

ST. PAUL UNITED
METHODIST CHURCH

MESSENGER

March 2022



A Special Journey

Lent, which comes every year along with spring, is a meaningful time for Christians. The season in the church calendar helps us look into Jesus' life on earth, and we can look back on where we are going now and examine our lives and practices as Christians.

According to the church calendar, Lent is a 40-day spiritual journey from Ash Wednesday to Holy Saturday. The season of Lent this year began with Ash Wednesday, March 2nd. Lent has traditionally been observed as a time for prayer, fasting, and introspection in preparation for Easter.

As a church, we will use a resource from the Baltimore-Washington Conference, 'Speak a word' (<https://www.bwcumc.org/resources/lent-2022/>). I'll preach with its scriptures. Adult Sunday School and Tuesday Night Bible Study Group will use the material to study and have a conversation. You can use the material as your personal study and meditation. I hope and pray that God will bless us with the Lenten study to be more mature Christians, loving God and others more and more.

In addition to that, here are "10 suggestions to keep Lent holy" that you can try.

1. Reflect on the Cross: Meditate on God's great love and the power of the gospel, shown in Jesus' death on the cross, in your daily life.
2. Pray Daily: Set up a time every day and focus on prayer. Speak to God and Listen to God.
3. Read the Bible: Set a time to read the gospel each day during Lent. Please use the handout.

4. Give up Something: The traditional method is too fast for certain things during Lent. Refrain from electronic devices, social media, sweet (chocolate, candy) food, coffee, and alcohol. We focus on clearing the soul by unwittingly stopping the things that significantly impact our lives.

5. Start a Good Habit: You start a new habit in addition to letting go of something. For instance, say pros and compliment your coworkers, family, or neighbor every day.

6. Give your Time: During Lent, use your time for church or community service.

7. Keep a Journal: You should keep a spiritual journal to help you meditate on thoughts and prayers during Lent.

8. Make Time for Your Family: Parents need to set up a time with their children during Lent. Go on a family hike or promise a special lunch and have quality time with them.

9. Give Your Money: During Lent, you would support charities or church missions.

10. Forgive Other: Lent is a time to restore broken relationships. If there is someone you need to forgive in your life, please don't lock up your heart. Ask God to give you the heart to forgive that person.

Those are suggestions. So, please don't limit yourself with them. Please feel free to use your creativity to have a journey with God.

May God bless you all to experience God's abundant grace in this year's Lenten journey.

~~ *Pastor Baek*



St. Paul Uprising! Uth revisited some of our foundational beliefs which guide our faith journeys with our gathering on Feb. 6. We opened by quizzing one another to remind all of "3 Big Truths" that we fully believe about how God views, loves, and leads us. (God Loves Us! God knows and has that which is best for us...and wants that best for us! God has an amazing, exciting, fulfilling, joy-bringing part of His plan specifically each of our lives!) We revisited our "working definition" of Christianity; that is, we "trust Jesus for our every next step" and how we can "call time-out" in any situation within which we find ourselves and ask, "What does it look like for me to trust Jesus right now?" And we reminded one another to always remember how very much we are loved by the God Who created us and is crazy about us. One of our group had asked at the end of our last meeting in which we had visited Jesus's exorcising the demoniac if demons still existed, so we tackled that question for a while also. We reminded one another that with Jesus protecting us, we have nothing to fear. We ended our gathering by comparing our impressions of God with what the Bible has to say about God in the portion of our gathering we called "God Is."

After skipping over Super Bowl Sunday, we gathered again on Feb. 20 for a topic called "More Than Funny." Our exploration/devotion time centered on a comedy gig by Christian comedian Michael Jr. in which the comedian combined his dry humor with a 2-pronged life-changing message which gave us some really good material to discuss in our exploration/devotion time. We won't spoil the content for anyone, but you would be spending 20 minutes very well if you were to watch the "TedX Talk" entitled "Michael Jr.; More Than Funny!" His message is both life-giving and life-changing and we thank God for revealing Michael Jr.'s gifting and calling to him, much to our benefit!

