

Help the Children of our Community

As we think ahead to our participation in Southwire's *Back to School Event*, we are beginning our collection of underclothing for both girls and boys, K-12. A donation of any size underwear, bras, socks, or t-shirts for either boys or girls is welcome. A collection box for these items can be found outside of the church office.



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WELCOME! Carrollton Presbyterian is a community of believers committed to welcoming all people in the name of Jesus Christ. **CHILDREN-CPC** welcomes children and offers ways to make worship meaningful for them. Childcare is provided for children under 3 in our nursery downstairs. We have a child protection policy to promote safe, loving, and appropriate care.

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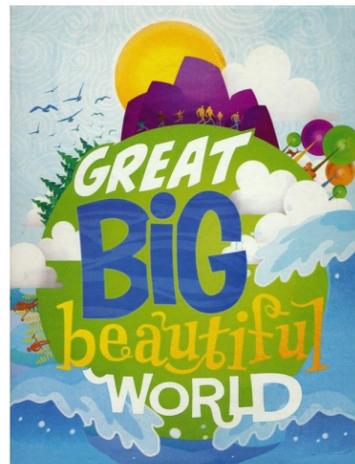
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SERVICE FOR THE LORD'S DAY 4TH. SUNDAY IN LENT MARCH 22, 2020 11:00 A.M.



Psalm 23

1) The Lord is my shepherd; I shall not want. 2) He maketh me lie down in green pastures; He leadeth me beside the still waters. 3) He restoreth my soul.; He leadeth me in the paths of righteousness for his name's sake. 4) Yea, though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I will fear no evil: for Thou art with me; thy rod and thy staff, they comfort me. 5) Thou preparest a table before me in the presence of mine enemies; thou anointest my head with oil.; my cup runneth over. 6) Surely goodness and mercy shall follow me all the days of my life; and I will dwell in the house of the Lord forever.



Calling All VBS Volunteers!

We Need You June 22—26
Check Your Calendar And
Let Linda or Jared Know
If You Can volunteer



Open Hands
United Christian Ministry
Caring People Sharing God's Love

NEEDS OUR HELP

IN MARCH
YOU CAN HELP BY
BRINGING IN



MONDAY, MARCH 23

TUESDAY, MARCH 24

2:00 pm Open Hands - Food

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 18

THURSDAY, MARCH 19

11:00 am Soup Kitchen
2:00 pm Open Hands—Food

FRIDAY, MARCH 20

SATURDAY, MARCH 21

SUNDAY, MARCH 22

11:00 am Streaming Worship Service

PREPARING TO WORSHIP GOD

Centering Prayer

Open my eyes that I may see, glimpses of truth Thou hast for me;
Place in my hands the wonderful key, that shall unclasp and set me
free. Silently now I wait for Thee, ready my God Thy will to see;
Open my eyes, illumine me, Spirit divine.

MUSICAL MEDITATIONS Seek Ye First Karen Lefferty
Mary Anne Taylor

GATHERING AROUND GOD'S WORD

()Please rise as you are able.*

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS Mary Anne Taylor

PRELUDE Gethsemane/The Power of the Cross Getty & Townsend

***CALL TO WORSHIP** Mary Anne Taylor

Lord Christ, open our eyes to see clearly the light of the world.
Holy Spirit, illumine our minds to perceive God's glory shining
among us. Almighty God, prepare our hearts to see, to trust, to
worship the Messiah.

***HYMN** Morning Has Broken 664

***CALL TO CONFESSION**

***PRAYER OF CONFESSION**

It is easy for us to fall into despair, O God. We are beset by the
problems in our world and in our personal lives. We confess that
instead of bringing our problems to you, Almighty God, we
tinker with them ourselves. We put faith in ourselves, believing
that we can solve our problems and the problems of the world.
Forgive us for our foolishness and remind us that it is you who
can heal us - it is you who brings wholeness and mercy. Turn our
hearts of stone into hearts of flesh that seek you in both good
times and bad.

***ASSURANCE OF GOD'S GRACE**

The God who challenges us is also the God who encourages us.
The God who confronts us is also the God who accepts us.
Be assured that God is with us now, accepting, guiding, and
forgiving.

Thanks be to God! Amen.

***WE ARE FORGIVEN** 447

*We are forgiven. We are forgiven.
Thanks be to God. Thanks be to God.
We are forgiven. We are forgiven.
Thanks be to God. Thanks be to God.*

LISTENING FOR GOD'S WORD

Prayer for Illumination

PSALTER LESSON Psalm 23 Pew Bible OT p. 501

This the word of the Lord!
Thanks be to God!

EPISTLE LESSON Ephesians 4:29 - 5:2, 5:8-14 Pew Bible NT p. 194

This is the Word of the Lord!
Thanks be to God!

ANTHEM Be Still and Know Steven Curtis Chapman
Tony Colpini and Mimi Gentry, Duet

GOSPEL LESSON John 10:1-18 Pew Bible NT p. 103

This is the Word of the Lord!
Thanks be to God!

SERMON

RESPONDING TO GOD'S WORD

AFFIRMATION OF FAITH The Apostle's Creed

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 Ghost, born of the Virgin Mary,
suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and
buried; he descended into hell; the third day he rose again

from the dead; he ascended into
heaven, and sitteth on 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 Ghost; the holy
catholic Church; the communion of saints; the
forgiveness of sins; the resurrection of the body; and the
life everlasting. Amen.

Words of Gifts and Grace

We are an Offering 710

We lift our voices; We lift our hands;
We lift our lives up to You:
We are an offering.
Lord use our voices; Lord use our hands;
Lord use our lives they are Yours:

We are an offering.
All that we have, all that we are,
All that we hope to be, we give to you, we give to you.
We lift our voices; we lift our hands;
We lift our lives up to you;
We are an offering; we are an offering

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE 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 debts as we forgive our debtors. And lead us not into
temptation, but deliver us from evil, for thine is the
kingdom, and the power, and the glory forever. Amen

***HYMN** Savior, Like a Shepherd Lead Us 187

***CHARGE AND BENEDICTION**

***POSTLUDE** O Sacred Head, Now Wounded Hans Leo Hassler