

Upcoming Events and Information

Wednesday March 20: Final Community Lenten Dinner/
Worship @ Washington Baptist. 6pm dinner; 7pm worship.

Sun Mar 24: Palm Sunday (*Normal Worship times*)

Thu Mar 28: Holy Thursday @ Willis Chapel 7PM;
serving Holy Communion

Fri Mar 29: Good Friday @ Sperryville 7PM

Sun Mar 31: Easter FH 630am; WC 9:30am; S 11:15am
Serving communion at each church.

Sun Apr 7: District Superintendent Rev. Dr. Hyo Lee Worshipping
with us at all three churches.

Sat Apr 13: WC Reager Breakfast Fundraiser 7-10am

Thu Apr 18: FH Council Meeting 7pm

Mon Apr 22: WC Council Meeting 12pm

Sun Apr 28: S Council Meeting 12:15pm

Thu May 2: PPR Meeting FH 7pm

MARCH BIRTHDAYS

FLINT HILL: 8 Matthew Bywaters, 18 Aubrey Bywaters

SPERRYVILLE: 9 Sandy Antony, 12 Shirley Kushner,
23 Linda Spencer, 27 Aline Johnson

WILLIS CHAPEL: 1 Evan Fox, 2 Dorothy Grimes,
24 Matthew Wines, 31 Jean Clements

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Rappahannock
United Methodist Charge



5th Sunday In Lent

Sunday Morning Worship

8:45 AM: Flint Hill

9:55 AM: Willis Chapel

11:15 AM: Sperryville



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RAPPAHANNOCK CHARGE

5th Sunday In Lent

March 17, 2024

*Invitation to stand

PRELUDE

ENTER LIGHT OF CHRIST

ANNOUNCEMENTS

*CALL TO WORSHIP

This is the day. **The Lord has made.**

Let us rejoice! **And be glad in it.** Let us pray together.

*OPENING PRAYER

Our souls are troubled, Holy One, until they find rest in you. When we live in fear of our mortality, help us face the future unafraid. Write the truth of Christ's words on our hearts: "Unless a grain of wheat falls into the earth and dies, it can only be a single seed. But if it dies, it bears much fruit." In our living and in our dying, draw us together with all your people. Amen.

*HYMN 369 Blessed Assurance

PROCLAMATION AND RESPONSE

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION P6

SCRIPTURE: Jeremiah 31:31-34

PSALTER: Psalm 51 P785-786

SCRIPTURE: John 12:20-33

SCRIPTURE: Mark 10:32-34

SERMON

RESPONSE TO THE WORD

PRAYER OF YEARNING

Engraver of the human heart, we long for your law of love to burst forth with every beat of our hearts. Work within us this day, that the majesty of your love may shine through us in everything we say and do. Put a new and right spirit within us, O Lord, that we may leave our failings behind and embrace the glory of our salvation, through Christ, our Lord. Amen.

WORDS OF ASSURANCE

The One who engraves our hearts is faithful, remembering our sins no more. You are loved and accepted, for it is written within by our gracious God.

HYMN OF REFLECTION

HYMN 290 Go to Dark Gethsemane

CONCERNS AND PRAYERS

THE LORD'S PRAYER

OFFERING

*95 Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow

SENDING FORTH

*HYMN 415 Take Up Thy Cross

*BENEDICTION

*HYMN Shalom to You