#### Postlude

\*Please stand in body or in spirit.

Please join us for fellowship following worship.

Music: Peggy Davidson Liturgist: Lynn Eberhart

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### **Announcements:**

- A reminder Serving Group 5 will serve at the manor today.
- Adult Bible Study on Genesis, Monday, March 10th, at 7:00 P.M.
- Youth Group will meet Wednesday, March 12th, at 6:30.
- Ladies' Sewing group will meet Thursday, March 13th, at 9:00 A.M.
- Last week, we brought back the children's offering during the children's message on Sundays. We will plan to work toward a goal with this offering—toward a ministry—sponsoring a child, or other mission.
- Are you a good mystery solver? Join the Marshall County Prayer Rock Museum fundraiser mystery, "Murder at the Museum" on Saturday, March 15th. Details on the bulletin board.

<u>In our thoughts & prayers:</u> Please Jeani Amacher and others dealing with cancer; for Joyce Kann, and many others dealing with serious health concerns; those dealing with the loss of loved ones; and all people around the world dealing with loss and devastation.





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March 9<sup>th</sup>, 2025

# Welcome to Worship March 9<sup>th</sup>, 2025, 10:00 A.M. First Sunday in Lent

## **Gathering Around the Word**

Ringing of the Bell

**Announcements** 

**Prelude:** I Could Sing of Your Love Forever

w/When in Our Music God is Glorified - Peggy Davidson

Invocation

\*Call to Worship:

Welcome home, beloved children of God!

Gathered in God's arms, we come to worship.

Sheltered in God's love, we come to grow in love.

Abiding in God, we seek solace and comfort.

Even as God sends us on wilderness journeys,

we trust that God is with us, guiding and protecting our days.

\*Hymns of Praise: Into My Heart 485(2x)

I Will Call Upon the Lord #530 Since Jesus Came into My Heart #503

\*Prayer of Confession: God of our weary years, lift us up and guide us forward, when we are tired beyond words. Pour your grace into our souls, when we give in to temptation and stray where we were never meant to go. Shepherding God, guide us back to you and show us the path home. In hope and gratitude, we pray in Jesus's name. Amen.

\*Gloria Patri (words on screen)

Children's Message and Offering:

Prayers of the People and the Lord's Prayer

**Hearing the Word** 

Scriptures: Psalm 91:1-2,9-16; Romans 10:8b-13 Lynn Eberhart

**Hymn of Consecration:** Be Thou My Vision #562

Gospel Reading: Luke 4:1-13 Lance Griese

Congregation: "Thanks be to God"

Message: "The Day of the Lord" Lance Griese

Giving of our Tithes, Gifts and Offerings

Offertory: Praise the Name of Jesus Peggy Davidson

\*Response: We Give Thee But Thine Own #816

\*Offering Prayer: God of abundance, we offer these gifts, along with our praise and thanksgiving. You generously pour out your love and the gifts of this good earth to us, each and every day. Bless the gifts we return to you now, that they may bring abundant love and sustenance to many in need of your blessing. With grateful hearts, in Christ's name, we pray.

### Sending into the World

\*Sending Hymn: I Know Whom I Have Believed #527

\*Charge and Benediction

<sup>\*</sup>Call to Confession:

<sup>\*</sup>Assurance of Pardon