

Order of Service

*“Worship the Lord your God,
and serve Him only.”*

Matthew 4:10 NIV

GATHERING AS GOD’S PEOPLE

Welcome and Announcements



Time of Preparation *(please remain seated)*



Prayer of Adoration & Confession

(followed by the Lord’s Prayer in unison)

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 trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil; for Thine is the kingdom, the power, and the glory, forever and ever. AMEN



Praise Selection: God Will take Care of You

(Please stand, all children are invited to come forward)

LISTENING TO GOD’S WORD



Childrens Time: *(children are invited to attend “The Bridge” following Children’s Time)*



Message: “The Test”

Psalm 32 (page 395)

Matthew 4:1-11 (page 682)

RESPONDING TO GOD’S WORD



Praise Selection: Seek Ye First
(please stand)



Offering *(please remain seated)*



The Sacrament of Communion

PREPARING TO SERVE IN GOD’S WORLD



Praise Selection: Freely Freely
(please stand)



Benediction *(please remain standing)*

This week at Living Faith

Tuesday: Coffee and Conversation, 10am

Thursday: Jane Office Hours, 10am-1pm

Friday: NRG

Sunday: Worship Service, 10:30am

Living Faith Community Presbyterian Church is a **“Leading With Care”** congregation, providing a safe place for children and vulnerable adults according to the requirements of The Presbyterian Church in Canada.

Hearing Assistive Devices are available at the back of the sanctuary

Welcome!

We are blessed that you are here to worship God this morning and we welcome you to the family. Please join in a time of fellowship and refreshments in Celebration Hall following the worship service.

Announcements



This morning we celebrate the 1st Sunday of Lent with the celebration of Communion. We are thankful to have Margaret Robertson here with us this morning to lead us through this holy sacrament.

Also this morning we will be celebrating with Colin and Lindsay Hutterer and their daughter Blake, with the baptism of Olivia May during our Children’s Time.

Please be sure to pick up a Mardi Gratitude calendar from the desk in the foyer. We are asking you to keep track of all the things you are grateful for during this season of Lent.

Mardi Gratitude and Pancake Tuesday: Wow! Thank you for the overwhelming response we had here at the church on Tuesday night!!! We had a wonderful time in the sanctuary with our Mardi Gratitude where we learned about Lent. Thanks to the Messy Church Team for making this such a great event. While that was going on the kitchen was abuzz with activity. Thanks to all who helped serve up pancakes and so much more!!! We were able to serve about 120 people.

Thank you to everyone for who attended our AGM last Sunday. Your participation was appreciated. We would also like to thank Sheila Finch and her team for catering the funeral this past week. It was a huge undertaking. Well done! The Session



ANNOUNCEMENTS, CONTINUED

A few ways to give generously for Lent

“A generous person will prosper; whoever refreshes others will be refreshed.” (Proverbs 11:25 NIV)

Green: Do the washing up – even if it’s not your turn.

Amber: Whether it’s emptying the bins or cleaning the toilet, do that one job nobody likes.

Red: Offer to do some gardening for someone who’s been struggling to manage it or help declutter a room.

Library: With Easter just around the corner, now is a great time to check out some great titles from our church library. There are a huge number of books, CDs, and Studies. Loads of different genres for all ages to keep you entertained. Step inside you never know what you will find!



Upcoming in March:

World Day of Prayer 6th
Daylight Savings Begins 8th

Pastoral Visits: Please let us know if you would like to visit with Rev. Jane Archer. Rev. Jane is in the church office on Wednesday mornings and is available for visits on Monday afternoons and Thursdays.

At Living Faith, we strive to limit the use of scents and peanut products so our church home is a welcoming and safe environment for those with allergies and sensitivities. We ask that nothing other than water be brought into our sanctuary.

Thank You



Prayer Corner

Please keep the following in your prayers this week
Joe Stanely who is in a great deal of pain

Duty Elder for March: Juanita Borland

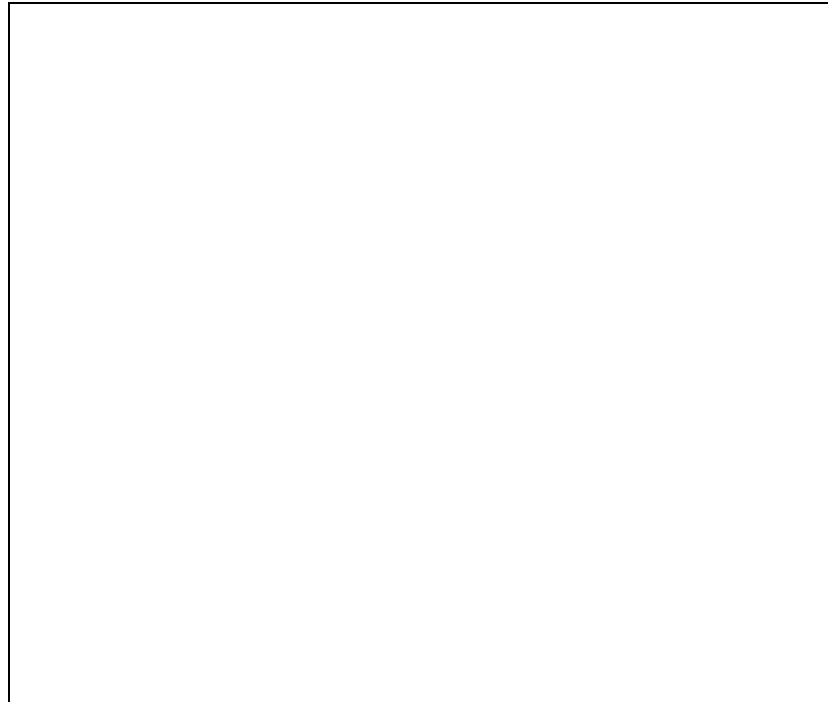
If anyone has any announcements please see the Duty Elder before the service.



Last Week:

Attendance: 91
Offering: \$4125
Refugees: \$170
Dinner: \$770
Bonspiel: \$2230
Funeral: \$850

Sermon Notes



Pastoral Care – Rev. Jane Archer, chaplain4you@gmail.com
Administration – Juanita Borland, livingfaithbaxter@gmail.com
Custodian – Peter Gallant



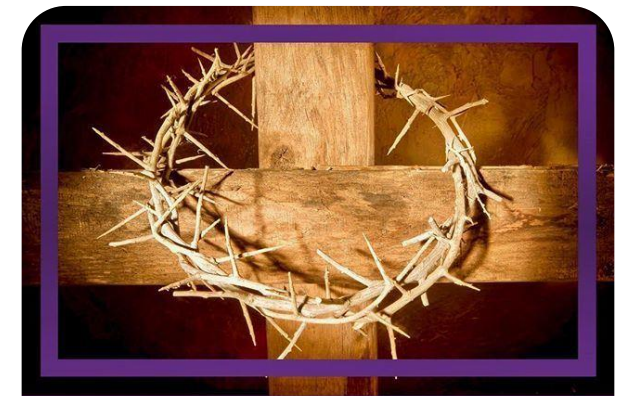
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passionately serving Jesus Christ, each other,
and the community



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“The Test”

March 1st, 2020