

Prelude "Jesus Walked this Lonesome Valley" (Traditional) Pastor Barbara Cooper

Welcome/Announcements

*Call to Worship

Phil Gliebe

Leader: Happy are those whose sins are forgiven.

People: Happy are those whose sins are cast away.

Leader: Rejoice in the Lord! Be glad!

People: Sing out! Shout for joy!

Leader: Rejoice in the Lord!

People: Rejoice! Amen!

***Opening Hymn** "Lord, Who Throughout These Forty Days" vs. 1-4 269 UMH

Morning Prayer

Phil Gliebe

Holy One, we are constantly bombarded with temptations and enticements.

When we yield, when we fail, who will help us? You, Lord, have come to our aid.

You teach us, counsel us, and guide us in the ways we should go. We rejoice in your unfailing love. Amen.

Children's Moments

Cathy Leininger

277 UMH Tell me the stories of Jesus I love to hear; things I would ask him to tell me if he were here: scenes by the wayside, tales of the sea, stories of Jesus, tell them to me.

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.

Anthem

"The Prayer" (arr. Fettke)

OUMC Choir

Scripture Reading

Matthew 4:1-11

Phil Gliebe

Hymn

"Jesus Walked This Lonesome Valley"

2112 TFWS

Joys & Concerns

Phil Gliebe

Morning Prayer

Pastor Barbara Cooper

Thanking God with Our Offerings

Offertory "You Are My Hiding Place" (Lerner) Pastor Barbara Cooper

*Doxology, Offertory Prayer

Sermon

Pastor Rick Jones

*Closing Hymn

"Jesus, Tempted in the Desert"

2105 TFWS

*Benediction

Pastor Rick Jones

Postlude

"Shut De Do" (Stonehill) Pastor Barbara Cooper

*Indicates standing. If you have difficulty standing, please feel free to remain seated.

Participating in Worship Today:

Lead Pastor

Pastor Rick Jones

Keyboard

Pastor Barbara Cooper

Liturgist

Phil Gliebe

Children's Message

Cathy Leininger

Weekly at OUMC:

Sundays: 9:30am Coffee House discussion

Mondays: 6:30pm Christian Craft Circle

Wednesdays: 7pm Choir Rehearsal

Thursdays: 5:45 pm Bible Study temporarily on hiatus

Everyone is welcome to attend any of these small groups

Wi-Fi: Network: OUMC Main, Password: 2025OUMCguest

Church Office Hours: Mon. 9-12, Tues.-Thurs. 9-3

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The sanctuary**



**Nurture Team Fellowship Lunch
Sunday, March 15
Pizza Party**

**Next Lakewoods Meal
Saturday, March 21**



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First Sunday in Lent**



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