+All may stand as able. 10:30 a.m.

Second Sunday in Lent

CALL TO WORSHIP BELL PEAL

GREETING Dr. John Robbins

PRELUDE "Forty Days and Forty Nights"

arr. Carl Phillipp Emmanuel Bach

LAND OF REST

NETTLETON

Ms. Cindy Burns

+HYMN 269 "Lord. Who Throughout These Forty Days"

Lord, who throughout these forty days for us didst fast and pray, teach us with thee to mourn our sins and close by thee to stay.

As thou with Satan didst contend, and didst the victory win, O give us strength in thee to fight, in thee to conquer sin.

As thou didst hunger bear, and thirst, so teach us, gracious Lord, to die to self, and chiefly live by thy most holy word.

And through these days of penitence, and through thy passion tide. yea, evermore in life and death, Jesus, with us abide.

Abide with us, that so, this life of suffering over past, an Easter of unending joy we may attain at last.

+SHARING OF CHRIST'S PEACE

Rev. Kathleen McMurray Ever-flowing, overflowing Fount of living water,

you fill our lives with so many abundant gifts that we hardly know how to begin to thank you. We thank you for the gift of life and breath, for hearts that see more truly than eyes,

for ears that hear sona even in silence. We give thanks for open acceptance where

we expect only closed doors.

We give thanks for the compassion of others, and for the melting of our own hearts. And for what else shall we give thanks?

Let us share the loving peace of Christ by saying,

The peace of Christ be with you.

The peace of Christ be with you. Amen! Amen!

+SUNG RESPONSE 400 vs. 1

Come, thou fount of every blessing, tune my heart to sing thy grace: streams of mercy, never ceasing, call for songs of loudest praise. Teach me some melodious sonnet, sung by flaming tongues above, praise the mount! I'm fixed upon it, mount of thy redeeming love.

SOLO "Largo" (Ombra mai fu) from Xerxes

George Frideric Handel Andrew Irvin, violin

LESSON FOR YOUNG CHRISTIANS

HYMN 273 vss. 1 and 2

Jesus' hands were kind hands, doing good to all, healing pain and sickness, blessing children small, washing tired feet, and saving those who fall: Jesus' hands were kind hands, doing good to all.

Take my hands, Lord Jesus, let them work for you; make them strong and gentle, kind in all I do. Let me watch you, Jesus, till I'm gentle too, till my hands are kind hands, quick to work for you. PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE The Lord be with you. And also with you. Let us pray.

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.

OFFERTORY PRAYER Rev. McMurray

OFFERTORY "Stayed on Jesus" arr. Jan Marvyn Youngblood

Archived from February 16, 2020

+PRESENTATION OF OFFERINGS WITH DOXOLOGY 95

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; Praise God, all creatures here below:

Praise God above, ye heavenly host; Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

+AFFIRMATION OF FAITH "Lost In Wonder, Love, & Praise" by John R. Killinger

I believe in God, whose care for rightness and goodness preserves the world from utter destruction, and who has promised us a new world beyond this one that will make all our struggles worthwhile;

I believe in Jesus Christ, who died to make the new world a reality and who in the triumph of his resurrection calls on us to spread the gospel of that new world;

I believe in the Holy Spirit of Christ, his presence among us now, who empowers us to live with dedication and sacrifice and love in the old world, helping it to become new; I believe in the Church as the fellowship of Christ's followers,

worshipping and learning, teaching and growing, until we have all taken upon ourselves the image of the Master and become his representatives in the world;

And I believe in coming together as we have today to sing praises, to humble ourselves in prayer and meditation, to listen to the Word, and to clasp one another in the warmth of fellowship as a foretaste of the new world that is coming through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

+GLORIA PATRI 70 MEINEKE

Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost; as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen. Amen.

+SCRIPTURE Genesis 17:1-7, 15-16 The Word of God for the people of God. Thanks be to God.

MESSAGE "A Nation's Covenant"

+INVITATION TO CHRISTIAN DISCIPLESHIP AND MINISTRY OPPORTUNITIES

+HYMN 396 "O Jesus, I have Promised"

O Jesus, I have promised to serve thee to the end; Be thou forever near me, my Master and my friend. I shall not fear the battle if thou art by my side, Nor wander from the pathway if thou wilt be my quide.

O let me feel thee near me! The world is ever near; I see the sights that dazzle, the tempting sounds I hear; My foes are ever near me, around me and within; But Jesus, draw thou nearer, and shield my soul from sin.

Dr. Jeffery Hampton

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Dr. Hampton

Dr. Robbins

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ANGEL'S STORY

Sunday, February 28, 2021, Sanctuary Please register your attendance and place in offering plate.

[] 10:30 a.m.

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MEMBERSHIP MATTERS

- Are you interested in knowing how to begin a relationship with Jesus Christ?
- Are you interested in knowing more about the ministries of the church?
- · Are you interested in becoming a member of the church?

Join Us for Membership Matters

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Registrations

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[] TOWER NEWSLETTER. If you would like to receive the church newsletter hot off the press via email, please complete info below or send your email address to pr@ phumc.com. Name:			
Email:			

O let me hear thee speaking in accents clear and still, Above the storms of passion, the murmurs of self-will. O speak to reassure me, to hasten or control; O speak, and make me listen, thou guardian of my soul.

O Jesus, thou hast promised to all who follow thee that where thou art in glory there shall thy servant be. And Jesus, I have promised to serve thee to the end; O give me grace to follow, my Master and my Friend.

WELCOME TO NEW MEMBERS

Rev. McMurray

RESPONSE FOR NEW MEMBERS

We rejoice to recognize you as a member of Christ's holy church and we welcome you to Pulaski Heights United Methodist Church. With you we renew our vows to uphold it with our prayers, our presence, our gifts, our service and our witness.

+BENEDICTION Dr. Robbins

+BENEDICTION RESPONSE 299 vs. 1

ROCKINGHAM

When I survey the wondrous cross on which the Prince of Glory died; My richest gain I count but loss, and pour contempt on all my pride.

POSTLUDE "Forty Days and Forty Nights"

arr. Christopher Tambling

Assisting in Worship:

Organist: Stanley Cox

The flowers in the Columbarium Garden are given to the glory of God and in loving memory of Bright Hannah Davis by Ashlan Reid and Martin Davis.



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