

February 21, 2021

9:00a Service



First Sunday of Lent

Create in me a clean heart, O God; and renew a right spirit within me. Psalm 51:12 (KJV)

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PRE-SERVICE PRAISE SONGS

"We Cry Out" "Set A Fire"

WELCOME, ANNOUNCEMENTS

PASSING THE PEACE

PRAISE SONG "Spirit of God"

OPENING PRAYER

Loving Lord, at the beginning of this Lenten season, we are met with the challenge of handing over every bit of our lives that do not come from You. To rid ourselves of what clutters our lives, and all that distracts us from the simple truth of Your love for us. O God, we praise you for this gift of grace. We praise you for its reception by faith in our hearts and we pray today that you would help us to live out of the overflow of this love with faith in you today with endless gratitude for the Gospel. May we walk with Jesus toward the hill just outside of Jerusalem. May we take up our cross and follow, spending each moment of our lives living responsively to You, just as Christ Himself did. For that is the faithful way. **Amen**

SCRIPTURE Isaiah 53 (NRSV)

MORNING PRAYER

CHILDREN'S MOMENTS

SERMON "Jesus Takes Your Place" Rev. Rusty Belcher

*Savior: What the Bible says about the Cross, Part 1*

GIVING MUSIC

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PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

PRAISE SONG "This is Amazing Grace"

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