

We are so glad that you are worshiping with us today.
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navigate this week's Order of Service while you watch.

FEBRUARY 28, 2021

The Second Sunday of Lent

AT CHRIST CHURCH ANGLICAN
11AM

*In preparation for the service, we invite your quiet prayers
and ask that you please silence your cell phone.*

(Please stand.)

THE OPENING SONG *Take up your cross*

***Take up your cross, the Savior said, if you would my disciple be;
Take up your cross with willing heart, and humbly follow after me.***

***Take up your cross, then, in his strength, and calmly every danger brave:
It guides you to abundant life and leads to victory o'er the grave.***

***Take up your cross, and follow Christ, nor think till death to lay it down;
For only those who bear the cross may hope to wear the glorious crown.***

THE ACCLAMATION

Celebrant: Bless the Lord who forgives all our sins.

People: His mercy endures for ever.

THE COLLECT FOR PURITY

Almighty God, to you all hearts are open, all desires known, and from you no secrets are hid: Cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love you, and worthily magnify your holy Name; through Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

(Please kneel.)

THE DECALOGUE

Celebrant: God spoke these words and said: I am the Lord your God. You shall have no other gods but me.

People: Lord, have mercy upon us, and incline our hearts to keep this law.

Celebrant: You shall not make for yourself any idol.

People: Lord, have mercy upon us, and incline our hearts to keep this law.

Celebrant: You shall not take the Name of the Lord your God in vain.

People: Lord, have mercy upon us, and incline our hearts to keep this law.

Celebrant: Remember the Sabbath day and keep it holy.

People: Lord, have mercy upon us, and incline our hearts to keep this law.

Celebrant: Honor your father and your mother.

People: Lord, have mercy upon us, and incline our hearts to keep this law.

Celebrant: You shall not murder.

People: Lord, have mercy upon us, and incline our hearts to keep this law.

Celebrant: You shall not commit adultery.

People: Lord, have mercy upon us, and incline our hearts to keep this law.

Celebrant: You shall not steal.

People: Lord, have mercy upon us, and incline our hearts to keep this law.

Celebrant: You shall not bear false witness against your neighbor.

People: Lord, have mercy upon us, and incline our hearts to keep this law.

Celebrant: You shall not covet.

People: Lord, have mercy upon us, and write all these, your laws, in our hearts, we beseech you.

THE CONFESSION AND ABSOLUTION OF SIN

Deacon: Let us humbly confess our sins to Almighty God.

Silence

Most merciful God,

**we confess that we have sinned against you
in thought, word, and deed,
by what we have done, and by what we have left undone.**

We have not loved you with our whole heart;

we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves.

We are truly sorry and we humbly repent.

For the sake of your Son Jesus Christ,

**have mercy on us and forgive us;
that we may delight in your will, and walk in your ways,
to the glory of your Name. Amen.**

Celebrant: Almighty God, our heavenly Father, who in his great mercy has promised forgiveness of sins to all those who sincerely repent and with true faith turn to him, have mercy upon you, pardon and deliver you from all your sins, confirm and strengthen you in all goodness, and bring you to everlasting life; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

THE COMFORTABLE WORDS

The Celebrant may then say one or more of the following sentences, first saying

Hear the Word of God to all who truly turn to him.

Come to me, all who labor and are heavy laden, and I will give you rest. (Matthew 11:28)

God so loved the world, that he gave his only-begotten Son, that whoever believes in him should not perish but have eternal life. (John 3:16)

The saying is trustworthy and deserving of full acceptance, that Christ Jesus came into the world to save sinners. (1 Timothy 1:15)

If anyone sins, we have an advocate with the Father, Jesus Christ the righteous. He is the propitiation for our sins, and not for ours only, but also for the sins of the whole world. (1 John 2:1-2)

THE KYRIE

**Kyrie eleison, Kyrie eleison,
Kyrie eleison, eleison, eleison.**

**Christe eleison, Christe eleison,
Christe eleison, eleison, eleison.**

**Kyrie eleison, Kyrie eleison,
Kyrie eleison, eleison, eleison.**

THE COLLECT OF THE DAY

Celebrant: The Lord be with you.

