

HOLLYWOOD UMC

*In the morning,
while it was still very dark,
he got up and went out
to a deserted place,*

*and there
he prayed.*

Mark 1:35

KNOWING
JESUS
AND
MAKING
JESUS
KNOWN

FEBRUARY 4, 2024



PRELUDE

Mary Jane Seanor

“The Ash Grove”

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

*** OPENING HYMN**

UMH #57

“O For a Thousand Tongues to Sing”

*** CALL TO WORSHIP**

Psalm 147

Leader: Praise the Lord!

People: For it is good to sing praises to our God;
a song of praise is fitting.

Leader: The Lord builds up Jerusalem; and gathers the outcasts of Israel.

People: The Lord heals the brokenhearted,
and binds up their wounds.

Leader: The Lord determines the number of the stars,
and gives to all of them their names.

People: Great is our Lord, and abundant in power,
whose understanding is beyond measure.

Leader: The Lord lifts up the downtrodden,
but casts the wicked to the ground.

People: Praise the Lord who reigns above! Alleluia!

*** OPENING PRAYER**

From the Book of Worship

O God of all the nations, you manifested your love by sending your only Son into the world that all might live through Him. Pour you Spirit on your Church, that it may fulfill His command to preach the Gospel everywhere; Send forth laborers into Your harvest; Defend them in all dangers and temptations; Give them grace to bear faithful witness to you; Endue them with zeal and love, that they may turn many to righteousness; Through the same your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

OLD TESTAMENT READING Isaiah 40:21–31
CHILDREN'S MOMENT
A COMMUNITY IN PRAYER

Joys & Concerns

Pastoral Prayer & The Lord's Prayer

* **HYMN OF PREPARATION** TFWS #2238
"In the Midst of New Dimensions"

* **NEW TESTAMENT READING** Mark 1:29–39

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 Mary Jane Seanor
"Organ Short Pastorate"

* Doxology UMH #95

* Prayer of Thanksgiving

* **COMMUNION**

* **HYMN OF CELEBRATION** UMH #?
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* **BENEDICTION**

POSTLUDE Mary Jane Seanor
"Episode on 'Dunlap's Creek'"

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

UMH = United Methodist Hymnal TFWS = The Faith We Sing

*Those who wait for the Lord . . .
shall mount up with wings like eagles;*



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!

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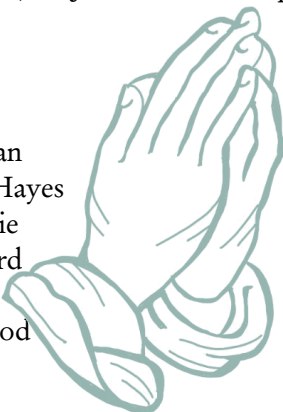
PRAYER REQUESTS

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

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

*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 those who are grieving,
including the family and friends of
James Wild.*

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

Pray for those who are battling cancer

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

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

This evening, Maria Wolcott will be providing dinner for youth group! If you would like to provide dinner for the youth group on a future Sunday evening, [contact Sarah](#). Plan now to attend the annual **Pancake Supper** on Tuesday, February 13!

HUMP&K AUCTION

Our annual fundraiser auction for OUR preschool will be on Friday, March 15, at 6:30 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.

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.



Filling Empty Little Tummies
These are the items we need the most: veggie cups or cans; fruit juice boxes/pouches; and shelf-stable milk! Thank you for supporting this ministry!

MEN'S BIBLE STUDY

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

ANNUAL GIVING STATEMENTS

Access your 2023 giving statement in Realm by following the steps below. This statement will not include nondeductible gifts.

1. Sign in to your Realm account at <https://onrealm.org/HollywoodUMC/>.
2. Click Giving in the main menu.
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5. Click the printer icon for a physical copy or Download for a PDF.

Call or [email the office](#) if you need assistance.

Thank you for your continued and faithful giving that helps us further our mission of **Knowing Jesus and Making Jesus Known!**

ANNOUNCEMENTS



SOUPER BOWL

AFTER SERVICE
ON FEBRUARY 11

Sign up in
the Narthex!

PANCAKE SUPPER



TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 13

5:00—7:00 PM

LOVE OFFERING FOR OUR YOUTH GROUP

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Wednesday

February 14 7:00 PM

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)

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

UPCOMING EVENTS

Sunday, February 4	Local Food Pantry Donation Collection
Sunday, February 11	
After Worship Service	Souper Bowl Sunday!
Tuesday, February 13	
5:00 PM	Pancake Supper
Wednesday, February 14	Ash Wednesday/Valentine's Day
7:00 PM	Ash Wednesday Service
Saturday, February 17	
4:00 PM	Mt. Zion UMC Spaghetti Dinner
Sunday, February 18	First Sunday of Lent
Monday, February 19	Presidents' Day—Office Closed
	No School (SMCPS)
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)



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