



Our mission is to make tangible the life-transforming power of God's love so that all may come to know Christ.

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Fourth Sunday in Lent: March 22, 2020

PRAYER: Gracious Father, whose blessed Son Jesus Christ came down from heaven to be the true bread which gives life to the world: Evermore give us this bread, that he may live in us, and we in him; who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. *Amen.*

New Testament Reading:	1 Corinthians 2:1-5 (Response: <i>Thanks be to God.</i>)
Gospel Reading:	John 13:31-35 (Responses: <i>Glory to You, Lord Christ. ... Praise to You, Lord Christ.</i>)
Sermon:	A Demonstration Of The Spirit's Power Pastor Marty O'Rourke

— ANNOUNCEMENTS —

- **SUNDAY WORSHIP** will continue to be live-streamed on the church's Facebook account, www.facebook.com/churchofthemessiahchesapeake. You may also access the livestream on our website, www.ChurchoftheMessiah.org, during and after the service.
- **TITHES AND CONTRIBUTIONS** can be mailed to the church office, or made via Paypal on the church website.
- **MONDAY NIGHT HEALING PRAYER** will continue to meet in the Sanctuary at 7:00 p.m.
- **REDISCOVERING EVANGELISM:** The study group for our Lenten series will continue weekly on Wednesdays at 7:30 p.m. Please view the online video beforehand, and then use the Zoom app to join the discussion. Instructions on how to download the app and join the discussion will be sent out before each meeting.
- **PARENTING WORKSHOPS:** Status of the April 17 and May 22 parenting workshops is uncertain at this time. More information will be available closer to the scheduled dates.
- **COMMUNITY BIBLE STUDY** classes are suspended at the present time. Contact your group facilitators for information on how to access the lessons online.
- **JOYFUL NOISE CLUB** will not meet for now. Please continue to pray for all our friends in Joyful Noise not to be worried or anxious, but to be joyful and peaceful.
- **OTHER SCHEDULED EVENTS** will be reviewed and information made available as soon as possible.

Happy Birthday

- March 22: Mairi Fredericks, Ralph Ricardo
- March 24: Jenny "The Jewel" Jenson
- March 26: Ron Webster
- March 28: Kelly Stern

Happy Anniversary

- March 22: Valli & Doug Downey
- March 24: Susie & David Martin
- March 26: Joanne & Al Falk

PLEASE PRAY FOR THESE REQUESTS THIS WEEK:

Protection from Covid-19

Church property decision, the family of Suzanne Luna, Robert & Vilia Walter, John Dooley, Viola McKinlay, Priscilla Oster, Anne Polli, Rickee Dozier, Joanne Falk, all of our members of the military, and Sanctuary of Hope, our companion church

OUR OVERSEAS MISSIONARIES:

Aaron and Winnie Coleman-Horvat, Croatia
David & Betsy, Turkey
Carmen Linder, His Love in Action School for the Deaf in Honduras
Robert Walter, Leadersource, serving East Asia, South Asia, Middle East

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Please pray for the following churches this week:
Church of the Good Shepherd, Lynchburg, VA
Church of the Good Shepherd, Nags Head, NC