People: And with your spirit.

Celebrant: Let us pray.

Almighty God, you know that we have no power in ourselves to help ourselves: Keep us both outwardly in our bodies and inwardly in our souls, that we may be defended from all adversities that may happen to the body, and from all evil thoughts that may assault and hurt the soul; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. **Amen.**

(Please be seated.)

THE LESSON *Genesis 22:1-14*

After these things God tested Abraham and said to him, "Abraham!" And he said, "Here I am." He said, "Take your son, your only son Isaac, whom you love, and go to the land of Moriah, and offer him there as a burnt offering on one of the mountains of which I shall tell you." So Abraham rose early in the morning, saddled his donkey, and took two of his young men with him, and his son Isaac. And he cut the wood for the burnt offering and arose and went to the place of which God had told him. On the third day Abraham lifted up his eyes and saw the place from afar. Then Abraham said to his young men, "Stay here with the donkey; I and the boy will go over there and worship and come again to you." And Abraham took the wood of the burnt offering and laid it on Isaac his son. And he took in his hand the fire and the knife. So they went both of them together. And Isaac said to his father Abraham, "My father!" And he said, "Here I am, my son." He said, "Behold, the fire and the wood, but where is the lamb for a burnt offering?" Abraham said, "God will provide for himself the lamb for a burnt offering, my son." So they went both of them together. When they came to the place of which God had told him, Abraham built the altar there and laid the wood in order and bound Isaac his son and laid him on the altar, on top of the wood. Then Abraham reached out his hand and took the knife to slaughter his son. But the angel of the LORD called to him from heaven and said, "Abraham, Abraham!" And he said, "Here I am." He said, "Do not lay your hand on the boy or do anything to him, for now I know that you fear God, seeing you have not withheld your son, your only son, from me." And Abraham lifted up his eyes and looked, and behold, behind him was a ram, caught in a thicket by his horns. And Abraham went and took the ram and offered it up as a burnt offering instead of his son. So Abraham called the name of that place, "The LORD will provide"; as it is said to this day, "On the mount of the LORD it shall be provided."

Reader: The Word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.

THE PSALTER *Psalm 16:6-12*

6 The LORD himself is the portion of my inheritance and of my cup; *
you shall maintain my lot.

7 The boundaries have fallen for me in pleasant places; *
indeed, I have a goodly heritage.

8 I will thank the LORD for giving me counsel; *
my heart also chastens me in the night season.

9 I have set the LORD always before me; *
he is at my right hand; therefore I shall not fall.

10 Therefore my heart is glad and my soul rejoices. *
My flesh also shall rest in hope.

11 For you shall not leave my soul in the grave, *
neither shall you allow your Holy One to see corruption.

12 You shall show me the path of life; in your presence is the fullness of joy, *
and at your right hand there is pleasure for evermore.

(Please stand.)

THE SEQUENCE SONG *A Mighty Fortress*

***Our God is a consuming fire,
A burning holy flame, with glory and freedom.
Our God is the only righteous judge,
Ruling over us with kindness and wisdom.
And we will keep our eyes on You,
We will keep our eyes on You.***

Refrain

***A mighty fortress is our God.
A sacred refuge is Your Name.
Your kingdom is unshakeable,
And with You forever we will reign.***

***Our God is jealous for his own.
None can comprehend his love and his mercy.
Our God is exalted on his throne,
High above the heavens, forever He is worthy.
And we will keep our eyes on You,
We will keep our eyes on You.
So, we can set our hearts on You,
Lord, we will set our hearts on You.*** (Refrain)

THE GOSPEL *Mark 8:31-38*

Deacon: The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Mark.

People: Glory to you, Lord Christ.

