

Hilton United Methodist Church
2nd Sunday in Lent, February 21, 2016, 10:00 am

We Gather to Worship

Prelude

Dr. Hye-Bin Song

Call to Worship

One: Let us worship God, who has done great things.

All: We rejoice in our God, who made a way
through the desert of this world.

One: Let us worship God,
who has caused streams of mercy
to flow in the wasteland.

All: We are the people God has formed through Christ;
we worship him, and we rejoice!

One: Let us worship God in spirit and in truth.

All: We praise God for the grace that has saved us.
Alleluia! We rejoice! *from The Worship Sourcebook*

Introit:

“Depth of Mercy”

C Wesley/O Gibbons

Opening Prayer

Bob Blackburn, Lay Liturgist

All-knowing and all-caring God,
we gather this day drained by another week.
We are like a parched desert, empty and in need of replenishment.
Visit us with your presence, saturate us with your Spirit,
and bathe us in your streams of living water,
that our lives might acknowledge and worship you
to the praise and honor of Jesus Christ. Amen! — from *The Worship Sourcebook*

* Song:

“Good, Good Father” by Chris Tomlin

words on screen

Experiencing God Through God’s Word

* Gospel Lesson

Luke 15: 11-32

p 740 lp 1624

L: This is the Word of God for the people of God

P: Thanks be to God.

The Word for Children

Children ages 6-12 may now be dismissed for Jr. Church in the Youth Room

Choral Anthem

“Come to the Cross”

Joseph M Martin

Old Testament Lesson:

Isaiah 54:8-10

p 524 lp 1147

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P: Thanks be to God.

Message:

Campus Ambassadors

We Respond to God’s Word

* Hymn:

“Spirit Song”

UMH #347

Prayers of the People

Silent Prayer and Personal Confession

Pastoral Prayer

*God, I thank you for....
God, I need help with*

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, forever. Amen*

Giving to God

Offering our Tithes and Gifts

Offertory

* The Doxology #95 *Praise God, from who all blessings flow;
Praise him, all creatures here below;
Praise him above, ye heavenly host;
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen*

We Go Forth to Serve God

* Hymn:

“And Can It Be That I Should Gain ”

UMH # 363

Ministry Opportunities

The Benediction

Benediction Response:

“Go Now in Peace”

UMH # 665

Postlude

* Stand in body or spirit P = Bible page number, LP = Large Print Bible page

TFWS # = The Faith We Sing Hymnal; UMH # or # = The United Methodist Hymnal

Welcome to worship. We pray you feel God's presence in this place. Please sign the attendance pad so we may get to know you and pray for you and your family. Please consider joining us for refreshments and fellowship immediately following worship in the Fellowship Hall, which is located down the stairs near the entrances

The Grand Sweep - Our Grand Sweep adventure of reading through the Bible continues.
This Week's Reading [Week #45]: Acts 19-Romans 8 and Proverbs 2-4

PRAYER CONCERNS:

Project Chacocente Mission Trip 2016

Persecuted Christians around the world;

The Hand to Plow Process;

Our Mission Outreach Children: Marbelly and Ariel Velasquez Alvarado.

Residents of Care Facilities: Bob Hall; Gloria Hamm; Eleanor Harrington; Margaret Hendershot; Bill Hess; Marie Nundy, Betty Schultz; Natalie Turner.

Ongoing Health Concerns: Bob Comstock; Ron Davies; Ed Earnhart; Betty Everts; Alea Floyd; Andrew Hardy; Michele List; Mike Postilli; Betty Sullivan; John Sweeney; Chris Wanjon.

Service people: Sgt. Michael T. Bigley; Gen. James Blackburn; St. Sgt. Jason Brackley; LCpl. Nathan Coffey; Sgt. FC David Colucci; Msgt. Matthew Emerson; Capt Scott Fuller; Pvt Annika Moody; Sgt. Nick Mucci; Maj. Jathan Payne; LCpl Scott Ponton; Maj Nathan Thompson; Sr Airman Steven Trembley; Sgt. Cody Wise.

* If you know of anyone that should be added to this list please let us know.

Thank you to: Tom & Cindy Capuano and Miranda Kirsop for joining us today to share about *Campus Ambassadors*. It has been a pleasure to have you with us. Please join us in the Fellowship Hall during and after Coffee Hour to greet our guests and to learn more about *Campus Ambassadors*.