As of this writing, we are heading for our 2022 "Snow Camp" Winter Retreat, Feb. 25 thru 27. We'll be gathered with several other youth groups in what we hope will be a "winter setting" (think "SNOW!!!") to focus on the retreat theme "Unashamed!" Throughout the weekend, there will be music and speakers in our all-camp sessions, and more games and activities that any one retreat center has a right to have! We pray for a meaningful and fun weekend for all focused on Jesus and His love for us and ask you to do the same on our behalf! And we ask for your continued prayers over our five 2022 Confirmation class members, a safe trip to/at/from Snow Camp that focuses anew on Jesus our Savior, and the discernment and courage to reach out to those whom Jesus would have us encourage to place their trust in Him also!

All God's Very Best To & For Each/All of You & Yours as we continue to trust Jesus for our every next step in this year of 2022!



2022 Confirmation Class Invitation

If you're in grades 7 thru 12 and you've never been confirmed into membership in the community of faith that is St. Paul United Methodist Church, we hope you'll consider it this coming year. Please read below and begin to consider, in consultation with your family, if you plan to attend. We'll gather a final count in January 2020 with plans to begin Confirmation 2022 in early February. (Classes will run every Sunday morning with the exception of Feb. 27 and Easter Sunday April 17. Classes will be completed just before Pentecost Sunday, June 5, on which date we'll plan to confirm.)

For Parents/Guardians of youth grades 7 thru 12, here is information to help you and your child/youth decide if they'll be part of the 2022 Confirmation class:

The classes are VERY interactive...in a fun, inviting way...and we have 2 foci: Basic understanding of what it means to be a follower of Jesus Christ and how United Methodists live out that faith through participation in worship and ministry through and with your church family. This is the place for your BIG questions...and we welcome them! Please speak among your family and begin to decide if you will attend. If you, either as a parent/guardian or as a potential student, are unsure about attending, talk with someone who has attended and been confirmed. We've had students from grade 7 to junior year attend (you must be in at least 7th grade to attend Confirmation class). If you decide you'd like to attend 2022 Confirmation class or wish further information, contact Youth Pastor Dave at dave4godsteens.stpaul@comcast.net



By: Melvin Grover

From your Council Chair:

Everyone is invited to attend SPUMC Council Meetings to get first-hand information. If visitors wish to address the Council, they must be a part of the agenda. Please see Mel Grover on Sunday mornings or email: mogroverretired@gmail.com for additional information. Meetings are held monthly on the 2nd Thursday evening.

NOW means NOW

Not the PAST...Not the ... but NOW

Join us NOW! Support SPUMC's ministries of Nurture – Outreach - Witness

Nurture ministries include worship, Sunday school and other small groups, and other settings for spiritual formation. These ministries assist people of all ages in developing and deepening their relationships with God. They provide opportunities for people to grow and mature as disciples of Jesus Christ. They also provide a supportive, caring community for people who face a variety of issues on a daily basis. These ministries may focus primarily on the Bible, worship, prayer, or other aspects of the Christian faith; or they may focus primarily on issues of daily life, such as divorce, grief, addiction, or parenting. These ministries may focus on a particular age group, such as elementary children, or they may be intergenerational in nature.

Outreach ministries respond to the needs of others. When asked what the greatest commandment was, Jesus replied, “You must love the Lord your God with all your heart, and with all your being, with all your mind, and with all your strength.” He then went on to say, “The second is this, You will love your neighbor as yourself. No other commandment is greater than these” (Mark 12:30-31). Nurture ministries help us love God. Outreach ministries help us love others. Outreach ministries include church and society, global ministry, campus ministry, health and welfare ministry, justice ministries, and mission outreach in your community. These ministries assist people of all ages in developing and deepening their relationships with the larger human community.

