



**Topic: Sunday Worship**

**Time: Mar 22, 2026 11:00 AM Eastern Time**

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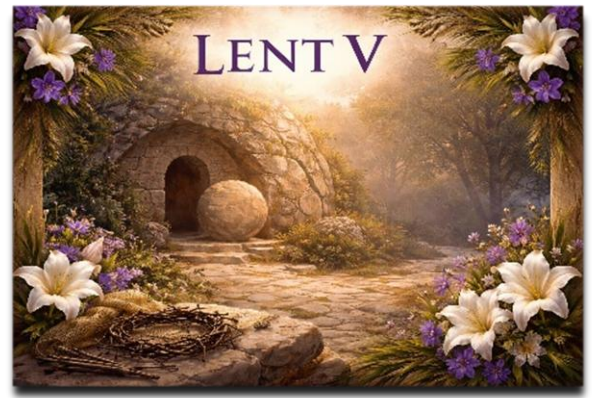
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*We are called by Jesus Christ  
to worship, make disciples, and serve.*

**March 22, 2026      Traditional**

**Lent V**

Welcome

Rev. Carol L. Pazdersky

Centering our Hearts on God (Phyllis Tribble)+

*“May that heart and mind be in me that were also in You, and may I be a living branch of the living vine. Give me clarity of vision, profundity, keenness and quickness of intellect, grace and effectiveness of delivery, humility, focus, energy, and passion. And grant that I may be like that piece of fertile ground You spoke of when You were here: the thorns having been raked away and burned, and the weeds having been pulled and burned as well, and the rocks and stones having been tossed aside, the word may fall, take root, and bear much fruit. Amen.”*

Prelude

“A Lenten Journey”

H. Morris

*Chapel Bells*

*Gary Lushbaugh – Music Director*

\*Call to Worship (based on John 11:25-27)

Roger Price

**Jesus said, “I am the resurrection and the life. Whoever believes in me will live, even though they die. Everyone who lives and believes in me will never die. Do you believe this?”**

Yes, Lord! We believe that you are the Christ, God’s Son, the one who is coming into the world!

**He has come. He is here. He will come again.**

Let us worship our eternal Lord!

\*Hymn of Praise

“Holy Spirit, Come, Confirm Us”

UMH 331

## Prayer of Honesty and Hope

Steadfast and faithful God: **we admit to moments when we see what we want or hear what we want rather than know the truth. At times, we deny our calling to follow in the footsteps of Jesus – we fail to love as he loved and serve as he served. (Silent prayer.)** Forgive us, Lord. **Renew us in grace and ground us in the Spirit that we will live as you intend.**

The Lord is gracious and merciful, slow to anger and abounding in steadfast love. In the name of Jesus, we are forgiven.

**This we trust, and by this we live. Thanks be to God!**

Psalter

Psalm 130

UMH 848

Epistle Lesson

Romans 8:6-11

To set the mind on the flesh is death, but to set the mind on the Spirit is life and peace. For this reason the mind that is set on the flesh is hostile to God; it does not submit to God’s law—indeed, it cannot, and those who are in the flesh cannot please God.

But you are not in the flesh; you are in the Spirit, since the Spirit of God dwells in you. Anyone who does not have the Spirit of Christ does not belong to him. But if Christ is in you, then the body is dead because of sin, but the Spirit is life because of righteousness. If the Spirit of him who raised Jesus from the dead dwells in you, he who raised Christ Jesus from the dead will give life to your mortal bodies also through his Spirit that dwells in you.

Anthem

“Beneath the Cross of Jesus”

arr. A. Travis

*Chancel Choir*

Old Testament Lesson

Ezekiel 37:1-14

The hand of the LORD came upon me, and he brought me out by the spirit of the LORD and set me down in the middle of a valley; it was full of bones. He led me all around them; there were very many lying in the valley, and they were very dry. He said to me, “Mortal, can these bones live?” I answered, “O Lord GOD, you know.” Then he said to me, “Prophecy to these bones and say to them: O dry bones, hear the word of the LORD. Thus says the Lord GOD to these bones: I will cause breath to enter you, and you shall live. I will lay sinews on you and will cause flesh to come upon you and cover you with skin

and put breath in you, and you shall live, and you shall know that I am the LORD.”

So I prophesied as I had been commanded, and as I prophesied, suddenly there was a noise, a rattling, and the bones came together, bone to its bone. I looked, and there were sinews on them, and flesh had come upon them, and skin had covered them, but there was no breath in them. Then he said to me, “Prophesy to the breath, prophesy, mortal, and say to the breath:<sup>[c]</sup> Thus says the Lord GOD: Come from the four winds, O breath, and breathe upon these slain, that they may live.” I prophesied as he commanded me, and the breath came into them, and they lived and stood on their feet, a vast multitude.

Then he said to me, “Mortal, these bones are the whole house of Israel. They say, ‘Our bones are dried up, and our hope is lost; we are cut off completely.’ Therefore prophesy and say to them: Thus says the Lord GOD: I am going to open your graves and bring you up from your graves, O my people, and I will bring you back to the land of Israel. And you shall know that I am the LORD when I open your graves and bring you up from your graves, O my people. I will put my spirit within you, and you shall live, and I will place you on your own soil; then you shall know that I, the LORD, have spoken and will act, says the LORD.”

