

Happening @ Hanover

UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

Worship Today, March 7, 2021
The Third Sunday of Lent

Prelude: *Psalm XIX*, Benetto Marcello

Call to Worship: (In unison)

God of Glory and might, speak to us with your wisdom, that we might truly hear you. Display your majesty, that we might truly see you. Transform the chaos of our lives with the clarity of your call, that we might worship you in spirit and in truth. AMEN.

Hymn: # 77 *How Great Thou Art*

Scripture Lesson 1: Psalm 19

The heavens declare the glory of God; the skies proclaim the work of his hands. Day after day they pour forth speech; night after night they reveal knowledge. They have no speech, they use no words; no sound is heard from them. Yet their voice goes out into all the earth, their words to the ends of the world. In the heavens God has pitched a tent for the sun. It is like a bridegroom coming out of his chamber, like a champion rejoicing to run his course. It rises at one end of the heavens and makes its circuit to the other; nothing is deprived of its warmth. The law of the LORD is perfect, refreshing the soul. The statutes of the LORD are trustworthy, making wise the simple. The precepts of the LORD are right, giving joy to the heart. The commands of the LORD are radiant, giving light to the eyes. The fear of the LORD is pure, enduring forever. The decrees of the LORD are firm, and all of them are righteous. They are more precious than gold, than much pure gold; they are sweeter than honey, than honey from the honeycomb. By them your servant is warned; in keeping them there is great reward. But who can discern their own errors? Forgive my hidden faults. Keep your servant also from willful sins; may they not rule over me. Then I will be blameless, innocent of great transgression.

The word of God for the people of God
Thanks be to God!

Call to Offering: (In unison)

May the gifts we bring be gifts of love. May the offering we share be offerings of our hearts. May each gift be blessed by your grace, that others may know the truth of your wisdom and your love. Amen.

Offertory: *Vater unser in Himmelreich (1)*,
Dietrich Buxtehude

Prayers of the People and The Lord's Prayer

Scripture Lesson 2: 1 Corinthians 1: 18-25
For the message of the cross is foolishness to those who are perishing, but to us who are being saved it is the power of God. For it is written: "I will destroy the wisdom of the wise; the intelligence of the intelligent I will frustrate." Where is the wise person? Where is the teacher of the law? Where is the philosopher of this age? Has not God made foolish the wisdom of the world? For since in the wisdom of God the world through its wisdom did not know him, God was pleased through the foolishness of what was preached to save those who believe. Jews demand signs and Greeks look for wisdom, but we preach Christ crucified: a stumbling block to Jews and foolishness to Gentiles, but to those whom God has called, both Jews and Greeks, Christ the power of God and the wisdom of God. For the foolishness of God is wiser than human wisdom, and the weakness of God is stronger than human strength.

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Sermon:

HOLY COMMUNION

Sending Forth: (In unison)

Blessed by God's wisdom, we go forth refreshed and renewed. Called by Christ, we go now to serve. Amazed by God's love, we go now to love.

Postlude: *Suite Gothique*, Leon Boellmann

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We will be worshipping online only until further notice. To participate in the Zoom Devotion time, see details under the Fellowship tab on our website. The weekly bulletin and hymn for each Sunday can be found at <https://www.hanoverinumc.org/bulletin>

Organist: David Hottel

Pianist: Yvonne Davis

Praise Team: Jacob DeAtley, Deano Crafton and Jeff Croxton

Praise Music with Yvonne

Join us Sunday at 3:00 when Yvonne Davis will entertain us with her gift of music. Please feel free to invite friends to join us on Facebook.

**Greater Madison Ministerial Association
 2021 Lenten Worship on Wednesdays**

Services begin at Noon at Bicentennial Park – Madison

- March 17 Rev. Evelyn Wheeler, rector of Christ Episcopal Church
- March 24 Rev. Daniel "Harley" Helm, pastor of Hanover UMC
- March 31 Rev. Doug Walker, pastor of Trinity UMC

HAPPENING IN MARCH

Sun 7	8:00 am	Facebook Live
	9:30	Zoom Fellowship and Devotions
	3:00 pm	Yvonne Davis on FB
Mon 8	9:00 am	Care Team
	11:00 – 1:00	Gleaners Mobile Pantry - Armory
Wed 10	7:00 pm	Lenten Bible Study
Thu 11	10:00 am	Food Truck
	7:00 pm	SPRC
Fri 12	9:00-11:00	HUMC Food Pantry
Sun 14	8:00 am	Facebook Live
	9:30	Zoom Fellowship and Devotions
	3:00 pm	Yvonne Davis on FB
Mon 15	7:00 pm	Missions w/ Presbyterians
Tue 16	6:30	Evangelism
Wed 17	Noon	Community Lenten Service
	7:00 pm	Lenten Bible Study
Sun 21	8:00 am	Facebook Live
	9:30	Zoom Fellowship and Devotions
	3:00 pm	Yvonne Davis on FB
Wed 24	Noon	Community Lenten Service
	7:00 pm	Lenten Bible Study
Thu 25	10:00 am	Food Truck
Fri 26	9:00-11:00	HUMC Food Pantry
Sun 28	8:00 am	Facebook Live
	9:30	Zoom Fellowship and Devotions
	3:00 pm	Yvonne Davis on FB
Tue 30	6:00 pm	Finance
	7:00	Ad Council
Wed 31	Noon	Community Lenten Service

FB = Facebook

Virtual Communion this Sunday

We are celebrating communion during our virtual service. Please be prepared and have your bread and juice before the start of the service.

Lenten Bible Study Continues

You are invited to join us for our online Bible Study called *Reconciliation* each Wednesday at 7:00 pm. For the materials and Zoom link go to <https://www.hanoverinumc.org/lent>.



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