Worship 10:00 AM

SUNDAY SCHOOL 10:00 AM

MARCH 12, 2023

3RD SUNDAY IN LENT/YOUTH SUNDAY

To parents of young children: Relax!

God put the wiggle in children; don't feel you have to suppress those wiggles in God's house.

- -Consider sitting toward the front where it is easier for your little ones to engage.
- -Explain the parts of the service and action of the pastor, musicians, and leaders.
- -Sing the songs, pray, and voice the responses. Children learn behavior by mimicking you.

If you have to leave the Sanctuary with your child, feel free to do so, but please come back.

As Jesus said, "Let the children come to me."

*Congregation is invited to stand, if able.

GATHERING MUSIC:

BUILD YOUR KINGDOM
THIS IS AMAZING GRACE

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

PRELUDE

*A SONG OF PRAISE: GRATITUDE

*CALL TO WORSHIP:

L: Come, let us sing to the Lord!

P: Let us make a joyful noise to the rock of our salvation!

L: Let us come into God's presence with thanksgiving!

P: Let us make a joyful noise to God with songs of praise!

L: Come, let us worship and celebrate God's loving presence with us.

P: We sing to God with our hearts and our spirits. Amen.

*OPENING PRAYER (IN UNISON):

Wellspring of eternal life, we come to you this day having drunk deeply the waters of anxiety and despair. Bring to us your living water. Quench our thirsting souls, for we offer this prayer in Your Name. Amen.

CHORAL ANTHEM

A TIME FOR CHILDREN

This, this is where children belong.
Welcomed as part of our worship and song.
Hearing God's Word, sharing love all along.
This is where children belong.

After the Children's Moments your child is welcome to:

-Stay and be part of the worship service.

- -Attend God's Big House (Ages: K-5th Grade-upstairs with Mr. Andrew and our volunteers)
- -Attend the Nursery (Ages: Newborn-Pre-K-main level, down the hall with Ms. Sarah and our volunteers)
- *A SONG OF PREPARATION: 10,000 REASONS

SCRIPTURE AND MESSAGE:

850 CREW

A TIME OF PRAYER

A TIME OF GIVING

*Doxology

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; praise him, all creatures here below; praise him above, ye heavenly host; praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

- *A SONG OF INVITATION: AMAZING GRACE (MY CHAINS ARE GONE)
- *THE BENEDICTION
- * CONGRAGATIONAL BENEDICTIONAL: THE BLESSING

The Lord bless you and keep you make His face shine upon you and be gracious to you.

The Lord turn His face toward you and give you peace. Amen.

POSTLUDE

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Today: Youth Led Sunday

Pecans: The Hospitality Team is still selling Pecans

Wednesday Night Dinner: Main Dish: Please see the sign up sheet to volun-

teer to provide a main dish.

30 Hour Famine: The Youth are accepting donations of \$2.00 for each fingerprint represented on the poster in the Sanctuary to raise money for World Vision. Their goal is to raise \$3,800.00.

Common Grounds: March 16. at 6:00 pm. We will be serving inside again at Johnson Memorial UMC and will need volunteers.

WEEKLY:

Prayer Breakfast: Thursdays at 8:30 am at Bob Evans in Kinetic Park. We will start with a devotion, pray over our prayer list, and enjoy fellowship together. You pay for your meal. **Eat, Study, Pray (ESP)** Tuesdays at noon. Mary DeMoss leads our bible study. Bring your own **lunch.**

Wednesday Dinner/Bible Study:

Dinner at 6:00 pm Bible Study at 6:30 pm. WNK: Wednesdays at 6:00 pm.

Choir Practice: Wednesdays 5:00—5:55 pm.

God's Big House-Sunday Morning at 10:00 am for ages Pre-K—5th grade.

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