

TRADITIONAL WORSHIP
FEBRUARY 28, 2016
THIRD SUNDAY IN LENT

WATCH LIVE! - Atonementchurch.net – “Messages” Tab – “Sunday Morning Simulcast”
Nursery care is available for children through age 5 in room 103.

Holy Communion is observed today. Christ our Lord invites all to his table who love him, who earnestly repent of their sin and seek to live in peace with one another. Join us in our beliefs that Christ is present at this meal and it is a means of God's grace and love.

PRELUDE		
GREETING & ANNOUNCEMENTS		Pastor John
OPENING PRAYER		Pastor John
*HYMN OF PRAISE	“Beneath the Cross of Jesus”	No. 297
ANTHEM	“How Beautiful” (<i>Sanctuary Choir</i>)	Twila Parks
OFFERTORY		
*DEDICATION OF OUR OFFERINGS		No. 95
“Praise God, From Whom All Blessings Flow”		
Affirmation of Faith	Apostle’s Creed	No. 881
<i>Holy catholic church means worldwide or universal church</i>		
READING FROM GOD’S WORD		Exodus 12:1-14
This is God’s Word for God’s People		Pg. 65
Thanks be to God!		Lg. Pg. 104
MESSAGE		“Purpose of the Cross”
		Pastor John

THE SERVICE OF HOLY COMMUNION

The ushers will direct you to the servers. To receive Communion elements, take the bread from the server and slightly dip it into the juice cup. Afterwards, the altar rail is open for prayer. Join in with the singing of the Communion hymns.

“Break Thou the Bread of Life”	No. 599
“Beneath the Cross of Jesus”	No. 297
“O Love Divine, What Hast Thou Done”	No. 287
“And Can It Be That I Should Gain”	No. 363

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION (in unison): Eternal God, we give you thanks for this holy mystery in which you have given yourself to us. Grant that we may go into the world in the strength of your Spirit, to give ourselves for others, in the name of Jesus Christ our Lord, Amen.

HYMN	“When I Survey the Wondrous Cross”	No. 298
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BLESSING

Pastor John

** POSTLUDE

*Please stand if you are comfortable doing so.

**Please remain standing until the pastor walks to the front doors of the church.

For prayer requests, contact Jane Anne Weist at weistjaw@aol.com or 529-1385

In Need of Prayers: Homer Albright, Patricia Bailey, Jean Conrad, Sharon Cook, Nichole DeBerardinis-Sievert, Scott DeBerardinis, Judith Fritz, Jessie Hargan, Glenn Harmon, Fran Hershberger, Diane Johnston, Chris Lee (Don and Donna McCormick's son-in-law), Bob McClure Jr., Mike McCall, Edith Pennington, Alberta Pullman, Chris Reinhardt, Phyllis Ruth, Julie Shenk, Anneliese Stroup, Roberta Wolfe, Nancy Yoder, Nathan Yoder, Bea Young,

ALTAR FLOWERS: One vase is in celebration of the 100th year of life of Lorraine Osmick; given with love by Mary Richards. One vase is in celebration of Timmy Armstrong’s 14th birthday; given with love from Tim and Lynn Armstrong. The center arrangement is in celebration of the 55th Wedding Anniversary of Ron and Renna Schmidt.

SERVING YOU TODAY

USHERS:	Christopher Peters, Lynn Peters, Mary Richards and Sam Wise
ACOLYTE:	Nicholas Colledge
ALTAR GUILD:	Linda Oberg

MY DECISION TODAY:

- ☐ I’m committing my life to Christ for the first time today.
- ☐ I want to be baptized.
- ☐ I’m renewing my commitment to Christ.
- ☐ I’d like to talk to a member of the pastoral staff.

I’D LIKE INFORMATION ON:

- ☐ Joining the Church Family
- ☐ Sunday School
- ☐ SURGE Youth Group
- ☐ Music Ministry
- ☐ Hospitality Ministry
- ☐ Teaching Sunday School
- ☐ Volunteering
- ☐ Joining a Life (small) Group
- ☐ HOPE Community Church

REQUESTS OR PRAYER NEEDS:

- ☐ For Prayer Chain
- ☐ Confidential
- ☐ Listed in Bulletin

PLEASE COMPLETE, TEAR OFF, AND
PLACE IN OFFERING PLATE OR LEAVE IN
WELCOME CENTER

KEEPING IN TOUCH

- ☐ CHANGE MY INFORMATION
- ☐ ADD ME TO THE ONE CALL LIST

Name: _____

S/M/D/W
(Marital Status)

_____/_____/_____
(Birth Date)

Spouse: _____

(Street Address)

(City/State/Zip)

(Phone)

(E-mail Address)

Children Living at this Address:

_____ Name	_____ M/F	_____/_____/_____ (DOB)
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_____ Name	_____ M/F	_____/_____/_____ (DOB)
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First Impressions: First time visitors,
let us know what you liked and where
we can improve.

What I noticed first about UMCA:

What I liked best was:

What I liked least was:

SCHEDULE FOR THE DAY

9:00 a.m.	Traditional Worship
10:00 a.m.	Open Discussion Session with Ellie Kwick, Chapel
10:00 a.m.	Refreshments
10:15 a.m.	Sunday School
11:00 a.m.	“Branch Worship” in the Sanctuary
2:00 p.m.	Grief Share

SCHEDULE FOR THE WEEK

10:00 a.m.	Mon.	Sellers Senior Center Bible Study
4:00 p.m.	Mon.	Knollwood Children’s Bible Study
7:00 p.m.	Mon.	Praise Band Rehearsal
7:00 p.m.	Mon.	Lenten Study Group
7:30 p.m.	Mon.	AA Meeting
10:30 p.m.	Tues.	Lodge Lane
7:00 p.m.	Tues.	AA Meeting
12:15 p.m.	Wed.	Bible Study
2:00 p.m.	Wed.	Ivy Gables Worship Service
7:15p.m.	Wed.	Bible Study
6:00 p.m.	Thurs.	Knollwood Bible Study
7:30 p.m.	Thurs.	Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal
7:00 p.m.	Fri.	SURGE Youth Group

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We come!
We're Glad you're here.!