Witness ministries provide a vehicle for proclaiming the good news of Jesus Christ to a broken and hurting world. These ministries enable people to pay attention to the active presence of God in their lives and to develop language for talking about their experiences of God with those who need to hear a word of hope, love, and grace. These ministries also assist people in listening to the stories of others. These ministries may include your congregation's plans for evangelism; lay servant ministries; and communication through your bulletin, newsletter, facility, and website or social media.



St. Paul UMC Finances as of 31 January 2022

	Actual (YTD)	Budget (YTD)	Annual Budget	Annual %
Contributions	\$33,938.50	\$33,980.91	\$410,241.85	8.3%
Expenses	\$26,525.74	\$34,178.19	\$410,241.85	6.5%



On 27 January, a meeting was called for the Board of Trustees to elect the Chairperson, Vice-Chairperson, and Secretary-treasurer for 2022. Jack Greene accepted the nomination to be the Chairperson. Carl Holmberg accepted the nomination to be the Vice-Chairperson, and Jimmy Pouncey accepted the nomination to be the Secretary-Treasurer. The trustees unanimously voted to approve the nominees to fill the respective positions on the Board of trustees. This is the first time Jack Greene fills an elected position on the board. Carl Holmberg was previously elected be the Vice-Chairperson for2021 and Jimmy was previously elected to be the Secretary- Treasurer for 2021.

The success of the trustees to keep the costs for replacing old equipment with new energy efficient equipment was due to careful assessments of the estimates received and, where practical, self-installation of the new equipment by the trustees and other volunteers in the congregation. For example, the cost for upgrading to the Mini-Split ventilation system in the Sanctuary, Fellowship Hall, and rooms in the original wing of the Christian Life Center was \$20,000 less than if a contractor performed the installations.

The Board of Trustees look forward to continuing to work with the Pastor, the other committees, and other members of the St. Paul UMC congregation to improve and maintain our shared property to the best of our ability.

Jack Greene 2022 Chairperson of the Board of Trustees.

Even though the pandemic is not officially over, most have returned to work, school, sports and other social engagements. We are saddened to see so many empty seats on Sunday mornings that once held a member of our church family. Where are you? How can we help? You are missed!

St. Paul UMC ReEntry Task Force Advisory Board

GET TO KNOW YOUR COMMITTEE CHAIRS.....

My journey in the church started as a young child. I grew up in Baltimore and Carroll County and was confirmed into the United Methodist Church as a 13-year-old at Wesley Freedom United Methodist. I attended a Methodist college (West Virginia Wesleyan) and sang in the gospel choir and was part of their Christian performance group called Loveshine. I have been a youth leader, choir member and secretary of the UMW during my years as an adult in the church. I joined St. Paul in September of 2017 and have never looked back. One of the first activities I joined was the Monday Night Ladies Bible Study and I am leading our current study on Bad Girls of the Bible. I became a youth advisor in late 2018 and a Church Council member around the same time. I am also currently working with our confirmands alongside of Pastor Dave and I am getting just as much out of the class as our kids are.

I am the current Evangelism Chair at St. Paul. Evangelism is getting the word out both inside and outside of our congregation that we are here to share the Good News of Christ with everyone. So what does that entail? Currently that includes: The annual Trunk or Treat, Easter Candy Dash, and the banners that you see outside of the church.

I am also the church librarian (I have been a librarian for over 20 years). So that means I am in charge of the library and looking for helping hands to make it a functional resource for our congregation to use.

Other fun facts about me: I am a football fan and my team is the Ravens. I am a huge dog lover so a lot of my things have paw prints on them. I am a music fan of almost any genre and love to go to a live concert or orchestra performance.

I currently attend the 11AM service so stop by and say hi, I would love to meet you.

~ Missy Lauber Evangelism Chair/Church Librarian



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Your St. Paul UMC Finance Committee



SPEAK A WORD 2022 LENTEN STUDY

Speak a word of faith as you enter into a weekly study for Lent featuring prayer-poems by Bishop LaTrelle Easterling. This six-week small group study delves deeply into reflections, for individuals or groups, on truth, of trust, healing, hope, love, of humility, journey, joy, service and more.

