

## WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

Rev. John Bowling

### CALL TO WORSHIP

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### WORSHIP WITH SINGING\*

Refiner's Fire/Give Thanks;  
The Stand; Joy to the World; Alleluia

*Worship Team: Chris Pinelo, AJ Allen,  
Sally Osborn, Neal Sterrett, Kaitlin Guenther*

### DISMISSAL OF CHILDREN

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### MINISTRY OF GIVING

#### OFFERING MUSIC

Yet; El Shaddai

#### SCRIPTURE LESSON

JEREMIAH 31:31-34

#### MESSAGE

**Remember**

Rev. John Bowling

*From Jeremiah to Jesus: The Covenant of the Heart*

### WORSHIP WITH SINGING\*

The Goodness of God; You Promised;  
The Blessing

### BENEDICTION\*

\*Please stand as you are able.



Special thank you to today's **Ushers & Greeters,**  
**Tom & Patty Fernandez.**  
Your service is greatly appreciated!



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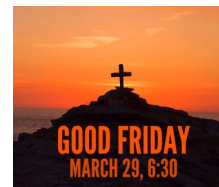
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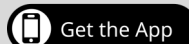
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**PRELUDE** Our Father Who Art in Heaven Dieterich Buxtehude

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**HYMN #154\*** All Hail the Power of Jesus’ Name (verses 1-2, 4-5)

**AFFIRMATION OF FAITH #881\*** Apostle’s Creed

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**PASTORAL PRAYER & LORD’S PRAYER**

**MINISTRY OF GIVING**

**OFFERTORY** Come Ye Sinners Wilbur Held

**DOXOLOGY\***

**CHORAL ANTHEM** Lord, Who Throughout These Forty Days John Leavitt

**SCRIPTURE LESSON** JEREMIAH 31:31-34

**MESSAGE** **Remember** Rev. John Bowling

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**HYMN #402\*** Lord, I Want to Be a Christian

**BENEDICTION\***

**CHORAL AMEN\***

**POSTLUDE** Beach Spring Wayne Wold

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PODCAST

Every week, John Hodges-Batzka takes the Sunday sermon, adds a devotion and announcements about upcoming events to create the **Highland Methodist Podcast**. Check it out! Available Mondays in the app, Apple Podcasts, and Google Play.

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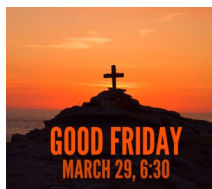
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## Volunteer Opportunities at Highland

Greeters and Ushers are needed for both 9:30 and 11 service to ensure everyone who comes through the doors receives a warm welcome. If you are interested in serving for 30 minutes once a month, please fill out the form found on the website or email [office@highlandmethodist.com](mailto:office@highlandmethodist.com).

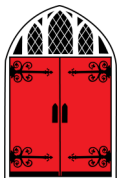
Assistance needed with putting the weekly slides together. It takes about an hour each week. If you are interested in being involved in this ministry, please indicate such on a connect card or email [office@highlandmethodist.com](mailto:office@highlandmethodist.com).

### Happening This Week at HUMC

- Mon 3/18 Monday Morning Prayer Group 7:20am—7:40am, Youth Room  
Circle 13 2:00, Welcome Center
- Tue 3/19 Yoga 5:45—7:00pm, Welcome Center
- Wed 3/20 “Remember” Adult Study 6:30, Room 109 / Kids Night 6:30  
Bells/Choir Practice 6:30/7:30
- Thu 3/21 Sign Class 6:30pm, Fellowship Hall
- Fri 3/22 Word Warriors 10:00am, Room 109  
UMSF 12:30, Welcome Center, Congregational Care immediately following
- Sun 3/24 Confirmation Class 5:00pm, Youth Room

### PRAYER REQUESTS AND PRAISE REPORTS

- Yogi B—recovering from heart surgery
- Jim C—Stroke, St. E South
- Nancy B—rehab for two brain tumor surgeries, continued treatment
- Nancy H—Cancer, St. E Edgewood
- Recovery for Tim Lohner who suffered from a brain bleed
- AJ—teenager in the ICU for 3 weeks with complications from pneumonia
- Lynn E—continued recovery
- Prayers for the family of Carolyn Ward, who passed away on 3/6
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- Kathleen—lumpectomy success
- Ed H—Heart surgery 3/13
- Keith W—Knee Surgery
- Jim & Linda L—Recovering from the flu



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# Highland United Methodist Church

Sunday, March 17, 2024 9:30 am

## Fifth Sunday in Lent



### Grow – Follow – Love

At Highland United Methodist Church, we are a community of imperfect people who exist to **grow** God’s kingdom by **following** the examples of Jesus and **loving** with purpose.

We are deepening our spiritual understanding by embracing diversity, enriching lives, mindfully serving, and bringing joy through music and friendship. As United Methodists, we inclusively welcome everyone and follow the Wesleyan call to do no harm, do good, and love God.