

**FIRST CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH  
UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST  
Rev. Dawn Garrett-Larsen, Pastor**

Fourth Sunday in Lent  
Jim Hilton, Lay Reader

March 27, 2022

Worship 10:30 AM

PRELUDE *Jesus, Priceless Treasure* Michael Burkhardt

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

CALL TO WORSHIP

Leader: Out of the depths I cry to you, O Lord. Lord, hear my voice! Let your ears be attentive to the voice of my supplications!

**People: If you, O Lord, should mark iniquities, Lord, who could stand?**

Leader: But there is forgiveness with you, so that you may be revered.

**People: Hope in the Lord! For with the Lord there is steadfast love, and great power to redeem.**

Leader: I wait for the Lord, my soul waits; and in the word of the Lord I hope.

**People: Let us worship God!**

\*HYMN # 123 *Fairest Lord Jesus*

\*INVOCATION

**I abandon myself into your hands; do with me what you will. Whatever you may do, I thank you; I am ready for all, I accept all. Let only your will be done in me and in all your creatures. I wish no more than this, O Lord. Into your hands I commend my soul; I offer it to you with all the love in my heart, for I love you, Lord, and so need to give myself into your hands without reserve and with boundless confidence. For you are my Lord. Amen.**

\*LORD'S PRAYER

**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. Amen.**

\*GLORIA PATRI # 734

ANTHEM *I Want Jesus to Walk With Me* Lloyd Larson

A TIME WITH THE CHILDREN AND YOUTH

EPISTLE LESSON *Philippians 2: 9-11*

\*HYMN # 317 *Crown Him with Many Crowns*

MORNING PRAYER

GOSPEL LESSON *Luke 6: 39-47*

SERMON *Jesus: Lord of Lords* Rev. Dawn Garrett-Larsen

OFFERTORY *Beneath the Cross of Jesus* Frederick C. Maker

\*DOXOLOGY # 34

\*PRAYER OF DEDICATION

**Thank you, God, for proclaiming our worth when we do not value ourselves. Thank you for welcoming us to a celebration of life with so many previous gifts. Thank you now for the privilege of sharing so others may be led to your joyous embrace. Help us to be generous in gratitude for your lavish provision for all our needs. Amen.**

\*HYMN # 106 *All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name!*

\*BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE *When Jesus Wept* David Schelat

**\*Please stand if you are able.**

*Call to Worship reprinted from When We Gather by James G. Kirk; Invocation adapted and reprinted from Lent & Easter Wisdom from Henri J. Nouwen by Judy Bauer; Unison Prayer of Dedication reprinted from Gathered by Love by Lavon Bayler*

*Greeters This Morning: Karen Demay, Carla DeMeco, Jean Landes  
Ushers This Morning: Barb Iglewski, Sue Hawkes, Nancy & Mike Parsons  
Live Stream This Morning: Mike Berry*

If you are visiting with us, welcome! Please fill out a green card and place it in the offering plate. If you would like to use our hearing assistance system please see an usher.

## Happy Birthday

March 27	Pat Hallett ~ Alicia Francis Dan Casellas
March 28	Kim Tenreiro
March 31	Jennifer Maxfield ~ Abby Rice
April 1	Brooke Lupton
April 2	Hannah Blaker

## Prayer List

**Ancy & Kira** (Fred Henry's friend); **Keith Blaker; Brad Bliss; Marjorie Case; Cheryl** (Jennifer Maxfield's sister-in-law); **Judy Clark** (Jessica & Dan Casellas' and Elaine Hilton's friend); **Cathy Coots; Corrine** (Denise & Scott's sister); **Bob DeSantis** (Dorice & Don Raw, Sr.'s friend); **Marilyn DeSmith; Brian Fuscald** (Mara Huberlie's nephew); **Max Grossman** (George Herren's friend); **Carin Herren; Mara Huberlie; Barb Iglewski; Peter Ingalls** (Jean Ingall's son); **John** (Lin's nephew); **Sue Kotalik; Michelle List** (JoAnn Reed's friend); **Loren** (Jack Radley's friend); **Eileen McCarthy** (Carla DeMeco & Betsy Dresser's friend); **Liz Nelson** (Kathy Ward's friend); **Steve F & Reagan O** (friends of Karen Noonan); **Norman** (Jennifer Maxfield's uncle); **Chris Pritchard** (Rick, Cindy Mullen & George Herren's friend); **Jack Radley; Don Raw, Sr.; Don Raw, Jr.; Sara** (Jack Radley's granddaughter); **Smith/Dworetsky Family** (Okke & Kathy Postma's friends); **Pat Smith; Dr. Steven Smith & Family** (Jessica & Dan Casellas' friends); **Gordon Wenner** (George & Carin Herren's friend); **Josh Yeo** (Barb Stahl's friend); **Jason and Linda Zeller** (Kathy Ward's son and daughter); **Jim Ziegler**

## Calendar

Mon Mar 28	7:00	Public Image Committee/Zoom
Thu Mar 31	10:00	Adult Education
Sun Apr 3	9:00	Choir
	10:30	Communion Service - Worship In Person & Live stream, Sunday School
	11:45	Congregational Meeting/Church Repairs
Thu Apr 7	10:00	Adult Education
	6:00	Soup Supper/In-person
Sun Apr 10		<b>PALM SUNDAY</b>
	9:00	Choir
	10:30	Worship In Person & Live stream, Sunday School

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- ❖ We value and respect diversity in the ways we express our faith.
- ❖ We enjoy thoughtful dialogue about faith issues.
- ❖ We encourage each other to work for justice and to care for people in need in our community and in our world.