

# Welcome to Philadelphia UMC

March 3, 2024

Third Sunday in Lent

## PRELUDE

### CALL TO WORSHIP

**L:** O God of all ages and all generations, we come to worship you.

**P:** Women, men, youth, and children bow before you, the only wise God.

**L:** Generations have led the way for spiritual awareness and growth.

**P:** We try to follow in their footsteps recognizing you as God of all.

**L:** As we worship you, all your attributes of glory, mercy, and love show forth.

**P:** We humble ourselves in your holy presence, because you are awesome. Holy, holy, holy is the name of the Lord.

\*HYMN "Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah" UMH #127

\*THE APOSTLES' CREED UMH #881

**I believe in God the Father Almighty, maker of Heaven and Earth; And in Jesus Christ His only Son our Lord: who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead and buried; the third day he rose from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and sitteth at the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence He shall come to judge the quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.**

**\*GLORIA PATRI "Glory be to the Father, and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost; as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen."**

## CHILDREN'S MOMENT

### OLD TESTAMENT

Exodus 3:7-15

Dixie Branch

## CHORAL ANTHEM

### PRAYERS, PRAISE AND THE LORD'S PRAYER

**Our Father who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name Thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, for ever and ever. Amen.**

### TITHES AND OFFERINGS

\*THE DOXOLOGY

UMH #95

### PRAYER OF ILLUMINATION (in unison)

Let the words of my mouth and the meditation of our hearts be acceptable in your sight, O Lord, our Rock and Redeemer. Amen.

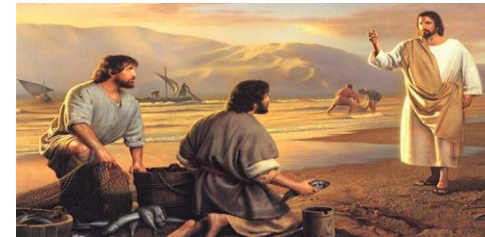
### SCRIPTURE READING

Mark 10:35-45

### SERMON

"Me First"

Rev. Kathy Pryor



### HOLY COMMUNION

UMH #12

Invitation – All are Welcome  
Confession and Pardon  
The Great Thanksgiving  
Giving the Bread and the Cup  
Prayer after Communion

\*HYMN "Must Jesus Bear the Cross Alone" UMH #424

\*THE BENEDICTION

\*THE POSTLUDE

*\*Those who are able, please stand.*

- Youth Meeting today at 6:00 pm!
- Children's Committee meeting today following worship.
- We need your help! Please bring candy-filled eggs for the Children's Easter Party on March 30th. Thank you in advance.
- F3 – Family, Faith, Fellowship Committee meeting Saturday, March 9<sup>th</sup> at 10:00 a.m. Coffee and pastries served.

**Reminders:** Masks available for everyone while inside the church buildings.

# ANNOUNCEMENTS

Welcome to Worship at Philadelphia United Methodist Church!  
 We are delighted you have chosen to worship with us this morning!

### Opportunities This Week

Today	Children’s Committee Meeting following Worship	10:30am
	Choir Practice	6:00pm
	Youth Group	6:00pm
Wednesday	UMW/UMM	6:00pm
Saturday	F3-Family, Faith, Fellowship Committee meeting	10:00am

**Easter Baskets** are in the vestibule and ready to be filled for our shut-ins!

**Candy/Treat-Filled Easter Eggs** are needed for our Children’s Easter Egg Hunt and party on March 30<sup>th</sup>.

**We appreciate all donations!**

### Upcoming Events

March 24<sup>th</sup> – 9:30am, Palm Sunday Worship and Communion, “Your King is Here”

March 25-29 – 11:30am-12:30pm, Holy Week Services, Episcopal Church of the Good Shepherd 108 Liberty St. York; Lunch provided

March 28<sup>th</sup> – 6:00pm, Maundy Thursday Service, “A Family Gives Their Home”

March 30<sup>th</sup> – 10:00am, Children’s Easter Party and Egg Hunt

March 31<sup>st</sup> – 7:00am, Sunrise Service and Breakfast  
 9:30am, Easter Worship Service “Resurrection”

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**Alcoholics Anonymous (AA)** meets in the Fellowship Hall at Philadelphia UMC on Tuesdays and Fridays each week at 7:00pm.

**Yoga/Pilates** classes are offered each week on Mondays and Thursdays at 4:00pm in the Fellowship Hall at Philadelphia UMC. There is a \$5 charge per class.

**GIVING** – Philadelphia UMC provides Online Giving – a convenient and safe way to make a one-time or recurring tithes and offerings. Visit our website, [www.philadelphiayork.org](http://www.philadelphiayork.org), and click our Online Giving link.

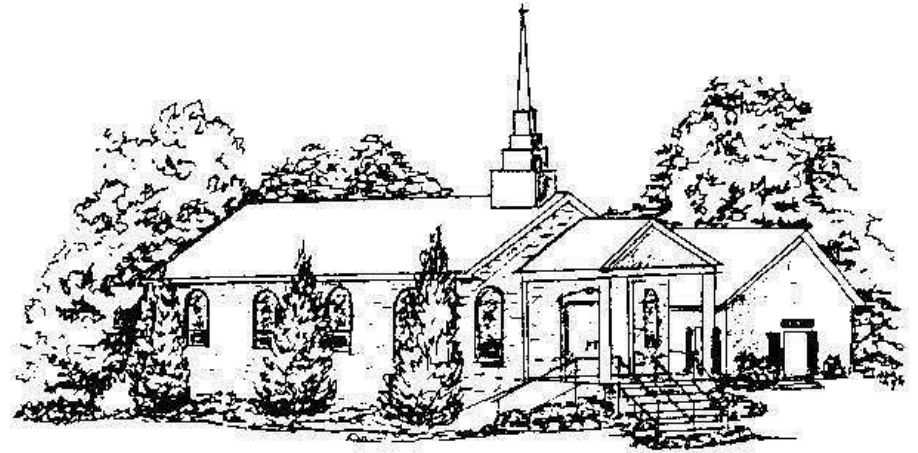
**2024 Weekly Budget Needs \$1,895.00    Received 2/25/2024 \$1,260.00**

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	<u><b>March 3<sup>rd</sup></b></u>	<u><b>March 10<sup>th</sup></b></u>
Liturgist	Dixie Branch	Hayley Dover
Ushers	Bobby Carson & Chuck Ramsey	Mike Reeves & Derrick Barrentine
Greeter	Chuck & Kelly Ramsey	Helen Lewis

Communion	<u><b>March</b></u>	<u><b>April</b></u>
Assistant	Wayne Sandifer	Joan Powell

\*\*Please send any announcements for the bulletin and/or calendar to Katie Knight, [katieknight719@gmail.com](mailto:katieknight719@gmail.com) or (803)627-9458 by Wednesday of each week.



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*Our Mission:*

**Knowing, Loving, Serving God  
and Neighbor**