



*We are called by Jesus Christ
to worship, make disciples, and serve.*

March 1, 2026

Traditional

Lent II

Welcome

Rev. Carol L. Pazdersky

Centering our Hearts on God (*Georgia Harkness, 1948*)+

How do you respond to these words?

“To pray well one must pray much.”

Prelude

Gary Lushbaugh – Music Director

* Call to Worship

Bill Smith

God calls us to the unknown to follow where grace leads.

We hear the call and trust the promise of what we cannot see.

God watches over all who live by faith.

Our help comes from the Lord, maker of heaven and earth.

**God offers a new life born of Spirit and truth. As newborn children, we
come to worship God with heart, soul, and voice.**

*Hymn of Praise

“To God Be the Glory”

UMH 98

Prayer of Honesty and Hope

Although we sin, God does not seek to punish us, but to reconcile us. Trusting in God’s great mercy, we offer our honest confession.

**Lord, at times we fall short of your glory. We dwell upon the wrongs done
to us rather than forgive as you forgive us. We spend time entertaining
ourselves rather than spending time with you. We hold tight to your
blessings rather than share them with our neighbors in need. (*All speak with
God in the silence.*)** Forgive us, Lord.

Heal our brokenness. Remind us that you love us to overflowing. May that love flow from us to the world.

Hear the good news of Acts 10:43: “All the prophets testify about him that everyone who believes in him receives forgiveness of sins through his name.” In the name of Jesus Christ, we are forgiven. **Praise be to God!**

Psalter

Psalm 121
Response 2

UMH 844

Anthem

“For God So Loved the World”
Chancel Choir

D. Grotenhus

*Gospel Lesson

John 3:1-17

Now there was a Pharisee named Nicodemus, a leader of the Jews. He came to Jesus by night and said to him, “Rabbi, we know that you are a teacher who has come from God, for no one can do these signs that you do unless God is with that person.” Jesus answered him, “Very truly, I tell you, no one can see the kingdom of God without being born from above.” Nicodemus said to him, “How can anyone be born after having grown old? Can one enter a second time into the mother’s womb and be born?” Jesus answered, “Very truly, I tell you, no one can enter the kingdom of God without being born of water and Spirit. What is born of the flesh is flesh, and what is born of the Spirit is spirit. ⁷ Do not be astonished that I said to you, ‘You must be born from above.’ The wind blows where it chooses, and you hear the sound of it, but you do not know where it comes from or where it goes. So it is with everyone who is born of the Spirit.” Nicodemus said to him, “How can these things be?” Jesus answered him, “Are you the teacher of Israel, and yet you do not understand these things?

“Very truly, I tell you, we speak of what we know and testify to what we have seen, yet you do not receive our testimony. If I have told you about earthly things and you do not believe, how can you believe if I tell you about heavenly things? No one has ascended into heaven except the one who descended from heaven, the Son of Man. And just as Moses lifted up the serpent in the wilderness, so must the Son of Man be lifted up, that whoever believes in him may have eternal life.

“For God so loved the world that he gave his only Son, so that everyone who believes in him may not perish but may have eternal life.

Also serving the community in worship:

Ushers – Marge Brown & Frank Long
Acolytes – Leah Klemm & Ella Burgess
Communion/Baptism Stewards – Cheryl Stephens & Mary Smith
Tech Support – Jacob Smith (XP), Winston Bain & Hannah Warren (11:00), Cheryl Kempler (ZOOM)
Counting Team – Cheryl Kempler, Joyce Kraft, Anita Obinger
Children’s Sunday School Facilitator – Karen Warren
Adult Studies Facilitator – Sue Garrison

Known Prayer Concerns Within the Congregation

<i>Insiders</i>	<i>Special Concerns & Recovering</i>	<i>Hospice Care & Recently Bereaved</i>
<i>Shirley Curtain, Dottie DeCarlo, Helen Fringo, Robert Lentz, Jackie Potter, Mary Foster, Betty Conrad, Edna Halcott, Florence Littleton, Gloria Marks</i>	<i>Marvin Gyr Deb Kalendek Cheryl Welsh</i>	<i>Russ Lingner The Martin Family upon the death of Kathy Martin’s Father</i>

Use this space for your personal prayers.

We want to know about the gift of your presence with us today. Please take a moment to sign the friendship pad found in each pew.

Visiting today? We are so happy that you chose to worship with us. If you have any questions about our missions, ministries, or outreach opportunities, any of our members would be glad to answer them! If you did not receive a Welcome Packet when you came in, please ask for one as you leave today to learn more about our church.

Interested in membership? If the Spirit is moving you to make a commitment to Camp Chapel with your prayers, presence, gifts, service, and witness, please contact the church office: 410-256-5561 or office@campchapel.org.



EASTER TULIPS - \$8.00

The tulips are a grower's choice in a variety of colors. The flowers will decorate the altar on Easter Sunday. Take home your flowers after whichever worship service you attend.



Submit your dedication/place your order online at: <https://campchapel.org/easter-flowers/> or scan the QR code.

The last day to order is Sunday, March 15th, 2026.

For additional information, contact Cathy Zink at 410-652-3713 or cdzink1@verizon.net.

36TH ANNUAL TALENT AUCTION



Saturday, March 7
4:30 - 7:30 pm
Dinner 4:30 – 5:30, \$5/person
The Auction Begins at 5:30 pm



Suggested Donations Include:

Car Detailing
Gift Baskets
Homemade Crafts
Rides to/from

Sporting Event Tickets
Computer/Tech Support
Baked Goods
Dinner & Movie

House Cleaning
Lawn Care
Homemade Food Items

Only new/unused items accepted. This is NOT a white elephant event nor an opportunity to clean house and get rid of used items.

