

# “Jesus, Fill Us with Your Love”



WE LOVE  
BECAUSE HE FIRST  
LOVED US.

1 JOHN 4:19, NRSV

## Lent, 2018

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**February 14<sup>th</sup>**—Ash Wednesday Worship at 6:30 pm—Sanctuary  
Meditation: “Fill Us with Your Love”  
All LOGOS Worship Groups, Sanctuary Choir  
Imposition of Ashes

## **SUNDAY WORSHIP—8:30 & 11:00 am**

**February 18<sup>th</sup>**—First Sunday in Lent  
Genesis 9:8-17, Mark 1:9-15  
Sermon: “Trying Times”

**February 25<sup>th</sup>**—Second Sunday in Lent  
Genesis 17:1-17, 15-16, Mark 8:31-38  
Sermon: “Trust and Obey”  
Four Cents a Meal, Fair Trade Coffee  
Lenten Prayer Breakfasts – 9:45 am  
Annual Meeting of the Congregation – 12:00 noon

**March 4<sup>th</sup>**—Third Sunday in Lent  
**LOGOS Sunday (11:00) with All LOGOS Worship Groups**  
Theme: “Great Is the Lord!”  
Psalm 145:1-9  
Sermon: “It’s Not About Us!”  
Communion, CCAP Offering

**March 11<sup>th</sup>**—Fourth Sunday in Lent  
Numbers 21:4-9, John 3:14-21  
Sermon: “God’s Calling Card”

**March 18<sup>th</sup>**—Fifth Sunday in Lent  
Jeremiah 31:31-34, John 12:20-33  
Sermon: “Beyond Our Imagining”

**March 25<sup>th</sup>**—Palm/Passion Sunday  
Isaiah 50:4-9, Mark 11:1-11, Mark 14:1-15:47  
Sermon: “Love Wins!”  
Liturgy of the Palms & Passion  
LOGOS Worship Groups (11:00)  
Four Cents a Meal, Fair Trade Coffee, G.I.F.T. Event (9:45)



# HOLY WEEK SERVICES

## MAUNDY THURSDAY COMMUNION SERVICE

Thursday, March 29<sup>th</sup>                      7:00 pm                      Fellowship Hall  
"At the Table"  
An Intergenerational Experience  
Special Music

## GOOD FRIDAY TENEBRAE SERVICE

Friday, March 30<sup>th</sup>                      7:00 pm                      Sanctuary  
John 18:1 – 19:42  
Meditation: "What's Good About It?"  
Special Music  
Recessional with the Cross

## EASTER EVENT FOR FAMILIES

Saturday, March 31<sup>st</sup>  
Breakfast Included—9:00-10:30 am

## EASTER SUNDAY—April 1<sup>st</sup>

EASTER SUNRISE WORSHIP—6:18 am                      Pitcock Memorial Shelter  
John 20:1-18  
Breakfast Follows in Fellowship Hall

## RESURRECTION DAY WORSHIP—8:30 & 11:00 am

Acts 10:34-43, Mark 16:1-8  
Sermon: "No Fooling – This Is No Joke!"  
One Great Hour of Sharing  
Communion  
LOGOS Worship Groups (11:00)



## **BIBLE & BROWN BAG ON FEBRUARY 18<sup>th</sup>**

Adults are invited to share in a thought-provoking Lenten study facilitated by Pastor Witt on Sunday, February 18<sup>th</sup>, from 4:00-6:00 pm. Bring a brown bag supper that we'll eat midway through our conversation; snacks and drinks will be provided. We'll be discussing "Scenes on the Way to the Cross," focusing on significant events in Jesus' life as he moves from the wilderness to ministry to his final week.

## **LENTEN PRAYER BREAKFASTS FOR ALL AGES**

Sunday, February 25<sup>th</sup>—9:45 am—Classroom #3, Fellowship Hall & Assembly Room

## **"DINNER & A MOVIE"**

Sunday, March 4<sup>th</sup>—4:00 pm—Fellowship Hall

All ages are invited to come and see "Wonder" and enjoy dinner together.

## **LENTEN DEVOTIONALS AVAILABLE—Gathering Area & Dell Room**

"Lenten Prayer Book" for Adults and Youth

"Practicing Love" for Families and Children

Take one home TODAY

## **ONE GREAT HOUR OF SHARING**



The One Great Hour of Sharing offering is one of the four church-wide special offerings sponsored by the Presbyterian Church (USA). It is usually taken during Lent, especially on Easter. This year marks the 69<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the first OGHS, begun as American Christians recognized the need to respond to the worldwide devastation caused by World War II. In March 1949, a national broadcast on a Saturday evening asked Americans to give generously the next morning in their churches; a remarkable assembly of national leaders and celebrities gave their efforts to the broadcast, and more than 75,000 churches responded the next day.

Today, our contributions to One Great Hour of Sharing are divided equally among the Presbyterian Hunger Program, Presbyterian Disaster Assistance, and Self-Development of People. When it comes to Easter Sunday, when most churches collect the One Great Hour of Sharing, let there be no mistake about our commitment to feed the poor and help the afflicted. We encourage everyone to give to OGHS.

**ONE GREAT HOUR OF SHARING RECEIVED AND DEDICATED  
EASTER SUNDAY, APRIL 1<sup>st</sup>**