St Paul UMC will begin this study the first week of Lent. Pastor Baek will preach on the scriptures and the theme of each week's study. The Adult Sunday School Class and small Bible study groups will cover the week's lesson during their weekly meetings.

Study materials will be sent out to the congregation by email and hard copies will be made available for those who need them.

We encourage everyone in our St .Paul family to take advantage of this opportunity to participate in these lessons through individual and family study and by forming small groups to share together.

For those desiring to form a small group Lenten study please contact Cal Colvin for assistance as needed. These groups may be held in St. Paul or in homes. Contact Cal at calcarolyn@verizon.net or 301 862 3273.



www.candyblog.net

Easter Candy Dash will be on Saturday April 16th. I am in need for volunteers to help with the event itself. I am looking to have maybe a game or two and a story time with an Easter Children's story. I will also be asking for candy donations in April and marketing help to make the event a success. Please contact me (mLauber13@gmail.com or via the church office) if you wish to help.

If anyone is interested in helping me organize and catalog the church library so that we have an awesome resource for our congregation please contact me (mLauber13@gmail.com) or via the church office.

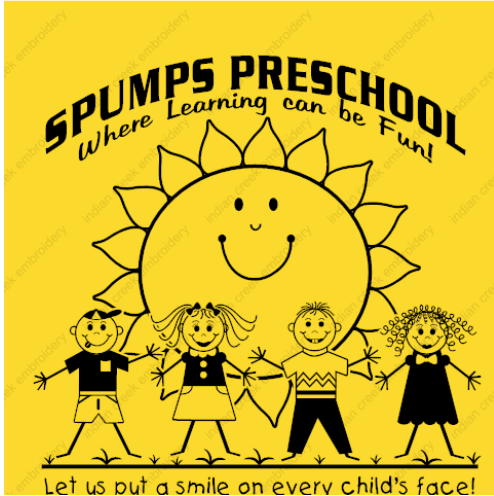
Thanks,



A huge thanks to all for the great week of volunteer service of your time, talents, prayers, and donations! I apologize for taking so long to get this out, between getting a little rest and a busy work week this fell off the plate. I am always amazed at how God works through all of us to make the week go well, and allows us to handle all that is needed. We were able to serve 11 guests throughout the week and fellowship with them and each other. I am truly grateful for each of you!

Please pass on the on my thanks to the Boy Scouts, the Youth group and others not on this email within your church families that helped out!

Blessings,
Jessica Holmberg



SPUMPS is now enrolling for the 2022-2023 school year. SPUMPS offers All Day classes and part-time classes. We offer child care for children 3 to 5 years (Pre Kindergarten)

Susan Quisenberry
Director of SPUMPS Preschool



We will be having a
**Shrove Tuesday pancake dinner
on March 1st 5:30pm-7:00pm**

The Kitchen crew is asking for Desserts for the Pancake Dinner as well as a recipe to accommodate each dish.

We look forward to seeing you there!



MARCH 13





- Anthony Bennett - breathing problems
- Ashlyn Barrett - heart issues
- Ava Brame - health issues
- Benjamin Kindsvater - Crohn's disease
- Bill Clothier - lung issues
- Charlie Rivers - heart disease
- Crystal Seibel - fighting MS
- Debi Jagodzinski - health issues
- Dorothy Gaylord - health issues
- Edith Thomas - heart attack
- Elizabeth Baltimore - stroke
- Ernie Amos
- Heather Dolan - lime & liver disease
- Jake Campbell
- Janet Cave
- Jeanne Harris
- Jeff White
- Jessica Pohlman
- Jim Bainham - health issues
- Jim Sypult - pulmonary fibrosis
- Joanna Polanski - Alzheimer's
- Joyce Matthew
- Judy Fewell
- Kirk Taylor - health issues
- Lyn Aurand's Family on her passing
- Marie Barrett
- Martha Bliss
- Martha Jefferson & family
- Rick Matthews - breathing issues
- Roger Ward - health issues
- Rose Barrett
- Sam Williams
- Sue Mackey – fighting MS
- Teresa Gibson - health issues
- Tim Allor - lime disease
- William Cave

