

# Small Groups

Not attending a small group? There are several opportunities for you to get plugged in!

- **Adult Sunday School Class:** meets the first, third, and fourth Sundays of the month in the Crossroads classroom at 10:45am.
- **Tuesday Bible Studies:** one group open to all at 9:30am in the Crossroads classroom; women's study that meets at 10:00am in SE Classroom will not meet again until March. You are welcome at both!
- **Women's Thursday Night Small Group:** All ladies of the church are invited. Beginning February 12 they will meet from 7-8:30pm on the 2nd & 4th Thursdays of the month in the Pre-School Room.
- **Men's Group:** meets Wednesdays at 7:30am at The Original Pancake House.
- **Chick Chat:** a women's small group, meets every Thursday morning at 9:00am in the Crossroads classroom.
- **Journey Men:** men's group meets at 7:30am on the 1st & 3rd Saturdays of each month at the church.
- **Quilters:** meet the 1st & 3rd Saturdays of each month from 9am - 12pm.

## This week's calendar ...

Sun, Mar 22	10:45 am	Adult Sunday School
Mon, Mar 23		Newsletter Deadline
	10:00 am	Parkinsons Group
Tue, Mar 24	9:30 am	Bible Study
	10:00 am	Women's Bible Study
	7:00 pm	Al-Anon
Wed, Mar 25	7:30 am	Men's Bible Study
	6:30 pm	Praise Band
Thu, Mar 26	9:00 am	Chick Chat
	7:00 pm	Scouts
	7:00 pm	Women's Small Group
Fri, Mar 27	5-7pm	Prep for Easter Meal Basket distribution
Sat, Mar 28	10 am - 2 pm	Easter Meal Basket pick up



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# Welcome to Worship!

March 22, 2026 9:30 AM

Welcome/Announcements

Prelude

Praise Song

Call to Worship

Hymn

Offering with Hymn

Stations of the Cross

Pastoral Prayer/Lord's Prayer

Praise Song

Message "The BLT: Better Lent for Transformation!  
Self Giving: The Way of the Cross"

Praise Song

Benediction

Postlude

"Let it Rise"

"Sweet, Sweet Spirit"

"Breathe on Me, Breath of God"

"Sweetly Broken"

Rev Jungil Rhee

"Live Like That"

# Announcements

## Stations of the Cross

Over the next weeks during Lent a different Station of the Cross will be introduced each Sunday during worship. We encourage everyone to take part in this devotional time during the offering or prayer time each week.



NewsLetter  
**DEADLINE**

Please have articles for the April newsletter to the church office by Monday, March 23.



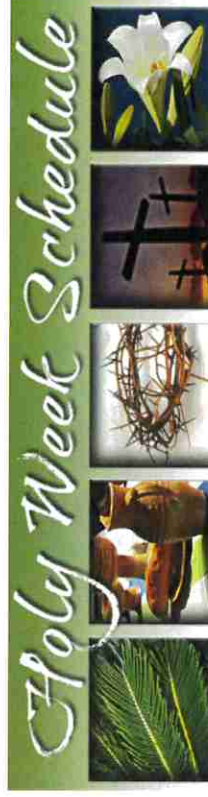
The United Women in Faith will be a bake sale next Sunday, March 29 during fellowship time. Proceeds will go to Cunningham Children's Festival of Quilts.



Food Pantry needs this month -

Jelly Applesauce Pasta Pasta Sauce

Thank you for keeping our food pantry stocked!



Sunday, March 29 — Palm Sunday Worship - 9:30am

Thursday, April 2 — Maundy Thursday Tenebrae Service - 6:00pm

Sunday, April 5 — Easter Sunday Service - 9:30am

*Please join us for a time of fellowship directly following the worship service today!*

# Sermon Notes

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