And he began to teach them that the Son of Man must suffer many things and be rejected by the elders and the chief priests and the scribes and be killed, and after three days rise again. And he said this plainly. And Peter took him aside and began to rebuke him. But turning and seeing his disciples, he rebuked Peter and said, “Get behind me, Satan! For you are not setting your mind on the things of God, but on the things of man.” And calling the crowd to him with his disciples, he said to them, “If anyone would come after me, let him deny himself and take up his cross and follow me. For whoever would save his life will lose it, but whoever loses his life for my sake and the gospel’s will save it. For what does it profit a man to gain the whole world and forfeit his soul? For what can a man give in return for his soul? For whoever is ashamed of me and of my words in this adulterous and sinful generation, of him will the Son of Man also be ashamed when he comes in the glory of his Father with the holy angels.”

Deacon: The Gospel of the Lord.

People: Praise to you, Lord Christ.

THE SERMON The Rev. Ted Duvall, *Rector*

(*Please stand.*)

THE NICENE CREED

Celebrant: Let us confess our faith in the words of the Nicene Creed:

Celebrant and People

We believe in one God,

the Father, the Almighty,
maker of heaven and earth,
of all that is, visible and invisible.

We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ,

the only-begotten Son of God,
eternally begotten of the Father,
God from God, Light from Light,
true God from true God,
begotten, not made,
of one Being with the Father;
through him all things were made.

For us and for our salvation he came down from heaven,
was incarnate from the Holy Spirit and the Virgin Mary,
and was made man.

For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate;
he suffered death and was buried.

On the third day he rose again in accordance with the Scriptures;
he ascended into heaven

and is seated at the right hand of the Father.

He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead,
and his kingdom will have no end.

We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life,

who proceeds from the Father and the Son,
who with the Father and the Son is worshiped and glorified,
who has spoken through the prophets.

We believe in one holy catholic and apostolic Church.

We acknowledge one Baptism for the forgiveness of sins.

We look for the resurrection of the dead,

and the life of the world to come. Amen.

(Please kneel.)

THE PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

Reader: Let us pray for the Church and for the world, saying, "hear our prayer."

Reader: For the peace of the whole world, and for the well-being and unity of the people of God. Lord, in your mercy:

People: Hear our prayer.

For Foley Beach, our Archbishop, and Mark Lawrence, our Bishop, and for all the clergy and people of our Diocese and Congregation. Lord, in your mercy:

People: Hear our prayer.

For all those who proclaim the Gospel at home and abroad; and for all who teach and disciple others. Lord, in your mercy:

People: Hear our prayer.

For our brothers and sisters in Christ who are persecuted for their faith. Lord, in your mercy:

People: Hear our prayer.

For our nation, for those in authority, and for all in public service (especially Joe, our President; the members of Congress; the Justices of the Supreme Court; and all state and local authorities.) Lord, in your mercy:

People: Hear our prayer.

For all those who are in trouble, sorrow, need, sickness, or any other adversity [especially _____]. Lord, in your mercy:

People: Hear our prayer.

For all those who have departed this life in the certain hope of the resurrection, [especially _____,] in thanksgiving let us pray. Lord, in your mercy:

People: Hear our prayer.

Heavenly Father, we thank you for organizations such as My Sister's House that work passionately to protect women and children from domestic abuse. We thank you for inspiring and leading Christ Church to provide space for 2 dropboxes on campus for collecting donations of clothing and household items to support them in their mission. We ask that you continue to bless them in their work and our role in it.

O mighty and most merciful God, in this time of the coronavirus pandemic and all other perils of our world, we flee to you for strength and protection. Deliver us, we beseech you, from our peril; give skill and success to all those who minister to the sick, by prospering the means made use of for their care and cure; and grant that, perceiving how frail and uncertain our life is, we may apply our hearts to that heavenly wisdom which leads to eternal life; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Celebrant: Heavenly Father, grant these our prayers for the sake of Jesus Christ, our only Mediator and Advocate, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen.**

(Please stand.)

THE PEACE

Celebrant: The Peace of the Lord be always with you.

People: And with your spirit.

(Please be seated.)

