Today's Announcements:

It is the First Sunday of Lent and **Missions Sunday. Sunday School** for all ages is at 9:00 am, and the Worship Service is at 10:30. We thank Phil McCloughan for giving the Sermon. George Warner is our Accompanist. Care & Share is after the Worship Service.

Sermons for the Month of February: 2/25- Pastor Bob Louer

Accompanists for February: 2/25- Lucia Lee

Notice of The Annual Congregational Meeting:

Per the Book of Order of the **PCUSA:** Notice is given to the **Annual Meeting of the** congregation and corporation to be held immediately following worship, 25 February 2024. By polity, the meeting is limited to the specific requirements of business, hearing from the nominations, election of church officers, and conducting of required business. Only those on the roles of members are able to vote at the annual meeting. Pastor Brad Morgan is our Moderator. The Annual Report is available in the back of the Sanctuary.

Hymn Time:

"Great Is Thy Faithfulness" Thomas O. Chisholm (1866-1960)

Thomas Obadiah Chisholm was born in a crude log cabin in Franklin, Kentucky. From this humble beginning and without the benefit of high school or advanced education, he somehow began his career as a school teacher at the age of 16 in the same country school where he had received his elementary training. After accepting Christ as his Savior, Thomas became the editor of The Pentecostal Herald and later was ordained as a Methodist minister. Throughout his long lifetime, Thomas wrote more than 1200 sacred poems, many of which have since become prominent hymns.

While many enduring hymns are born out of a particular dramatic experience, this hymn was simply the result of Thomas' "morning by morning" realization of God's personal faithfulness in his daily life. Shortly before his death in 1960, Thomas wrote:

My income has never been large at any time due to impaired health in the earlier years which has followed me on until now. But I must not fail to record here the unfailing faithfulness of a covenant keeping God and that He has given me many wonderful displays of His providing care which have filled me with astonishing gratefulness.

Plan Ahead:

There is a Soup Sale on Saturday March 2nd from 9:00 am-2:00 pm.

Communion and Installation Sunday is March 3rd. Pastor Gregory will be here.

If anyone has an idea or inspiration for the prayer time during roller skating, please let Steve Chernoski know or contact the Church Office. If vou have any wisdom to impart, it would take a total of a half hour, from 6:45-7:15 pm on a **Skating Fridays. Thank you.** The last week for Skating is Friday March 8th.

Lenten Services: 3/28- Maundy Thursday-Mt. Airy Presbyterian 3/29- Good Friday- Titusville Presbyterian. Both are at 7:00 pm.

Ministries This Week:

MONDAY

Presidents Day 5-7:00 pm LBL 6:30 pm Session Business Meeting at Westminster House

TUESDAY

The March Newsletter Items are due to the Church Office this week. 5-8:00 pm LBL 7:00 pm Deacon Meeting at Westminster House 9:00 pm AA

> WEDNESDAY 2:00 pm Ladies' Bible Study 5-9:00 pm LBL

> > THURSDAY

5-9:00 pm LBL

FRIDAY 6:00 pm Roller Skating for Youth to 6th Grade

SATURDAY

7:00 am-4:00 pm

NEXT SUNDAY

The Second Sunday in Lent 9:00 am Sunday School 10:30 am Worship **Pastor Bob Louer- Sermon** Lucia Lee, Accompanist **Annual Congregational Meeting**

Our Elders:

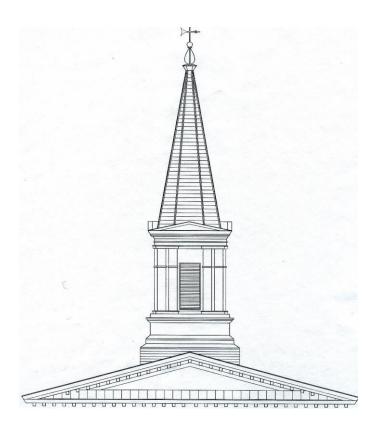
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Since 1816

Our Mission and Calling:

Lead by the Holy Spirit we will, Celebrate our Lord through vibrant worship Witness by the example of a Christ centered life **Prepare** God's people for service

Proclaim the Good News of Salvation through our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ

February 18, 2024 10:30 AM

The First Sunday in Lent/Missions Sunday

Welcome & Announcements

Opening Prayer

+Choral Call to Worship: Praise Band Come, Now is the Time to Worship

> +Hymn: #56 *To God Be the Glory*

+Passing of the Peace +Glory Be to the Father **#813**

Moment for Missions: Don Pidcock

In the Presence of the Lord

Prayers of Confession/Assurance of Pardon

Prayers of the People/The Lord's Prayer Offering/+Doxology **#815**

> **Special Music: Praise Band** Goodness of God

Under the Authority of Christ, the Savior

Time for Young Adults

+Hvmn: #139 Great Is Thy Faithfulness

Scriptures: Ezekiel 28:14-18 2 Thessalonians 1:7-12

Message: Does Satan Take a Day Off?

Depart to Serve the Lord

+Hvmn: #444 I Love to Tell the Story

+ Benediction

+ Please stand if you are able

Welcome to the Community Church!



A warm and sincere welcome to one and all! It is a privilege to gather as God's people to open ourselves to the presence of God and to praise God with loving hearts.

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Participating in Today's Service:

Elder: Joanne DiBlasi

Deacon: Gail Armitage

Greeter: Sue McCloughan

Worship Assisting for February:

Elder Schedule Feb. 25- Don Pidcock

Deacon Schedule Feb. 25- LaNelle Gallagher

Greeting Schedule Feb. 25- Carol Griffiths

> **Church Office:** Tuesday & Wednesday 1-5:00 pm Thursday & Friday 10:30 am-2:30 pm

The Elder on Call for the Month of February is: Karen Thatcher- 609-397-8430

About the Message:

The Lord's Prayer:

forgive our debtors.

forever. Amen.



God is always there for you if you choose to learn about him. Jesus is the way to God if you believe in Him. But the Devil doesn't care if you believe in God, Jesus or Satan. Evil is something we need to understand and recognize.

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 debts, as we

And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.

For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory