

SECOND SUNDAY IN LENT

February 17, 2008

"Our mission is to love God, to love others, and to lead others to Jesus Christ."

Dr. Chuck Summers, Pastor

Laura Kegan, Children's Ministries Director

Ministers: All Members of the Church

Melanie Potter, Interim Choir Director

Pete Wolford, Organist

Dena Gibson, Pianist

Ernie Rogers, Song leader

PRELUDE

GREETING AND FELLOWSHIP LIFE TOGETHER

(Please sign and pass the attendance pad in your pew.)

*STRIKING OF THE HOUR (Please stand when the chimes begin.)

*LIGHTING OF THE CANDLES

Acolytes

*CALL TO WORSHIP

Ernie Rogers

Come to Christ, the living bread, who satisfies those who hunger and thirst for what is right.

Come to Christ, who gives living water, that you may never thirst again.

Come to Christ, that being filled yourself, you may minister to the hunger and thirst of others.

Come to God, in worship and praise, through Jesus Christ, who gives us life.

*PRAISE HYMN

No. 53

"Morning Has Broken"

*INVOCATION

Pastor

*THE LORD'S PRAYER (use "sins" rather than trespasses)

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 sins, as we forgive those who sin against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil: For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, for ever. Amen.

CHILDREN'S SERMON

(Children's Church afterwards)

NEW TESTAMENT SCRIPTURE

Romans 12:9-21

Elder Gerald Deskins

Elder: The Word of the Lord

People: Thanks be to God

Sung: "Thy word is a lamp unto my feet and a light unto my path."

PASTORAL PRAYER

CHORAL PRAYER RESPONSE

HYMN OF COMMUNION

No. 204

"Alas! And Did My Savior Bleed"

COMMUNION MEDITATION

Pastor

The Lord be with you;

And also with you.

Lift up your hearts

We lift them up to the Lord.

Let us give thanks to the Lord.

It is right to give God thanks and praise.

PRAYERS OF BLESSING

Elders

THE LORD'S SUPPER

All Christians

(All those who claim Christ as Lord are encouraged to celebrate His Supper with us.

Partake of the Bread as it is passed, but hold the Cup that we may share in unison.)

WORDS OF INSTITUTION

OFFERTORY SENTENCE

TITHES & OFFERINGS

*THE DOXOLOGY

Congregation

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.

*PRAYER OF DEDICATION

SOLO

"You Are My All in All"

Katie Stafford

SERMON TEXT

Micah 6:6-8

Pastor

SERMON

Pastor

"What Does the Lord Require?"

HYMN OF INVITATION

No. 588

"Have Thine Own Way, Lord"

*BENEDICTION

*CLOSING SONG

Congregation

"And I will raise you up on eagle's wings,

bear you on the breath of dawn,

make you to shine like the sun,

and hold you in the palm of my hand."

POSTLUDE

*The congregation will stand.

Nursery facilities available.

*The sanctuary flowers are given today to the glory of God
in memory of Scott Brown and Scott Joseph Brown by James and Helen Brown.*

Our annual 24-hour prayer vigil will be Thursday, March 13 beginning at 6:00 a.m. See Jenny Anderson or call the church office to sign up.

ELDER OF THE WEEK

2/17-2/23	Blake Robinson (432-3923)
2/24-3/01	Ernie Rogers (437-4206)

FINANCIAL STATISTICS

Needed Weekly for General Fund	\$ 4,249.00
Received February 10 for General Fund	\$ 2,494.00

THIS WEEK'S EVENTS

Today	9:45 AM	Sunday School
	11:00 AM	Morning Worship
	12:15 PM	Week of Compassion Soup Luncheon
Wednesday	7:00 AM	Men's Breakfast (Jerry's)
	3:15 PM	WWW Skating Party
	6:00 PM	Vespers
	7:00 PM	Chancel Choir Practice
February 24	9:45 AM	Sunday School
	11:00 AM	Morning Worship

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Disciples of Christ worldwide will be observing the Week of Compassion February 17-24. Please see insert for more details. Following morning worship today the Mission Team will sponsor a Soup Luncheon. Everyone is invited to attend. There is no charge but we request that everyone donate the amount you would normally pay for a meal to the Week of Compassion Offering. Please give generously to this important offering and remember to pray this week for the world's needy.

The children will have a Skating Party Wednesday, February 20, from 3:30 to 5:30 p.m. at Rollers Rink on North Mayo Trail beyond the Peking restaurant. Pizza and skating fees are free. All of our children are encouraged to come and to bring a friend. Dana will pick up the kids at school but parents are also welcome to bring their children to the roller rink. Written permission slips are required for those riding the van. For more information, call Dana Batten (434-1865) or Stacy Chaney (432-7276).

We are **still in need** of volunteers in the nursery. If you are willing to serve in the nursery periodically, please contact Stacey Chaney. There is also a sign-up sheet on the bulletin board across from the kitchen.

The pastor will soon begin a new small group study. It will be based on John Ortberg's book, The Life You've Always Wanted. This is a delightful and inspirational look at the spiritual disciplines. Anyone desiring to draw closer to God will benefit from this study. If you are interested in taking part, please plan to attend an introductory meeting next Sunday at 4:00 p.m.