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An Order of Service for Word, Worship and Table

SECOND SUNDAY of LENT

March 13, 2022 - 9:30 am

Entrance

Prelude

Welcome The Holy One is my light and my salvation; whom shall, I fear?

† **Call to Worship**

“God is So Good”

Choir

† **Greeting**

L: The Holy One calls us to trust and pray.

P: God is our light and salvation, the stronghold of our lives.

L: The Holy One calls us to take courage, as we travel the path with Jesus.

P: Teach us Your ways, O God, and lead us on our journeys.

L: Blessed is the one who comes in the name of the Lord.

P: Behold the beauty of the Holy One and bless God’s holy name.

† **Opening Hymn**

“Stand Up, Stand Up for Jesus”

#514

† **Opening Prayer**

(Unison)

Lord, we come to You this morning with so many concerns and issues that demand our attention. Our lives are burdened; our spirits are tired. Guide our lives and our steps as we walk this Lenten journey, inward and outward. Help us to discern what You would have us do, that others may be healed. In Jesus’ name, we pray. AMEN.

Old Testament Reading

Psalm 27

Pastor

† **Gloria Patri**

#70

Children’s Message

Receiving of Joys and Prayer Concerns

Pastor

Musical Interlude

Pastoral Prayer and Silent Meditation

Special Music

“Soon and Very Soon”

Choir

Message

**Philippians 3:17-4:1
Our Citizenship Is in Heaven**

Pastor

Gathering at the Table for Holy Communion

#12-15

† **Sending Forth**

“When We All Get to Heaven”

#701

† **Benediction**

† **Postlude**

† *Please stand as you are able*

ANNOUNCEMENTS & PARISH NOTICES

Welcome to Morris Chapel United Methodist Church! We are excited that you joined us in Worship today via FaceBook Live and in person. All are welcomed as we come together to praise God and make disciples for Jesus!

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

Welcome to Leslie Orlovsky who will be assisting Morris Chapel by playing piano for us on Sundays. We are grateful for her talents, and will be blessed by having live music again! Thanks be to God!

Altar Flowers - The flowers on the altar are given to the glory of God and in memory of Grace McNeill, a faithful and loving wife, mother, Grandmother, and a friend to all.

Lent Devotion and Prayer Time - Please join Pastor Mike each morning during Lent on Facebook Live at 7:00 am for our Lent reading of the day and a time to spend in prayer. It is always good when we come together to pray!

SOUPER SUNDAY is TODAY! The Fellowship/Hospitality Committee thanks everyone who signed up – we anticipate a wonderful gathering for fellowship and lunch after the service!

Children/Youth Event: “Easter is Coming” Come and join the journey on Saturday, April 9th 4pm-6pm! We will experience the different parts of the Easter Story. Also, we will be making palm branch crosses for Palm Sunday. There will be snacks, music, games and more! Let us celebrate Easter by gathering to remember the story and the blessings!

Using Your Gifts: The Communications Ministry Team is seeking new members for 2022. If you (or anyone you might suggest) have technical and computer skills, are detail oriented, have editing skills and a general interest in learning about the Livestream production details, please contact Laurel Parker, Chairperson with your questions and interest. The Team also seeks a person to be backup Bulletin Preparer, so see Laurel for that as well. We thank you for considering assisting this team. (See phone# and email listed below under *Announcements*).

Tithes and Offerings: The church thanks you for your faithfulness in tithing and offering. Please continue to mail your gifts and tithes to the church or bring them when you attend. You may also follow the directions on the website at www.morrischapelumc.org for on-line giving through Vanco. Be in God’s Grace, Peace and Love.

*Announcements may be given by noon on Wednesdays
to Laurel Parker at laurelparker@charter.net or (919) 271-0963.*

REMEMBER IN PRAYER

Gwen Adams	Tommy Gross	Melissa Martin	Ron Scott
Richard & Pat Angel	Dave Gurkin	Jimmy McCormick	Maria Serra
Don Beach	Elva & Henry Hall	Linda McNeill	Sandra Shope
Joshua Black	Kristen Halsted	Mary McNeill	Caden Smith
Elizabeth Brown	Darothy Harris	Tim & Donna McNeill	Jackson Snipes (infant)
Louise Buchanan	Dennis Hartman	Martha Meeks	Fred & Margaret Spivey
Lucille Cameron	Lewis Hartman	Family of Henry Messina, Jr.	Michael Standridge
Christians in Middle East	Linda Holder	Military troops & families	Hilton Stewart
Ronnie & Ella Cleary	Mary Hudson	Jose Mota	Family of Jeff Taylor
Hal Cleavenger	Wayne Hudson	Molly Margaret O’Quinn	Jimmy Thomas
Noah Davis Clifton	Kendal Huepper	Nancy Page	Ukraine & Russian people
Betty Cox	Chad Huffman	Shirley Page	United Methodist Church
Greg Cox	Chayce Hunter	Wendy Pennington	United States of America
Ray Cox	Nancy Johnson	Brad Parrish	Chris Vaughan
Jeanette Amos-Cox	Laverne Joiner	Susie Pierce	Pam Vaughan
Lee Crutchfield	Bobby Jones	Phyllis Poe	Lance Weekly
Dan Stanley	Sandi Kankelfritz	Brenda Popke	Lilla Williams
Ben Edwards	June Kelly	Jason Ray	Bill Wilson
Melissa Edwards	Margaret Kilcullen	Johnny Ray	Jackie Wilson
Wayne & Elaine Everts	Beverly Leslie	Dot Roberts	Judy Wilson
Jerry Lynn Farmer	Lance Little	Angelene Rosser	Sammy Womack
Dennis Fore	Lost souls everywhere	Betty Jean Rosser	Seth Womble
Judy Garner	Maude Maloney	NC Schools-staff & student	
Family of Marvin Gaster	Chuck Mancillas	David Scott	
Natalie Goodwin			

SOUPER SUNDAY in the Fellowship Hall after church!!