

HOLLYWOOD UMC



KNOWING JESUS AND
MAKING JESUS KNOWN

 **IS FIRST
SUNDAY IN
LENT**

FEBRUARY 18, 2024



PRELUDE

Mary Jane Seanor

“El Shaddai”

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

*** OPENING HYMN**

UMH #508

“Faith, While Trees are Still in Blossom”

*** CALL TO WORSHIP**

Leader: Ashes have been smeared and sins have been confessed...

People: **We follow our faithful Lord.**

Leader: These times, they are troubling. This journey, it is hard...

People: **We follow our faithful Lord.**

Leader: It is God who sustains, not the temptations of this world.

People: **We follow our faithful Lord.**

Leader: In the Lord is our trust, our protection from harm...

People: **We follow our faithful Lord.**

Leader: Come, let us worship the One whom we serve...

People: **We follow our faithful Lord.**

*** OPENING PRAYER**

Almighty God, you have promised to be faithful to us always and forever. We confess that we forget this far too often. There is just too much to remember each day that we forget you and your promise. Help us remember. Help us remember your paths. Help us remember your mercy. Help us remember that you remember us even when we forget you.

We pray this in the name of Jesus the Christ. Amen.

OLD TESTAMENT READING

[Genesis 9:8-17](#)

CHILDREN'S MOMENT

Children's Church Dismissal

SPECIAL MUSIC Tom & Jeanne Rothwell,
Maggie Osborne, and Ellen Proctor
"Be Still and Know"

A COMMUNITY IN PRAYER

Joys & Concerns

Pastoral Prayer & The Lord's Prayer

* **HYMN OF PREPARATION** UMH #121
"There's a Wideness in God's Mercy"

PSALM READING

[Psalm 25:1-10](#)

SERMON

Rev. Matthew Tate

AFFIRMATION OF FAITH UMH #882
The Apostle's Creed

TITHES & OFFERINGS

With thanksgiving in our hearts, we give of our resources to our
ever-present Lord. See the back page for a variety of ways to give.

Offertory Tom & Jeanne Rothwell,
Maggie Osborne, and Ellen Proctor
"My Faith Looks Up to Thee"

* Doxology UMH #95
* Prayer of Thanksgiving

* **HYMN OF CELEBRATION** UMH #411
"Dear Lord, Lead Me Day by Day"

* **BENEDICTION**

POSTLUDE Mary Jane Seanor

* We stand in body or in spirit to give glory to God.

UMH = United Methodist Hymnal TFWS = The Faith We Sing



For easier access to the web links in the bulletin, download the PDF at

<https://hollywoodumcmd.org/news-events/announcements/>

Let us know you joined us in worship by filling out our Connect Card!

[Just scan the QR Code with your phone's camera or click here!](#)

PRAYER REQUESTS

Pray for the healing of our church family, friends & relatives

Wendy Borja (9/18)	Mary Dorsey (12/21)	Jim & Carole Lupis (1/2)
David Bruton (9/6)	Estelle Elmore (1/2)	Dr. John Roach (12/12)
Jenny Carroll (10/3)	Liz Halvosa (1/3)	Craig Sanders (1/2)
Christine Clontz (7/5)	Tommy Johnson (11/3)	Macie Shumpert (10/23)
Linda Coppage (2/8)	Max Long (1/2)	Pari Thomas (12/11)
Ashley Dorsey (11/8)	The Lucchesi Family (1/9)	

Pray for our Homebound

Oneita Dohrman

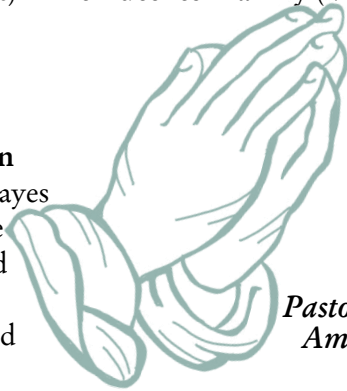
Robert & Sharon Hayes

Lynne McGuffie

Connie Langford

John Porter

CD & Judy Wood



Pray for

Michael Spence

OUR PRESCHOOL

Pray for

*Pastor Matthew & Danielle, and
Amelia, Simon, and Ambrose*

Pray for those who are battling cancer

Mike Britt	Jason Duke	Mike Knight	Jessica Royal
Tim Buckheit	Connie Evans	Lance Lupis	Richard Sandidge
Beth Carter	John Felicitas	Paloa Maggi	Bronson Sweeney
Cynthia Chan	Pam Grace	Bob Napier	Janet Taylor
Gabriel Crow	Curtis Graves	Wendy Pratley	Patsy Webster
AJ Davis	Nathan Gray	Leanne Riley	Denny Woodruff
Sandy Denison	Gene Keller, Jr.	Myrna Robbins	Sarah Zsak

REJOICE
ALWAYS,

PRAY

WITHOUT CEASING,

**GIVE
THANKS**

IN ALL
CIRCUMSTANCES.
1 THESSALONIANS 5:16-18 NRSV

Names in bold indicate new prayer requests or those who need extra prayer this week.