Please make plans to join us on Sunday March 6th from 1p to 3pm for a **Community Awareness Event on Human Trafficking**. It doesn't just happen somewhere else. Come and hear how we're affected locally and nationally. Learn ways to protect yourself and your family, and help local survivors. There will be age appropriate educational activities for all kids and teens, plus adult viewing of a HT video followed by an open question and answer period. We will also be collecting items to fill Care Packs to be delivered to local survivors. If able, please bring a small donation of soap, toothpaste, toothbrush, haircare items, or other toiletries to support those rescued. Any questions feel free to ask Deb Bunt or Deb Pardi."

We will be having a **pot luck dinner and game night** on Friday, March 11. We will eat dinner at 6:00 and begin games at 7:00. Bring your favorite dish to eat and your favorite game to play. No sign up is necessary.



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Following Christ ☆ *Connecting Generations* ☆ *Transforming Communities*

This Week:

Today: Worship at 10:00am
 Coffee & Fellowship in the Fellowship Hall
A Disciples Path Study & Adult SS – 11:30am in the Multi-Purpose Room (couch area)
 Youth Sunday School 11:30am – in the Youth Room
 Children’s Sunday School 11:30 on the 3rd Floor

Monday: Prayer Group @ 9:15am
 GS Troop #889- FH 6:30pm

Tuesday: GS Troop#939 – FH 6pm
Worship Design Team 7pm CR

Wednesday: Friendly Quilters – FH 9am
Lenten Lunch 12pm FH
 Choir Rehearsal following Service

Thursday: Bible Study 1pm Library
Church Council 7pm MPR

Friday: AA – FH 7pm

Fri-Sat: **Women of Faith - Buffalo**

Saturday: PCF Worship – Sanctuary 5:00pm

Sunday: PCF Worship – Sanctuary 8:30am
Worship @ 10am
 Fellowship & Coffee hour
 A Disciple’s Path Study – 11:30 MPR
 Sunday School 11:30am
 PCF Dinner 5-7pm FH

Staff at HUMC

Pastor: Rev. Jennifer Green
 Office Mngr: Patricia Van Vleck
 Music Coord.: Karen Bernhardt Kuntz
 Custodian: Bill Schubert
 Organist: Dr. Hye-Bin Song
 Youth Coord.: Angela Merrill
 Nursery: Amy Quartieri

Disciples Active In Worship This Week

Head Usher: Bob Comstock
 Greeter: Ingrid Richardson
 Guides: Katie Paxton-Johnson & Sharon Kron
 Nursery Ass’t: Maya Johnson
 Sound Booth: Pat Holenbeck
 Coffeeshour: Deb Ortiz-Pardi, Sue Sutherland & Sabrina Frew
 Worship Coord.: Scott Campbell
 Financial Sec.: Sally Lee
 Ministers: The Whole Congregation

Lenten Luncheons 2016

Come join us for a simple lunch of soup and sandwich and a Lenten meditation. All lunches will take place at Hilton United Methodist Church on Wednesdays during the Lenten season at noon. Lenten Luncheon dates are as follows:



<u>Date</u>	<u>Hosts</u>
Wednesday February 24 th	St Leo’s Catholic Church
Wednesday March 2 nd	Hilton United Methodist Church
Wednesday March 9 th	Hilton Baptist Church
Wednesday March 16 th	St. George’s Episcopal Church

The year’s theme will be based on Adam Hamilton’s book 24 Hours That Changed the World. We hope you will join us!

Visit with the Bishop

Upper New York Area Resident Bishop Mark J. Webb will be visiting the Genesee Valley District on Thursday, March 10, 2016 as part of his District Days tour. The theme of the tour will be “Increasing Our Capacity: A Time of Conversation and Encouragement.”

This gathering will be at Rush UMC. Bishop Webb will spend the morning and lunch together with clergy. An evening session will be open to both laity and clergy from 6:30 - 8 p.m. Anyone who would like to hear Bishop Webb speak is welcome to attend.

The Worship Design Team has placed a **Suggestion Box** in the Multipurpose room. The Suggestion Box is the ceramic church that is on the round table between the couch and the love seat. It is our hope that you will give us your feedback on the worship services, ideas for topics, and anything else you feel moved to share. You may also reach us by email at worshipdesign@humcny.com