 **Lenten Affirmation of Faith ~ based on **Philippians 2:5-11**** (in unison)
We believe in Christ Jesus, who, though He was in the very form of God, did not regard equality with God as something to be exploited, but emptied Himself, taking the form of a slave, being born in human likeness. And being found in human form, He humbled Himself and became obedient to the point of death – even death on a cross; therefore, God highly exalted Him and gave Him the name that is above every name, so that at the name of Jesus every knee shall bow, in heaven and on earth and under the earth, and every tongue shall confess to the glory of God: Jesus Christ is Lord! Amen.

Silent Prayers of Confession and Intercession
Pastoral Prayer

The Lord's Prayer ~ (Matthew 6:9-13, KJV) (in unison)
Our Father which art in heaven, Hallowed be Thy name. Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done in 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, for ever. Amen.


Choral Prayer Response **Choir**
“O the Blood of Jesus”

Anthem **Choir**
“All Because of Your Amazing Grace” Cindy Berry


Offertory Sentence: ***“Honor the LORD with your substance and with the first fruits of all your produce; then your barns will be filled with plenty, and your vats will be bursting with wine.”*** (Proverbs 3:9-10)

Receiving of Our Tithes and Offerings

Offertory **Piano / Organ**
“Ah, Holy Jesus” Johann Cruger
 ***“Doxology”*** **#815**


 Prayer of Dedication

Children's Message **Steve Summers**


 Please rise in body or spirit.

Anthem **Choir**
“Here Is Love” R. Lowery / arr. G. Wheatley

 Hymn **#327**
“The Old Rugged Cross”


 Reading of the Scripture **Psalm 51:3-6** (pg. 502)
Pastor: The Word of God for the People of God.
People: Thanks be to God.

 Prayer
Message **Moving from Guilt to Forgiveness and Freedom**
(A Lenten Journey through Psalm 51)

 Hymn of Invitation **#320**
“Beneath the Cross of Jesus”
(Anyone who may be ready to receive Jesus Christ as Lord and Savior, rededicate their lives to Christ, join the church, or request special prayer is invited to come forward and meet with the pastor during the Hymn of Invitation.)

 Benediction
 Postlude **Piano / Organ**
“In the Cross of Christ I Glory” Rathbun

GO and SERVE

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Activities for March 19 ~ 25, 2017

Sunday: 9:30 a.m. Sunday School
10:45 a.m. Worship Service
12:15 p.m. Youth Lunch and Archery
Wednesday: 6:30 p.m. Choir Practice



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Prayer Concerns

In the Hospital

On-going Health and Prayer Concerns

Mildred Acuff; Mike Bachman; Preston Beeler (cousin of Greg Beeler); Gordon Blaylock; Dick Booher; Vera Boyatt (mother of Kim Boyatt); Peggy Bradshaw (mother of Dianne Fielder); Wanell Brown (friend of Rose Wilkinson); Kathy Byers (daughter of Betty Hammill and mother of Lisa Booker); Charlotte Byrd; **Cumberland Presbyterian missionaries**; Maxine Curtis; Mary Helen Daniel; Mae Denton (friend of Tammy Eblen); Grace Flory (mother of Lois Witmer); James Fritz (school bus driver of Jonathan Spencer); Judy Gammon; Jack Gaston; Mark Hester; Betty and Bud Hickman (friends of Mary Ann Haney); Pat Housley (coworker of Amanda Roberts); Edna Hughes (sister of Rue Dougherty); Betty Kennedy (friend of Rose Wilkinson); **our Kids Hope USA ministry**; Bob Lawson (friend of Pastor Mike); Alexi Llewellyn (granddaughter of a friend of Rose Wilkinson); Catherine McKinney; Ruth McNabb (mother of Tammy Eblen); Dewaine Moncier, Jr. (cousin of Dianne Fielder); Mary Anne Moncier (aunt of Dianne Fielder); Alice Montgomery; Georgia Moore (sister of Jewell Kerr); Amy Beth Davidson Morgan; **FAMILY OF BARBARA MULLENAX**; Cliff Parrott; Tom Parrot (son of Cliff Parrot); Sara Paul (friend of Rose Wilkinson); **persecuted Christians around the world**; Dianne Pipkin; Jan Pipkin (sister-in-law of Dianne Pipkin); Anna Faye Presley (niece of Catherine McKinney); David and Rebecca Rech (parents of Justin Rech); Marilyn Ritchey (daughter-in-law of Marlene Ritchey); John Snoderly (brother of Betty Hammill); John Snoderly, Jr. (nephew of Betty Hammill); Sydney Snoderly (great-niece of Betty Hammill); Jean Stapleton (mother of Elaine Stapleton); Shane Thompson (cousin of Hannah Haddox and Amanda Roberts); Angel Tindell (granddaughter of Catherine McKinney); Carl Ware (father of Sam Ware); Codee Weaver (son of Elaine Stapleton); Lee Wells (mother of a coworker of Susan Edwards); Devan Wilhite (friend of Greg Beeler); Rose Wilkinson (mother of Pastor Mike and Susan Edwards)

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March 19, 2017

10:45 a.m.

Third Sunday in Lent

Welcome and Announcements

Registration of Attendance

Prelude

"Are Ye Able, Said the Master"

Piano / Organ

Beacon Hill Chimes

Lighting of the Candles

Gracie Hayes and Sarah Grace Paschke

Chimes



Call to Worship

"Hallelujah, What a Savior!"

#311



Prayer of Invocation



Hymn of Praise

"There Is a Fountain"

#336



Greeting

"Near the Cross"

#319



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