Donations Deadline: Sunday, February 22. Register donations online at campchapel.org/event/36th-annual-talent-auction/ or scan the QR code ►



The auction is always a fun evening of fellowship. All church members and their guests are invited, and we'd love to see new faces!

Contact Elizabeth McDonold at 301-704-0893 or elizabeth.mcdonold@gmail.com for additional information



Annual Easter Egg Hunt

Saturday March 28, 10 am - 12 pm

This is a free event for children and families,
Including crafts, games, prizes,
and, of course, the Easter Egg Hunt.



Register online at

<https://campchapel.org/event/easter-egg-hunt-2/>

Or scan the QR code ►



Easter Candy and Donations Needed

Donations of individually wrapped candy, stickers, toys, (small enough to fit in eggs) are welcome as well as drinks and snacks. Please leave all donations in the box inside the side entrance to the church, and thank you.

Volunteers Needed

Volunteers are needed to help fill eggs, hide the eggs, manage crafts, serve the food, etc. If you can help, please contact **Kellie Smith, 443-691-2677** or kellie.smith99@gmail.com

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OF MARY OUR QUEEN

PRESENTS

J.S. BACH

SAINT MATTHEW PASSION



SCAN FOR TICKETS

ASH WEDNESDAY DISCOUNT CODE

USE PROMO CODE ASH2026
AND RECEIVE \$5 OFF ALL TICKETS
PURCHASED BETWEEN
TUESDAY, FEB 17 - SUNDAY, FEB 22.

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BACH'S ST. MATTHEW PASSION

Cathedral of Mary Our Queen

Friday, March 27 | 7:00 PM

Join us for a powerful Lenten performance of Bach's *St. Matthew Passion*, led by Basilica Music Director Samuel Rowe. This special collaboration brings together musicians from the Basilica Schola Cantorum, Three Notch'd Road Baroque Ensemble, and Catholic University's Women's Choir in the stunning Cathedral of Mary Our Queen. Experience one of sacred music's greatest masterpieces in an unforgettable evening of beauty, drama, and reflection.

Contact Frank Long for additional details.
frank.h.long88@gmail.com or 443-463-7929.

PILLOW MINISTRY VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!



Our Pillow Ministry is looking for volunteers to help sew heart-shaped & rectangular pillows from home, on your own schedule. Deliveries take place the **first week of each month**, and pillows can be dropped off to your home, church, or another convenient location.

Thank you for considering this caring ministry!

If you're interested or have questions, please contact:

Joyce Williams – 410-218-5690 | joyce.a.williams0125@gmail.com

Debbie Kalendek – 410-746-9731 | djkalendek@gmail.com

CERTIFIED CROWD MANAGERS NEEDED

In order to comply with Maryland State Fire Preventive Code regulations, we need a few more Certified Crowd Managers.

The main responsibility of a crowd manager is to make sure emergency evacuations are conducted in a safe and orderly manner.

Please see Pat Ryan for further details and the reimbursable course information.

*The **Tree of Life** recognition leaves have arrived and are now on the tree in the Narthex! Take a look! 🌳 ✨*



CERTIFIED FOOD SERVICE MANAGERS NEEDED

~~In order to~~ continue to be able to hold public dinners, we need to have a few more people trained as “Certified Food Service Managers” (Level II). These are people trained in the safe handling of food. Every dinner open to the public requires that a certified food service manager be present. These people do not have to do the actual cooking, but must make sure that the food is cooked, handled, and stored safely.

CERTIFIED FOOD SERVICE MANAGER—LEVEL II

Level II is required for a volunteer fire company or bona fide nonprofit fraternal, civic, veteran, **religious** or charitable organization that operates a high or medium priority food service facility three days or less per week. **Training is provided at no cost for these individuals.**

REGISTER FOR TRAINING

Attendees must pre-register below and have computer access to participate in the free, virtual Webex training, which will be offered on a first-come, first-served basis. In person training is also available for those who do not have computer access.

To register - Click on the link below
or use the QR code.



[Certified Food Service Manager Training - Baltimore County
\(baltimorecountymd.gov\)](https://www.baltimorecountymd.gov)

Scroll down to Certified Food Service Manger Level II

FURNITURE MINISTRY NEEDS YOUR HELP!

When families move from homelessness into a new home, they often arrive with little to nothing. Camp Chapel's Furniture Ministry helps bridge that gap by providing gently used, donated furniture to those in need.



WE ARE EXTREMELY LOW  URGENTLY NEED DONATIONS!

Items We Accept for Donation:

- Dressers • Small Dining Tables & Chairs • Sofas (No Sofa Beds) • Coffee Tables • End Tables • Chairs & Recliners
- Lamps • Rugs • Small Appliances (Toasters, Microwaves, Vacuums)
- Housewares (Dishes, Cookware, Eating, Glasses) • Clean Linens & Bedding

No Mattresses or Boxsprings Accepted (Per Maryland State Law)



Become a Furniture Ministry Volunteer!

Contact Pat Ryan, Volunteer Coordinator

 pryan21236@comcast.net

THIS WEEK AT CCUMC

Sunday 3/1	Monday 3/2	Tuesday 3/3	Wednesday 3/4	Thursday 3/5	Friday 3/6	Saturday 3/7	Sunday 3/8
9:15a Sunday Hospitality	11:00a Bible study	6:30p Circle of Sisters	11a J.O.Y.	730p Chancel Choir Rehearsal		36th Annual Talent Auction 	9:15a Sunday Hospitality
9:30a Sunday School	7:30p Bell Choir Rehearsal	7pm Trustees	7p Band of Brothers				9:30a Sunday School
9:30a Bible Study							9:30a Bible Study



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