READING THE BIBLE THROUGH: March 16 Judges 9 - 10 1 Deuteronomy 26 – 27 17 Judges 11 – 13 2 Deuteronomy 28 – 29 18 Judges 14 – 16 3 Deuteronomy 30 – 32 19 Judges 17 – 19 4 Deuteronomy 33 – 34 20 Judges 20 - 21 5 Joshua 1 – 4 21 Ruth 1 – 4 6 Joshua 5 – 7 22 1 Samuel 1 – 3 7 Joshua 8 – 10 23 1 Samuel 4 – 7 8 Joshua 11-13 24 1 Samuel 8 – 12 9 Joshua 14 – 17 25 1 Samuel 13 – 14 10 Joshua 18 – 20 26 1 Samuel 15 - 16 11 Joshua 21 – 22 27 1 Samuel 17 - 18 12 Joshua 23 – 24 28 1 Samuel 19 - 21 13 Judges 1 – 3 14 Judges 4 – 5 29 1 Samuel 22 – 24 30 1 Samuel 25 - 27 15 Judges 6 - 8 31 1 Samuel 28 – 31

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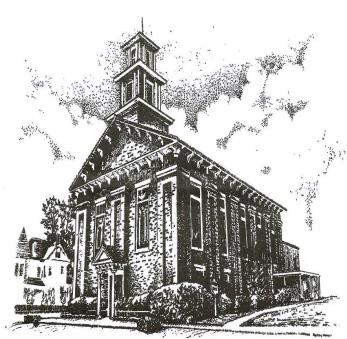


To give, please use the offering plates located at each entrance or visit www.wetumpkafirst.com/give.





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March 23, 2025

Third Sunday in Lent

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## Mission Statement:

Worship Passionately Love Extravagantly Witness Boldly

# Order of Worship

Liturgical Color: Purple

| Welcome and Announcements                                                                     |                                           | Deanna Nelson     |  |  |
|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------|-------------------|--|--|
| Prelude                                                                                       |                                           | Kathy Willis      |  |  |
| *Hymn                                                                                         | <i>"My Hope is Built"</i> (vs. 1, 2,4)    | Pg. 102           |  |  |
| Affirmation of Faith (The Apostles Creed)                                                     |                                           | Congregation      |  |  |
| Children's Moment Mrs. Ashley<br>(Children ages 4—4th grade exit for Children's Church today) |                                           |                   |  |  |
| *Doxology                                                                                     | (Ushers bring the offering forward)       | Congregation      |  |  |
| Prayer Concerns Re                                                                            |                                           | v. Matt Albritton |  |  |
| Lord's Praye                                                                                  | er Re                                     | v. Matt Albritton |  |  |
| Anthem                                                                                        | "Hallelujah! Thine the Glory"             | Chancel Choir     |  |  |
| Scripture                                                                                     | John 8: 12; Matthew 5: 14-16 Re           | v. Matt Albritton |  |  |
| Sermon                                                                                        | I Am the Light of the World Re            | v. Matt Albritton |  |  |
| *Hymn "                                                                                       | <i>Open My Eyes, That I May See"</i> (vs. | 1,2,3) Pg. 311    |  |  |
| Postlude                                                                                      |                                           | Kathy Willis      |  |  |
| *Please stand                                                                                 | as you are able.                          |                   |  |  |

The beautiful flowers placed on the altar this morning are given to the Glory of God and in loving memory of my son (David's stepson) Nathan Williams who would have celebrated his 35th birthday on March 8th, by David & Becky King.

### **PRAYER CONCERNS:**

| John & Scarlotte Holmes                | Gary Barnes       | J.P. Schroeder |  |  |
|----------------------------------------|-------------------|----------------|--|--|
| Nancy Holdbrooks                       | Miranda Abernethy | Jennie Payne   |  |  |
| Larry & Sandra Hill                    | Nell Head         | Paul Henderson |  |  |
| Ann Bruce                              | Cornbread         | Jeff Williams  |  |  |
| Mariella Easterling                    | Charlene Lovelace | Wendy Roy      |  |  |
| Bobby Penson                           | Lorlei Linger     | Cathy Wilson   |  |  |
| June Wilson                            | Warren Fritz      |                |  |  |
| Frances Borders' granddaughter Melissa |                   |                |  |  |
|                                        |                   |                |  |  |

### **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

<u>Tomorrow! SIS MONTHLY MEETING</u>—I p.m. in Wesley Hall. Everyone is welcome to participate!

<u>Reminder...NO WEDNESDAY ACTIVITIES THIS WEEK!!!</u> March 24—March 28 is Spring Break week so we will <u>NOT</u> have any of our regular Wednesday afternoon and evening activities on March 26. <u>Homebound meals will be delivered</u>. HAPPY SPRING BREAK!

Attention Graduating High School Seniors of the Class of 2025: <u>DON'T MISS THE SUNDAY, APRIL 6 DEADLINE TO</u> <u>REGISTER</u> to participate in our Senior Sunday Celebration. Graduating high school seniors—email Jamie@wetumpkafirst.com in order to participate!

Keenagers Easter Luncheon, Tuesday, April 8 at 11:45 a.m. in the <u>FLC</u>. If you are not participating in these gatherings you are missing lots of good food, laughter and the best fellowship in town! Plan now to come and enjoy a spring and Easter/Bunny hopping good time on April 8!