- Billy Bobb
- Bob Klink - lung
- Bob Wilson
- Bruce Dickonson – throat
- Cheryl Belles - ovarian
- Denise Herrington - breast
- Darlene Fromhart
- Emily Shooks
- Flora Scarcia
- George Richards
- Henry Reiss
- James Newman
- Jenne Rothwell - breast
- Jerry Curtis - bone, lung, brain
- Joe Dodson
- Jovanni Licalzi – LCH
- Keith Kretchman – lymphoma
- Kelly Smith
- Luanne Barnas - breast
- Marjorie Hall - behind the eye
- Maxwel Guidoitz - liver
- Rebecca Cecil
- Rosalinda Smith – breast
- Sandy Webb
- Sara Strange - stage 4
- Suzanne – Multiple Myeloma



Call the Prayer Chain when you need prayer for yourself or others. Activate it by calling anyone on the list, anytime, day or night. When called, they will pray for your concern and pass the concern on to the other

prayer chain members. Do not hesitate to use the power our gracious Lord has given us. Call on Him for help and guidance.

- John & Sessaly Boyd 410 326-4390
- Cal & Carolyn Colvin 301 862-3273
- Ben & Vonnie Dansberger 410 326-2994
- Ruth Dixon 410 326-3821
- Ruth Humphreys 410 326-4687
- John & Robin Read 443 404-8559
- Andy & Beth Rogers 410 326-6346
- Dave & Debby Showalter 410 326-2150
- Susan Leins Baker 410 326-6234





HERREN, Teresa	03/01
SCOTT, Stacy	03/01
HUTCHINSON, Christopher (Joe)	03/03
MCCREADY, Harold	03/04
MININ, Jennifer	03/05
SHIPPERT, Cindy	03/06
WILLIS, Hannah	03/06
NICHOLSON, Sharon	03/07
EBERT, Carson	03/09
BELL, Sherrie	03/11
MITCHELL, Caitlyn	03/11
LAVISH, Shirley	03/12
YETTER, Raleigh	03/12
WRIGHT, Kristina	03/13
KINDSVATER, Kathy	03/14
SHAW, Megan	03/14
YOUNGER, Sandra	03/14
REEMTSEN, Zachary	03/15
ROGERS, Beth	03/15
SZEWCZYK, Jamie	03/16
FISHER-FLAHERTY, Celine	03/18
PINKOWSKI, Ann Marie	03/20
DUNN, Stephanie	03/21
WELCH, Shawna	03/22
CURRAN, Kaylee	03/24
JOHNSON, Dae'Zhan	03/25
POUNCEY, Emily	03/27
KACKLEY, Stacie	03/29
SHIPPERT, Lynda	03/29
LANGLEY, Dani	03/31



**Submissions for the April
newsletter deadline is
March 23, 2022
Thank you.**

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OFFICE HOURS:

At this time, there will physically be a person in the office as follows:

Monday:	10am to 1pm
Tuesday—Thursday	10am to 3pm
Fridays	9am to 12pm

However, the phone lines are covered during regular business hours which are:

Monday - Thursday	9am to 4:30pm
Fridays	9am to 12pm

**PLEASE ALWAYS FEEL FREE TO CALL TO SET-UP
AN APPOINTMENT IF YOU HAVE A NEED
OUTSIDE OF THOSE HOURS.**

"SMILE" Food Pantry Donations

**Non-Perishable grocery items are collected the 1st
Sunday of each month in St. Paul's parking lot!**

March 2022 Special Days ~

Some of the special days celebrated in March are:

- Ash Wednesday — March 2, 2022
- World Day of Prayer — March 4, 2022
- Girl Scout Day — March 12, 2022
- Daylight-Saving Time begins — March 13, 2022
- St. Patrick's Day — March 17, 2022
- First Day of Spring — March 20, 2022