Please keep us updated on the status of your prayer requests.

To request prayer, fill out a Keeping in Touch card, call or email the office during the week, or email Pastor Matthew by noon on Saturdays to ensure they are included in Sunday's service.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

YOUTH GROUP

Mmmm! Leftover pancakes and sausage tonight! Come hungry for youth group at 5:00 PM! If you would like to provide dinner for the youth group on a future Sunday evening, [contact Sarah](#). We are always looking for more adults to help with youth group. Talk to Sarah for more information!



Filling Empty Little Tummies

We are currently fully stocked!
Thank you so much for
supporting this ministry! Stay
tuned for upcoming needs.

PRAYER SHAWL MINISTRY

If you would like a prayer shawl
for yourself or a friend in need,
contact Karen Melotti at 301-481-
8093. If you would like to join
Karen in creating shawls or have
yarn to donate, contact her.

how to hear God

a simple guide for normal people

MEN'S BIBLE STUDY

Our next Men's Bible Study will be "How to Hear God" and begins THIS Monday, February 19. You can order your book from Amazon. See Pastor Matthew for more info.



Terri Van Asdlen is gathering a group for the MercyMe, Newsboys, and David Leonard concert on April 28 at EagleBank Arena. Email Terri by February 29 at mail@chickentracks.com if you would like to go.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

ALL THE PATHS OF THE LORD ARE

*steadfast love
and
faithfulness*

for those who keep

his covenant and his decrees.

Psalm 25:10 NRSV

HUMP&K FUNDRAISERS

Our annual fundraiser auction for OUR preschool will be on Friday, March 15, at 6:00 PM. We are seeking donations of **NEW** and **UNOPENED** and **UNUSED** goods and services. Homemade and handcrafted items are welcome. If you would like to make a donation, [contact Tami Joy](#). Plan now to attend the auction and support OUR preschool.



HUMP&K RITA'S FUNDRAISER

Tuesday, March 26

6:00–8:00 PM

California Location

We will receive 10% of all sales!

HVFD ANNUAL SPRING DINNER

Saturday, March 2

1:00–5:00 PM

Carry Out Only

\$30

Stuffed Ham & Chicken Salad
for sale by the pound.

HVRS HAM & CABBAGE DINNER

Saturday, March 9

2:00–6:00 PM

Drive-Thru

\$15

WEEKLY EVENTS

Sundays	9:00 AM	Sunday School for All Ages
	10:00 AM	Morning Worship Service (In-Person/ YouTube)
	5:00 PM	Youth Group
Mondays	6:45 PM	Ladies Bible Study (Youth Room)
	7:00 PM	Men's Bible Study (GH)
Tuesdays	9:00 AM	Jazzercise (GH)
	6:45 PM	Ladies Bible Study (Youth Room)
Wednesdays	10:00 AM	Wednesday Bible Study (Youth Room)
	Noon	Lunch Bunch (GH)
	6:30–8:00 PM	Choir Rehearsal
Thursdays	9:00 AM	Jazzercise (GH)
	10:00 AM	Deadline for Bulletin Info for Next Sunday
Fridays		Pastor's Sabbath
	9:00 AM	Jazzercise (GH)

Lent

~~Event~~ indicates a weekly event that will not be held this week.

UPCOMING EVENTS

Monday, February 19		Presidents' Day—Office Closed
	7:00 PM	Men's Bible Study Resumes
Sunday, February 25		Second Sunday of Lent
Thursday, February 29		Leap Day
Friday, March 1		No School (SMCPS)
Saturday, March 2		
	1:00–5:00 PM	HVFD Spring Dinner (Carry Out Only)
Sunday, March 3		Third Sunday of Lent
		Local Food Pantry Donation Collection
Saturday, March 9		
	2:00–6:00 PM	Drive Thru Ham & Cabbage Dinner (HVRS)
Sunday, March 10		Fourth Sunday of Lent
		Daylight Saving Time Begins
		UMCOR Sunday—Special Offering
Friday, March 15		
	5:30 PM	Door Open for Auction (GH)
	6:00 PM	HUMP&K Fundraiser Auction (GH)



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