ANNOUNCEMENTS

THE OFFERTORY

Celebrant: As we have opportunity, let us do good to everyone, and especially to those who are of the household of faith. *Galatians 6:10*

OFFERTORY SONG *At the Foot of the Cross (Dengler)*

*At the foot of the cross, there is sorrow.
At the foot of the cross, there is love,
Flowing down together in a river of salvation,
Covering all, covering all, covering all the world with grace.*

*At the foot of the cross, there is sadness.
At the foot of the cross, there is hope,
Flowing down together in a river of forgiveness,
Covering all, covering all, covering all the world with grace.*

*Jesus, Man of Sorrows, Jesus, Prince of Peace,
On the cross He suffered for our sins release;
Bearing all our burdens, sharing all our pain,
Covering all, covering all, covering all the world with grace.*

*At the foot of the cross, there is sorrow.
At the foot of the cross, there is love.*

(Please stand.)

DOXOLOGY To Thee, Lord

*To Thee, Lord, we offer these our gifts we bring
To your holy table, homage to our King.
Thank you, Lord, for giving to us blessings through your Son.
Feed us with your life, we pray, in your spirit, come.*

Please remove your Communion wafer from your plastic bag at this time.

THE SURSUM CORDA

Celebrant: The Lord be with you.

People: And with your spirit.

Celebrant: Lift up your hearts.

People: We lift them up to the Lord.

Celebrant: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

People: It is right to give him thanks and praise.

It is right, our duty and our joy, always and everywhere to give thanks to you, Father Almighty, Creator of heaven and earth. You bid your faithful people cleanse their hearts, and prepare with joy for the Paschal feast; that, fervent in prayer and in works of mercy, and renewed by your Word and Sacraments, they may come to the fullness of grace which you have prepared for those who love you. Therefore we praise you, joining our voices with Angels and Archangels and with all the company of heaven, who for ever sing this hymn to proclaim the glory of your Name:

THE SANCTUS *Holy, holy, holy Lord*

*Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of power and might,
Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of power and might,
Heaven and earth are full, full of your glory.
Hosanna in the highest.
Hosanna in the highest.
Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.
Hosanna in the highest.
Hosanna in the highest.*

THE PRAYER OF CONSECRATION

Celebrant: Holy and gracious Father: In your infinite love you made us for yourself; and when we had sinned against you and become subject to evil and death, you, in your mercy, sent your only Son Jesus Christ into the world for our salvation. By the Holy Spirit and the Virgin Mary he became flesh and dwelt among us. In obedience to your will, he stretched out his arms upon the Cross and offered himself once for all, that by his suffering and death we might be saved. By his resurrection he broke the bonds of death, trampling Hell and Satan under his feet. As our great high priest, he ascended to your right hand in glory, that we might come with confidence before the throne of grace.

For on the night that he was betrayed, our Lord Jesus Christ took bread; and when he had given thanks, he broke it, and gave it to his disciples, saying, “Take, eat; this is my Body, which is given for you: Do this in remembrance of me.”

Likewise, after supper, Jesus took the cup, and when he had given thanks, he gave it to them, saying, “Drink this, all of you; for this is my Blood of the New Covenant, which is shed for you, and for many, for the forgiveness of sins: Whenever you drink it, do this in remembrance of me.”

Therefore we proclaim the mystery of faith:

Celebrant and People

Christ has died.

Christ is risen.

Christ will come again.

We celebrate the memorial of our redemption, O Father, in this sacrifice of praise and thanksgiving, and we offer you these gifts.

Sanctify them by your Word and Holy Spirit to be for your people the Body and Blood of your Son Jesus Christ. Sanctify us also, that we may worthily receive this holy Sacrament, and be made one body with him, that he may dwell in us and we in him. In the fullness of time, put all things in subjection under your Christ, and bring us with all your saints into the joy of your heavenly kingdom, where we shall see our Lord face to face.

All this we ask through your Son Jesus Christ: By him, and with him, and in him, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, all honor and glory is yours, Almighty Father, now and for ever. **Amen.**

(Please kneel.)

THE LORD'S PRAYER

Celebrant: And now as our Savior Christ has taught us, we are bold to pray:

Celebrant and People

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,

and the power, and the glory,

for ever and ever. Amen.