MONTH AT A GLANCE

KEEP IN MIND THAT THIS CALENDAR IS SUBJECT TO CHANGE

TUESDAY, March 1			TUESDAY, March 15		
Heartfelt Backpack Packing	9:00am - 10:00am	FH	Heartfelt Backpack Packing	9:00am - 10:00am	FH
Shrove Pancake Dinner	5:30pm - 7:00pm	AC/K	Melvin Grover's Bible Study	6:00pm - 8:00pm	L
Melvin Grover's Bible Study	6:00pm - 8:00pm	L	Boy Scout Troop 451	7:00pm - 8:30pm	FH
SPRC Meeting	6:00pm - 8:30pm	11/2	WEDNESDAY, March 16		
Boy Scout Troop 451	7:00pm - 8:30pm	FH	Choir Practice	6:30pm - 7:30pm	S
WEDNESDAY, March 2 - ASH WEDNESDAY			AA Group	7:30pm - 9:00pm	FH
Imposition of Ashes	7:00am - 8:00am	PL	THURSDAY, March 17 - ST. PATRICK'S DAY		
Praise Band Practice	6:15pm - 7:45pm	S	OLSS Basketball	5:00pm - 6:30pm	AC
Imposition of Ashes	7:00pm - 8:00pm	S	Cub Scout Troop 451	7:00pm - 8:00pm	FH/6/8/10/11/13/16
AA Group	7:30pm - 9:00pm	FH	FRIDAY, March 18		
THURSDAY, March 3			OLSS Basketball	4:00pm - 8:00pm	AC
OLSS Basketball	4:00pm - 8:00pm	AC	AA Group	8:00pm - 9:30pm	FH
Trustees Meeting	6:30pm - 8:00pm	L	SUNDAY, March 20		
Cub Scout Troop 451	7:00pm - 7:00am	S	UMYF	6:00pm - 7:15pm	ZONE
FRIDAY, March 4			MONDAY, March 21		
AA Group	8:00pm - 9:30pm	FH	Women's Bible Study	6:45pm - 8:15pm	S
SUNDAY, March 6			TUESDAY, March 22		
UMYF	6:00pm - 7:15pm	ZONE	Heartfelt Backpack Packing	9:30am - 10:30am	FH
MONDAY, March 7			Melvin Grover's Bible Study	6:00pm - 8:00pm	L
OLSS Basketball	4:00pm - 8:00pm	AC	Boy Scout Troop 451	7:00pm - 8:30pm	FH
Women's Bible Study	6:45pm - 8:15pm	S	WEDNESDAY, March 23		
TUESDAY, March 8			NEWSLETTER ARTICLES DUE FOR March MESSENGER		
Heartfelt Backpack Packing	9:00am - 10:00am	FH	Choir Practice	6:30pm - 8:00pm	S
Women's Morning Bible Study	10:30am - 11:30am	L	AA Group	7:30pm - 9:00pm	FH
Melvin Grover's Bible Study	6:00pm - 8:00pm	L	THURSDAY, March 24		
Boy Scout Troop 451	7:00pm - 8:30pm	FH/10	Cub Scout Troop 451	7:00pm - 8:00pm	FH/6/8/10/11/13/16
WEDNESDAY, March 9			FRIDAY, March 25		
Lay Pastor Meeting	6:30pm - 8:00pm	L	AA Group	8:00pm - 9:30pm	FH
Choir Practice	6:30pm - 8:00pm	S	SATURDAY, March 26		
AA Group	7:30pm - 9:00pm	FH	CS 451	7:00pm - 8:00pm	FP
THURSDAY, March 10			SUNDAY, March 27		
OLSS Basketball	4:00pm - 8:00pm	AC	UMYF	6:00pm - 7:15pm	ZONE
Church Council	6:30pm - 8:00pm	S	MONDAY, March 28		
Cub Scout Troop 451	7:00pm - 8:00pm	FH/6/8/10/11/13/16	Women's Bible Study	6:45pm - 8:15pm	S
FRIDAY, March 11			TUESDAY, March 29		
Scout Derby Setup	6:00pm - 10:00pm	AC	Heartfelt Backpack Packing	9:00am - 10:00am	FH
AA Group	8:00pm - 9:30pm	FH	Melvin Grover's Bible Study	6:00pm - 8:00pm	L
SATURDAY, March 12			Boy Scout Troop 451	7:00pm - 8:30pm	FH/10
Scouting Pinewood Derby	8:00am - 2:00pm	AC	WEDNESDAY, March 30		
SUNDAY, March 13 - DAYLIGHT SAVINGS			Praise Band Practice	6:15pm - 7:45pm	S
UMYF	6:00pm - 7:15pm	ZONE	Choir Practice	6:30pm - 7:30pm	S
MONDAY, March 14 - HAPPY VALENTINE'S DAY			AA Group	7:30pm - 9:00pm	FH
Women's Bible Study	6:45pm - 8:15pm	S	THURSDAY, March 31		
			Cub Scout Troop 451	7:00pm - 8:00pm	FH/6/8/10/11/13/16

