#### SERVICE FOR THE LORD'S DAY

March 8, 2020 ~2nd Sunday of Lent ~

Prelude: Awesome God

**Apostolic Greeting** 

Leader: The Lord be with you!

People: And also with you!

Welcome and Announcements

Prayer of Preparation, Praise and Adoration

Hymn: #343 - Amazing Grace (1,3 & 5)

Sharing of Joys & Concerns

Pastoral Prayer & the Lord's Prayer

Choral Anthem: What A Friend & Shout for Joy

Children's Time:

Scripture Reading: Portion of the Nicene Creed Hymn #327 The Old Rugged Cross (1,3 & 4)

Scripture Reading: Mark 15:25-32

Message: Nicene Creed on Lent: Crucified

Offering of Gifts

Offertory: His Eye is on the Sparrow

Response: Doxology

Praise God from whom all blessings flow Praise Him all creatures here below, Praise Him above ye heavenly hosts

Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost. Amen

Prayer of Dedication

Hymn #326 Blessed Redeemer

Charge, Blessing and Sending with Peace

Leader: The peace of Christ be with you!

People: And also with you! Postlude: Great is Thy Faithfulness

# This Week at 1st Presbyterian~



#### **SUNDAY, March 8**

9:15 to 10:15 am - Adult Sunday School 10:15 to 10:45 am - Coffee Hour 10:45 to Noon - Worship

#### **TUESDAY, March 10**

Noon-Free Spark Luncheon 5:30 – E&O Meeting –Gold Circle Room

#### **WEDNESDAY, March 11**

Noon - Lenten Service at 2<sup>nd</sup> Pres. Church 7:00 Choir Rehearsal

#### **THURSDAY, March 12**

10:00 am – Good Morning Bible Study-Library 7:00 pm - Women's AA Meeting

#### **SUNDAY, March 15**

9:15 to 10:15 am - Adult Sunday School 10:15 to 10:45 am - Coffee Hour 10:45 to Noon - Worship

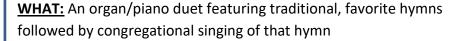
St. Patrick's Day Meal/Fellowship

This Sunday, ~03-08~ Liturgist: Gaye Gibson; Sound Room: Brian Lieb; Extended Church: Open; Money Counters: Carolyn Durr, Marilyn Johnston; Greeters: Dick and Karen Birtcher Louise Whitis, Greg Angeletti; Nursery: Deb Blamer; Children's Sermon: Thom Ogilvie; Coffee Hour: Linda Smith

Next Sunday, ~03-15~ Liturgist: Louise Whitis; Sound Room: Sam Lieb; Extended Church: Priscilla Hare; Money Counters: Keith Hare, Rose Gibson; Greeters; Karen Sillin, Kenita Keck, Christa Brace, Barb Jobes; Nursery: Diane Dodson; Children's Sermon: Tina Angeletti; Coffee Hour: Gaye Gibson, Joan Dobson

## 4<sup>th</sup> Annual Gospel Hymn Sing

#### **Spring Organ/Piano Concert**



WHEN: Sunday, March 15<sup>th</sup> at 2:00pm

Two days before St. Patrick's Day. Get an early start wearing green and singing with gusto!!!

**WHERE:** 2<sup>nd</sup> Presbyterian Church, Corner of Church and 2<sup>nd</sup> Street.

<u>FEATURING:</u> Rick Black-organist; for over 40 years at 2<sup>nd</sup> Pres & Ann Marie Robinson-pianist; currently, serving as Interim Organist at Central College Presbyterian.

Father Factor begins a new session on Thursday, March 19th from 6:00-8:00 through May 7th. If you'd like to help out you can provide cookies, brownies, chips, fruit, donuts, ice cream bars or whatever you'd like. Just sign up



on the sheet at the back of the church. Please have the treat at the church in the Journey Room by 5:45pm on your chosen night.



Thursday mornings from 10:00-12:00 is the Good Morning Bible Study.
They will be studying 2<sup>nd</sup> Samuel. No book to buy, just bring your Bible and meet in the Library ready for some prayer, Bible study and great fellowship.

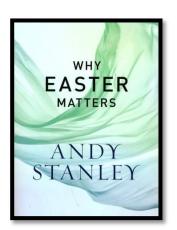


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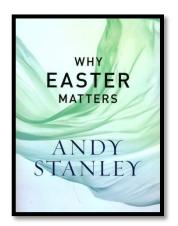


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