THE FRACTION *Lamb of God*

*Lamb of God, You take away the sin of the world,
Have mercy on us, Lamb of God.
Lamb of God, You take away the sin of the world,
Have mercy on us, Lamb of God.
Lamb of God, You take away the sin of the world,
Have mercy on us, grant us peace.*

THE PRAYER OF HUMBLE ACCESS

Celebrant and People

**We do not presume to come to this your table, O merciful Lord,
trusting in our own righteousness,
but in your abundant and great mercies.**

**We are not worthy so much as to gather up
the crumbs under your table;
but you are the same Lord
whose character is always to have mercy.**

**Grant us, therefore, gracious Lord,
so to eat the flesh of your dear Son Jesus Christ,
and to drink his blood,
that our sinful bodies may be made clean by his body,
and our souls washed through his most precious blood,
and that we may evermore dwell in him, and he in us. Amen.**

THE MINISTRATION OF COMMUNION

Celebrant: The gifts of God for the people of God. Take them in remembrance that Christ died for you and feed on him in your hearts by faith, with thanksgiving.

Let us now receive the gifts of God for the people of God, saying together

Celebrant and People

The body of Christ, the bread of heaven.

THE POST COMMUNION PRAYER

Celebrant: Let us pray.

Celebrant and People

Heavenly Father,

**We thank you for feeding us with the spiritual food
of the most precious Body and Blood
of your Son our Savior Jesus Christ;
and for assuring us in these holy mysteries
that we are living members of the body of your Son,
and heirs of your eternal Kingdom.**

**And now, Father, send us out to do the work you have given us to do,
to love and serve you as faithful witnesses of Christ our Lord.**

**To him, to you, and to the Holy Spirit,
be honor and glory, now and for ever. Amen.**

THE BLESSING

Celebrant: The peace of God, which passes all understanding, keep your hearts and minds in the knowledge and love of God, and of his Son Jesus Christ our Lord; and the blessing of God Almighty, the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit, be among you, and remain with you always. **Amen.**

(Please stand.)

THE CLOSING HYMN *Faith of our fathers!*

*Faith of our fathers! living still in spite of dungeon, fire, and sword:
O how our hearts beat high with joy, whene'er we hear that glorious word:*

Refrain

*Faith of our fathers, holy faith!
We will be true to thee till death.*

*Faith of our fathers! Faith and prayer shall win all nations unto thee;
And through the truth that comes from God, mankind shall then indeed be free.* (Refrain)

*Faith of our fathers! We will love both friend and foe in all our strife:
And preach thee, too, as love knows how, by kindly deeds and virtuous life.* (Refrain)

THE DISMISSAL

Deacon: Let us go forth in the Name of Christ.

People: Thanks be to God.

Prayers of the People

We extend our sympathy to the family and friends in the death of Nancy Willms.

Please pray for all men and women serving in the military; and for Bishop Qampicha and the Diocese of Marsabit, Kenya, especially our Tree Church Partners in Game, Elebor, Maikona, Goro Rukesa, and Badasa; and for our Haitian partners in the Church of the Holy Spirit.

Are you or a family member in need of prayer? Please contact the Church Office at 843.884.9090 or email khunter@christch.org to be added to the Prayer List for 60 days.

Jan Aydlette & Family
Rick Brownyard
Margie Boykin
The Cantrell Family
The Coker Family
Dennis DeLorge
Barbara Forni
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The Haviland Family
The Hutto Family
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Roger Lundgren
Tyson Pa
Ullas Perez

Those with job loss or reduction in hours and pay

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Christie Cavett
Liz Hirschmann
Shawn Haviland Huthwaite
Maybre Osborne

Homebound
Frances Cheatham
Pat McCullough
Louise Perry
Becky Tuten
Grace Young

Deployed Military
Brian Boyer
Michael Dean

**2021 EPIPHANY-LENT
BIBLE TEACHING SERIES**

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SCRIPTURE.**

**Wednesday Nights
6:30 - 7:30pm in the Parish Hall**

Join us as we host guest speakers each week of Epiphany & Lent. A weekly email will be sent with the upcoming speaker's topic and bio with the registration. These can also be viewed at ChristCh.org/speakers at any time.

