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February 21, 2021

Ash ~~Wednesday~~

Sunday

On-line worship is available for our
Traditions Service at facebook.com/FUMCBelton/ and for
Brunch Church at facebook.com/BeltonBrunchChurch/

If you need help getting an appointment for the Covid-19 vaccine, please contact Kelli at adminassistant@fumcmail.org or 254-415-5802. She will go to the website when the new appointments are made available and sign you up. She will need your full name, date of birth, telephone number, email address, gender, address, and your mother's first name and maiden name. Kelli will call on Tuesday to let you know when your appointment is.

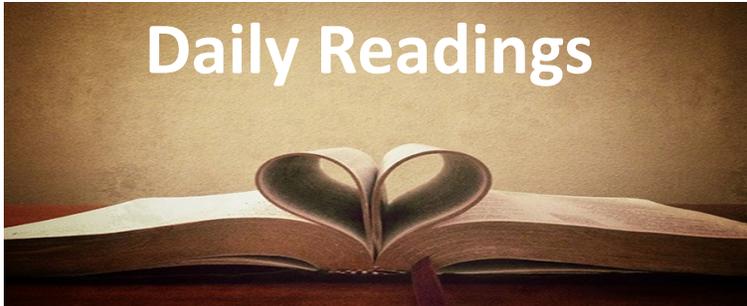
Lenten Bags are still available! If you would like one, please call the church at 254-939-5703. The bags will contain a Lenten Devotional written by staff members and some prayer aids. There is also a special bag available for Children.
If requested, Imposition of Ashes are also available.

Memory Verse



John 8:12

¹² Jesus spoke to the people again, saying, "I am the light of the world. Whoever follows me won't walk in darkness but will have the light of life."



Daily Readings

- 2 - 22 Monday Luke 5:1-11
- 2 - 23 Tuesday Isaiah 6:1-8
- 2 - 24 Wednesday Mark 1:14-15
- 2 - 25 Thursday John 2:13-17
- 2 - 26 Friday Matthew 16:24-27
- 2 - 27 Saturday John 8:12-18

Birthdays:

Betty Fowler (2-22), Mildred Lamb (2.24),
Charlie Lowellen (2-24), Thomas Taylor (2-25)

Anniversaries:

Todd and Tina Smith (2-27)

Reflect On...

- 1) What is your shade tree?



Prayer Focus

For the homeless, all those affected by the winter storm, first responders and the linemen, plumbers, and electricians trying to get civilization up and running

PRELUDE

WELCOME AND INVOCATION

HYMN

Sunday's Palms Are Wednesday's Ashes

No. 2138

1. Sunday's palms are Wednesday's ashes
As another Lent begins
Thus we kneel before our Maker
In contrition for our sins
We have marred baptismal pledges
In rebellion gone astray
Now returning seek forgiveness
Grant us pardon God this day
2. We have failed to love our neighbors
Their offences to forgive
Have not listened to their troubles
Nor have cared just how they live
We are jealous proud impatient
Loving over much our things
May the yielding of our failings
Be our Lenten offerings
3. We are hasty to judge others
Blind to proof of human need
And our lack of understanding
Demonstrates our inner greed
We have wasted earth's resources
Want and suffering we've ignored
Come and cleanse us then restore us
Make new hearts within us Lord

FIRST MOVEMENT

Running Away From God

Jonah 1:1-3

REFLECTION AND REPENTANCE

HYMN

Give to the Wind Thy Fears

No. 129 v 1,2,3

1. Give to the winds thy fears;
hope and be undismayed.
God hears thy sighs and counts thy tears,
God shall lift up thy head.
2. Through waves and clouds and storms,
God gently clears thy way;
wait thou God's time; so shall this night
soon end in joyous day.
3. Leave to God's sovereign sway
to choose and to command;
so shalt thou, wondering, own that way,
how wise, how strong this hand.

SECOND MOVEMENT

Row Harder

Jonah 1:4-13

REFLECTION AND REPENTANCE

HYMN

Stand By Me

No. 512 v 1,3

1. When the storms of life are raging,
stand by me (stand by me);
when the storms of life are raging,
stand by me (stand by me).
When the world is tossing me
like a ship upon the sea,
thou who rulest wind and water,
Stand by me (stand by me).
3. In the midst of faults and failures,
stand by me (stand by me);
in the midst of faults and failures,
stand by me (stand by me).
When I've done the best I can,
and my friends misunderstand,
thou who knowest all about me,
stand by me (stand by me).

THIRD MOVEMENT

Repentance For All

Jonah 3:1-10

REFLECTION AND REPENTANCE

FAITH IS PATIENCE IN THE NIGHT

No. 2211 v 1,2,3,4

FOURTH MOVEMENT

Anger

Jonah 4:1-4

REFLECTION AND REPENTANCE

HYMN***I Surrender All***

No. 354 1, 4

1. All to Jesus I surrender;
all to him I freely give;
I will ever love and trust him,
in his presence daily live.

4. All to Jesus I surrender;
Lord, I give myself to thee;
fill me with thy love and power;
let thy blessing fall on me. [Refrain]

Refrain:

I surrender all, I surrender all,
all to thee, my blessed Savior,
I surrender all.

FIFTH MOVEMENT (MESSAGE)

Your Shade Tree

Jonah 4:5-11

HYMN***Precious Lord, Take My Hand***

No. 474 v 1,2

1. Precious Lord, take my hand,
Lead me on, let me stand,
I am tired, I am weak, I am worn;
Through the storm, through the night,
Lead me on to the light:

2. When my way grows drear,
Precious Lord, linger near,
When my life is almost gone,
Hear my cry, hear my call,
Hold my hand lest I fall:
Refrain

Refrain

Take my hand, precious Lord,
Lead me home.

PRAYER OF REPENTANCE

Psalm 51:7-11

⁷ Cleanse me with hyssop, and I will be clean;
wash me, and I will be whiter than snow.

⁸ Let me hear joy and gladness;
let the bones you have crushed rejoice.

⁹ Hide your face from my sins
and blot out all my iniquity.

¹⁰ Create in me a pure heart, O God,
and renew a steadfast spirit within me.

¹¹ Do not cast me from your presence
or take your Holy Spirit from me.

¹² Restore to me the joy of your salvation
and grant me a willing spirit, to sustain me.

HYMN***I Want Jesus to Walk With Me***

No. 521 v 1,2,3

1. I want Jesus to walk with me. (walk with me)
I want Jesus to walk with me. (walk with me)
All along my pilgrim journey,
Lord, I want Jesus to walk with me. (walk with me)

3. When I'm troubled, Lord, walk with me. (walk with me)
When I'm troubled, Lord, walk with me. (walk with me)
When my head is bowed in sorrow,
Lord, I want Jesus to walk with me. (walk with me)

2. In my trials, Lord, walk with me. (walk with me)
In my trials, Lord, walk with me. (walk with me)
When my heart is almost breaking,
Lord, I want Jesus to walk with me. (walk with me)

CLOSING PRAYER

POSTLUDE

Sermon Notes