

Worship Services during Lent

The Lenten focus on Sunday morning is on “Signs of the Kingdom.” We will look at different signs of the Kingdom of God Jesus demonstrated in his ministry.

March 3: Third Sunday in Lent- We will celebrate Holy Communion, and we will baptize Ann Todd Roberts, daughter of Dr. Amanda and William Roberts. The scripture will focus on Jesus *healing* a crippled woman as he showed her compassion for her suffering.

March 10: Fourth Sunday in Lent- The scripture focus is Jesus’ conversation with Nicodemus and his call for *new birth*.

March 17: Fifth Sunday in Lent- Jesus tells us that the greatest commandment of all is *love*: Love of God above all, love of neighbor, and love of self.

March 24: Palm Sunday- We celebrate the Triumphal Entry of Christ into Jerusalem as we sing our *praise* to Christ.

March 28: Maundy Thursday Service- We will join with St. Luke UMC at their church as we remember the Last Supper and the admonition of Jesus to “do this in remembrance of me.” This service is at **6:00 p.m.** at St. Luke UMC

March 29: Good Friday- We will host the Tenebrae Service at First UMC as we remember the suffering and death of Jesus Christ on the *Cross*. This service is at **6:00 p.m.** at our church.

March 31: EASTER!!!

7:00 a.m. Easter Sunrise Service- We will begin our celebration of the *Resurrection* of Jesus Christ with a Sunrise Service in the Greenspace (weather permitting)

10:55 a.m. Morning Worship- We continue in our celebration of the Resurrection in our regular worship hour as we rejoice and sing praises to God for His conquering the forces of sin and death through Jesus Christ!