Masks and Social Distancing Required

**March 3, 10
The Rev. Al Zadig**

**March 17
The Rev. Justin Hare**

**March 24
The Very Rev. Dr. John Barr**



Come Discover the Men of Christ Church

MONDAY, MARCH 1 | 6PM | MEN'S SHED

MEET THE MEN OF CHRIST CHURCH AND LEARN ALL ABOUT THE EXCITING UPCOMING OUTREACH EVENTS AND PROGRAMS. GET INVOLVED WITH MAJOR COMMUNITY OUTREACH, SPIRITUAL GUIDANCE, AND FELLOWSHIP MUCH MORE. DINNER WILL BE AN OYSTER ROAST (OYSTERS, FISH STEW, HOT DOGS & CHIPS).

MEN'S PRAYER BREAKFAST PRESENTS

Breakfast with the Rectors *Grits & Galatians*

Breakfast
\$5

Tuesday Mornings • 7-8am • Parish Hall
February 23 - May 18

Register at ChristCh.org/breakfast

Anglican Women's Annual Gathering

FAITH MOVING FORWARD

"Who do you say that I am?"

April 24, 2021

9AM - 3:30PM | Christ Church Anglican

Jesus asked the disciples, "who do the crowds say that I am?" Then he asked, "Who do you say that I am?" He asks the same question of us.

Join the Christ Church Women as we host others from our Diocese for this annual women's event.



Featuring Guest Speaker
Joanne Ellison of
Drawing Near to God

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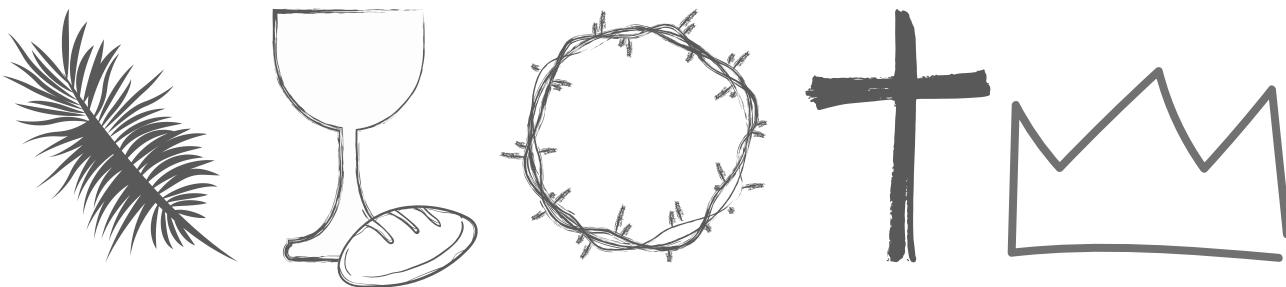


New Member & Adult Confirmation Class

It is our hope that every adult member or prospective member will take the New Member/Confirmation Class. It will be held this spring culminating with Bishop Lawrence's visit on Sunday, May 23. There will be 4 classes (April 18, 25; May 2, 9 from 5-6:30pm in the Coffee Zone led by Father Ted) and a dinner with the Bishop and the youth confirmands (May 22 from 6-8pm). The class is an overview of what we think is important about Jesus Christ, our Anglican tradition, and our local Parish life and ministry. Our members come to us from many different situations—those coming from Anglican churches, from other Protestant denominations, from the Roman Catholic or Orthodox churches, from no church background. This class is for everyone!

Register at ChristCh.org/AdultConfirmation

Questions about if this class is right for you? Contact Belle Croft,
bcroft@christch.org or 843.324.0647



Holy Week 2021

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MARCH 14 • 5-7PM

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Pledged giving budgeted through January	\$77,500
Actual pledged giving through January	\$86,791
Non-pledged giving budgeted through January	\$9,167
Actual non-pledged giving through January	\$6,622
Giving deficit year to date through January	\$6,746



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