ROOM KEY:

AC ~ Activity Center **FH** ~ Fellowship Hall **L** ~ Library **S** ~ Sanctuary

ONLY ~ Room Number **FP** ~ Fire Pit

UPL ~ Upper Parking Lot **LPL** ~ Lower Parking Lot



A wonderful washing

David's prayer of repentance reveals a desire to be cleansed of his sin.

Directions: Unscramble the words on the left. Then match them with the correct phrases from Psalm 51 (NIV) on the right.

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|---------------|--|
| ETRCAE _____ | _____ out my transgressions (v. 1) |
| HSAW _____ | _____ away all my iniquity (v. 2) |
| RSEEROT _____ | _____ me with hyssop, and I will be clean (v. 7) |
| WNERE _____ | _____ me, and I will be whiter than snow (v. 7) |
| TLBO _____ | _____ your face from my sins (v. 9) |
| DIHE _____ | _____ out all my iniquity (v. 9) |
| NATRG _____ | _____ in me a pure heart (v. 10) |
| LNSECAE _____ | _____ a steadfast spirit within me (v. 10) |
| LBTO _____ | _____ to me the joy of your salvation (v. 12) |
| WHTSA _____ | _____ me a willing spirit, to sustain me (v. 12) |

Answer: blot, wash, cleanse, wash, hide, blot, create, renew, restore, grant

Puzzle!

Complete the Scripture verses (NIV, unless marked) using letters found in the words



See! The winter is _____; the rains are over and gone. Flowers appear on the earth; the season of singing has come. (Song of Solomon 2:11-12)

"Therefore, if your whole body is full of light, and no part of it _____, it will be just as full of light as when a lamp shines its light on you." (Luke 11:36)

When I consider your heavens, the work of your fingers, the moon and the _____, which you have set in place, what is mankind that you are mindful of them ... ? (Psalm 8:3-4)

We all, like sheep, have gone _____, each of us has turned to our own way; and the LORD has laid on him the iniquity of us all. (Isaiah 53:6)


So then you are no longer strangers and aliens, but you are fellow citizens with the _____ and members of the household of God. (Ephesians 2:19, ESV)

Answer: past, dark, stars, astray, saints

Bible Quiz

All four Gospels tell of a woman anointing Jesus. Details vary; clearly, she isn't the same person in all accounts. In John, who is she?

- A. Jesus' mother, Mary
- B. Mary Magdalene
- C. Mary of Bethany (sister of Martha and Lazarus)
- D. None of the above



Answer: C (See Matthew 26:6-13; Mark 14:3-9; Luke 7:36-39; John 12:1-8)



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Service in the Sanctuary/Sanctuary
Parking Lot

EVERY SUNDAY: 11:00am -
"LIVESTREAM"
INDOOR Worship Service in the
Sanctuary

Imposition of Ashes Schedule

Wednesday, March 2

7am to 8am—Parking Lot

7pm to 8pm—Sanctuary