## Message

\*Hymn of Response            “Breathe on Me, Breath of God”            UMH 420

Offering our Best to God

Offertory

\*Doxology            “Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow”            UMH 95

\*Prayer of Dedication

*Let us pray:* **Life-Giving Spirit, we do not come here from habit but because we long to be part of your work that brings life to dry bones and restores your people. We ask that you accept our gifts and multiply them that others will find new life in you. Our offering is a sign of our gratitude for your gracious generosity to us. In the name of your Son, our Savior, we pray. Amen.**

Sharing our Lives  
Community Prayer

Winston Bain

The Lord's Prayer

UMH 895

\*Hymn

“Love Divine, All Loves Excelling”

UMH 384

\*Blessing

Postlude

+ *Dr. Phyllis Tribble (1932-2025) was Associate Dean and Professor of Biblical Studies at Wake Forest School of Divinity. She compiled the popular resource, The Divine Hours, a guide to fixed hour prayer for Protestants.*

***Also serving the community in worship:***

Ushers – Carol Ann Ruth & John Gregory

Acolytes – Luke McDonold & Faith Klemm

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***

<b><i>Insiders</i></b>	<b><i>Special Concerns &amp; Recovering</i></b>	<b><i>Recently Bereaved</i></b>
<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 Mike Ryan Deb Kalendek Cheryl Welsh Marbara Price</i>	<i>The Lingner Family upon the death of Russ Lingner  The May Family upon the death of Gloria May</i>

**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](mailto:office@campchapel.org).



The Spring **COMMUNITY YARD SALE** is scheduled for **Saturday, June 6, 2026**, and the rain date is **Saturday, June 13, 2026**. Spaces are \$25 each and can be reserved on the church website, [campchapel.org](http://campchapel.org). **There is an URGENT need for a chairperson and or chairpersons to share the responsibility. This requires being there on the day of the event from 6 a.m. to approximately 2 p.m.** Many vendors as

well as the community look forward to this event each year. **Please consider stepping up for just one day.** Responsibilities include making sure vendors get to their spots, controlling parking as needed, alerting vendors of the donation truck, and cleanup of the lot for trash following the event. Barbara Thompson will handle background duties; registration of vendors, contracts, assigning spaces and securing a donation truck. Please email Barbara at: [barbara7916@msn.com](mailto:barbara7916@msn.com) or call 443-823-7700 if you can help.



## 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](mailto:kellie.smith99@gmail.com)

# 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](mailto:frank.h.long88@gmail.com) or 443-463-7929.



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SAINT MATTHEW PASSION

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## CREATION CARE

*Please join Creation Care for some March activities. Bring your energy, ideas and questions!*

- **TODAY - Sunday, March 22, 12pm - Creation Care Committee Quarterly Meeting** – After the 11am service, join as we plan Spring and Summer projects.
- **MONDAY, March 30 6:30pm** - Creation Care hosts Baltimore County Green Alliance, Fellowship Hall (*rescheduled from Monday 3/16*)



### **SAVE THE DATES...**

*At a time when many are asking what they can do, these gatherings offer connection, shared purpose, and practical pathways forward.*

- **Saturday, April 25, 12-5:30pm – National Faith + Climate Forum, The Future We Choose: Faith in Action for a Thriving Tomorrow**
- Camp Chapel UMC's Collaborative project, *Faith Grows by Pizza*, was picked to be part of the Forum for going beyond a congregation's walls and partnering with other organizations on creation care and/or climate justice.
- Join to help & be part of the kickoff our **2026 Faith Grows by Pizza** program
- Hands on activity planting seeds for your early container garden
- By attending the forum, you help Camp Chapel raise grants funds.

*People of faith across the country gather to be inspired, find hope, deepen understanding and equip ourselves to take meaningful action grounded in faith.*

### **2026 Faith Grows by Pizza**

- Container Gardening - St Ursula's - Sunday, May 24, 2025, 1-3 pm
- Harvest Pizza Party - Camp Chapel UMC - Sunday, Aug 2nd, 1-3pm
- Fall Harvest Fest - St. Demetrios Greek Orthodox - Sunday, Oct 4th, 3pm

## **MARK YOUR CALENDARS...**



**Choir Appreciation Sunday**  
Sunday, May 24, Noon




**Pastor Carol's Retirement Party:**  
Sunday, June 14, Noon



**Gary Lushbaugh's 40th anniversary celebration:**  
Sunday, September 6, Noon

### **THIS WEEK AT CCUMC**

<b>Sunday 3/22</b>	<b>Monday 3/23</b>	<b>Tuesday 3/24</b>	<b>Wed 3/25</b>	<b>Thurs 3/26</b>	<b>Friday 3/27</b>	<b>Saturday 3/28</b>	<b>Sunday 3/29</b>
9:15a Sunday Hospitality	11:00a Bible Study	7p Church Council (zoom)		730p Chancel Choir Rehearsal		 <b>EASTER EGG HUNT 10a-12p</b>	9:15a Sunday Hospitality
9:30a Sunday School	7:30p Bell Choir Rehearsal					Registration required.	9:30a Sunday School
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