



Order of Worship - First Sunday in Lent - February 18, 2024

Prelude	<i>Récit – Trio</i>	Louis Marchand (1669-1732)
Welcome/Call to Worship		Rev. Maeve Hammond
Processional Hymn	<i>O Love, How Deep, How Broad, How High</i> (vv. 1, 2, 3, 6)	Pilgrim Hymnal, #150
Morning Prayer The Lord's Prayer Act of Praise - Gloria Patri		Rev. Will Burhans
Hymn	<i>Forty Days and Forty Nights</i> (vv. 1, 2, 4, 5)	New Century Hymnal, #205
Scripture	Psalm 63 (sung response) <i>God my soul is thirsty for you like dry weary land without water.</i> Mark 1:9-15	Liturgist: Tracy V. Burhans
Sermon	"Walking Into Wilderness"	Rev. Will Burhans
Anthem	"Kyrie" from <i>Pavane</i> , Opus 50	Gabriel Fauré (1845-1924) arr. Arthur Frackenpohl
Offertory	<i>Ach Gott und Herr</i> (BWV 714)	J.S. Bach (1685-1750)
Prayers of the People	<i>If you are in the sanctuary, you are invited to come forward and light a candle for a prayer intention. If you are on the live-stream, you are invited to write your prayer request in the YouTube chat, and we will light candles in the sanctuary to represent your prayers. Please join us in singing "Jesus, Remember Me" during the candle lighting.</i>	
Closing Hymn	<i>I Want Jesus to Walk with Me</i>	Please see screens
Announcements/Benediction		Rev. Maeve Hammond/Rev. Will Burhans
Postlude	<i>Kyrie</i>	François Couperin (1668-1733)

Rev. Will Burhans, Lead Pastor, **Rev. Maeve Hammond**, Associate Pastor,
Jane Ring Frank, Minister of Worship & the Arts, **Maggie Keeler**, Minister of Children & Families,
Jeffrey Mead, Keyboards, **Sarah Marino**, Office Administrator
Thanks to **Brian McArdle**, our Live Stream Technician, and **Leslie French** for Slide Advancement.
Deacons serving today are: **Kate Carpini**, **Tony McPherson**, **David Peretti**, and **Janet Vaughn**.

Visitors, get connected!

Please tell us about yourself and/or request a prayer by filling out a Welcome/Prayer Request Card found in the pews.

Please keep these people in your prayers

Family and friends of Paul Rahmeier, in their grief.

Pam Willwerth, mother of Frank Willwerth, for peace and healing.

Cooper Sayre, Liz and Dick's grandson, for continued healing after his traumatic brain injury sustained in a November car accident.

Prayers for **John Loewy**, for his recovery and healing from his heart attack.

Prayers for the comfort and healing of cancer for **Belinda**.

Prayers of peace and strength for **Joanie Goodale**, Rev. Maeve's great-aunt.

Gledis, health for her heart.

Kathy Mortensen, for recovery and healing from surgery.

Continued prayers for Laurie Roby's friend **Laurel** and her sister, **Amy** in her ongoing treatment for cancer.

John Keeley, for healing and recovery.

Erin, Nanci Church's niece, who was recently diagnosed with cancer, for healing.

Sue Matinski, friend of Jody Mullane, for her treatment and diagnosis of breast cancer.

Carrie Ehrbar's parents, **Tom & Kathy**, who are losing their ability to live independently.

Shelly Griffiths, Tomye Little's cousin, for healing, comfort and peace for her and her family.

Nancy Alleyn, friend of Nick Wankowicz's sister, Nina, for healing.

Prayers for peace for **Mike Redding** and her loved ones.

Glenn McPherson, Tony McPherson's brother, for healing as he awaits a kidney transplant.

Olivia, for healing and help finding her way back to recovery.

Flowers

Today's chancel flowers are given to the Glory of God, and in memory of Ingrid Jansen, by the Sansom family.



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