Matthew Kincer; Jim Thompson; Dolores Pruitt; Connie Fletcher; Dorothy Wright; Julie Butler

Heritage Hall: Betty Kelly

Pastor Nominating Committee (PNC)

Michael Thomas, Kristie Hancock Clifton, Barbara Kincer, Josh Thompson, Davina Larimer Perkins, Howie Mitchell, and Peggy Riley.

OTHERS:

Family & friends of the Burkes Garden accident victims; Dixie Griffith Mitchem; Patsy & Raymond Walker; Reverend Michael Weller; Kim McGraw's mother.

Active Military Service: Jon Wright.

TO PASS ALONG A PRAYER REQUEST:

Contact Eunice Jones at (276.988.4412) jnseun@aol.com); or the church office at (276.988.4724; sectazpresb12@yahoo.com). Names will remain on the Prayer List for 4 weeks, unless otherwise requested.

THIS WEEK

Sunday, March 24, 2024

Worship Service-Black's Chapel	9:30 A.M.
Worship Service-TPC Sanctuary	11:00 A.M.

Monday, March 25, 2024

Boy Scouts-Fellowship Hall	6:00 P.M.
Session Meeting-Board Room	7:00 P.M.

Wednesday, March 27, 2024

Adventure Time/TAG	3:30 P.M.
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Easter Sunday, March 31, 2024

Worship Service-Black's Chapel	9:30 A.M.
Worship Service-TPC Sanctuary	11:00 A.M.

Attendance:

March 17 TPC 40 Livestream 6 BC 12 Total 58

Pulpit Schedule for March 24 & 31, 2024

March 24	Pastor Grace Kim
March 31	Pastor Grace Kim

REMINDER

If you have promised food for Holy Week at Main Street United Methodist Church, please remember it is due on Tuesday, March 26 by 11:30 in DISPOSABLE container.

Thanks so much, Joan

**Tazewell Presbyterian Church
& Black's Chapel**

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

Welcome

We welcome all who join our Sunday worship service. If you are not able to be present in our sanctuary you can join us live on [YouTube by searching Tazewell Presbyterian Church](#). All of our live-streamed services are available for replay. Through our worship, we proclaim the Gospel of Jesus Christ and celebrate the community of faith. We are happy that you are here!

Holy Week Services

Monday, Tuesday, and Wednesday, March 25-27 Community Holy Week Services-12:00 noon at Main Street United Methodist Church. Lunch will follow in their fellowship hall.

Thursday, March 28, 7:00 p.m. Maundy Thursday service at Richlands Presbyterian Church. Members of our choir will participate with the RPC Choir.

Friday, March 29, 7:00 p.m. Tenebrae service in our sanctuary. Members of Richlands Presbyterian Choir and other friends will participate with our TPC Choir.

Holy Week Nails

You are invited to take a nail this morning, from the container in the narthex. We carry these with us throughout Holy Week as a reminder of the significance of Christ's journey, and of our own personal relationship, to the cross. We are then invited to drop our nails at the cross as part of the Tenebrae service on Friday evening.

One Great Hour of Sharing

During the season of Lent, we are receiving the gifts to One Great Hour of Sharing. This offering supports the Presbyterian Hunger Program, the Presbyterian Committee on the Self-Development of People, and Presbyterian Disaster Assistance. This offering will also be used for the Care Portal and prison ministry in Tazewell County.

Special Emphasis Food Pantry Needs

Special Emphasis for the month of **March** is canned fruit.

SUNDAY WORSHIP

March 24, 2024

Palm Sunday



**TAZEWELL PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
Black's Presbyterian Chapel**

The Gathering

Chiming of the Hour

Prelude and Children's Procession with Palms:

Hosanna, Loud Hosanna arr. Burkhardt

Choral Introit: *Tell Me the Stories of Jesus* Choirs

Welcome and Announcements

Call to Worship

One: We come to prepare for the holiest of weeks.

**Many: In this week of the journey, people lose their way
while others find hope hidden in their hearts.**

One: We will try to follow Jesus in the days to come,

**Many: Joining the children, we wave palm branches
with joy while keeping nails ready if needed.**

One: The One who set aside glory, comes in humility;
the One who offers life, will challenge death itself.

**Many: Hosanna! Hosanna! Blessed is the One who
opens the gate of God's kingdom.**

***Hymn 196**

All Glory, Laud, and Honor

Prayer of Confession

Lord Jesus Christ,
you call us to be servants yet we confess we like to be
served. You call us to give ourselves away for love's
sake, yet we confess we like to hang on to what we
have. We can't imagine following you to the cross.
Change us, O God. By the power of your spirit, alter us
so that we follow Jesus who offers a new life.
Amen.

Kyrie

Come, Ye Sinners (refrain)

I will arise and go to Jesus;
He will embrace me in his arms;
In the arms of my dear Savior,
O, there are ten thousand charms.

Assurance of God's Grace

One: At his birth, Jesus comes bringing us hope.
 Entering Jerusalem, he brings us assurance.
 Walking to Calvary, he leads us to a new life.
 Friends, hear the good news!

Many: In Jesus Christ, we are forgiven.
Thanks be to God!

*Passing of the Peace

The peace of Christ be with you.
And also with you.
(Please share the peace with those around you).

*Response of Praise

refrain, The Old Rugged Cross

So I'll cherish the old rugged cross,
Till my trophies at last I lay down;
I will cling to the old rugged cross,
And exchange it someday for a crown.

The Word

God's Word in Song: *Antiphonal Hosanna* G. Alan Smith

Children's Message Barbara Kincer

Scripture: Psalm 118:19-29 (Pew Bible, pg. 493)
Mark 11:1-11 (Pew Bible, pg. 823)

Sermon Rev. Grace Kim

“Altered By Broken Expectations”

Response to the Word

***Affirmation of Faith** *from the Confession of 1967*

We acknowledge that God's sovereign love
is a mystery beyond the reach of human minds.
We ascribe to God superlatives of power, wisdom,
and goodness.
But in Jesus Christ God reveals love
by showing power in the form of a servant,
wisdom in the folly of the cross,
and goodness in receiving sinful people.
The power of God's love in Christ
transforms the world
and discloses that the Redeemer is the Lord and Creator
who made all things to serve the purpose of his love.
Amen.

Hymn 829, Verses 1 & 2 *My Faith Looks Up to Thee*

Invitation to Offering

Offertory: *Jesus Walked This Lonesome Valley* arr. Larkin

*Doxology

**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**

Celebrations and Concerns

Prayers of the People and 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 debts,
as we forgive our debtors.
And lead us not into temptation,
but deliver us from evil.
For thine is the kingdom, and the power,
and the glory, forever. Amen.

Sending and Service

***Hymn 198** *Ride On, Ride On in Majesty*

***Benediction**

*Chiming of the Trinity

**Please rise in body and/or spirit.*