

**Order of Worship**  
**Second Sunday in Lent**  
 March 17, 2019 at 10:30 a.m.

<b>Prelude</b>	<i>O God, Thou Faithful God</i>	J.G. Walther
<b>Welcome</b>		
<b>Introit</b>	<i>Will You Come and follow Me?</i>	arr. John L. Bell
<b>*Call to Worship</b>		
<b>*Hymn 652</b>	<i>A Grateful Heart</i>	Rockingham
<b>Call to Confession</b> (Choir)	<i>Sign Us</i>	
<b>Litany for Lent</b> (Responsive)		Psalms 16 (adapted)
<b>Response</b>	<i>Sign Us</i> (verse 6 - choir; refrain - all)	
<b>*Passing of the Peace</b>		
<b>Scripture Lesson</b>	Matthew 20:1-16	NT, p. 21
<b>Anthem</b>	<i>Where Your Treasure Is</i>	Mary McDonald
<b>Sermon</b>	All We Ever Needed to Know: Be Generous	Rev. Christie Ashton
<b>*Hymn 716</b>	<i>God Whose Giving</i>	Beach Spring
<b>*Affirmation of Faith</b> (Unison)		The Apostles' Creed
<b>Prayers of the People and the Lord's Prayer</b>		
<b>Offering</b>	<i>Prelude V</i>	J.S. Bach
<b>*Hymn 712</b>	<i>As Those of Old</i>	Forest Green
<b>*Charge and Benediction</b>		
<b>*Response</b>	<i>Will You Come and Follow Me</i> (verse 5)	Kelvingrove
<b>*Postlude</b>	<i>Andante mosso</i>	A. Hesse

**\*All who are able please stand**

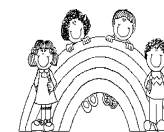
**What's Happening at Hope:**

**Lent Sermon Series:** Lent is a six week time of preparation before Easter characterized by devotion to spiritual disciplines, particularly worship, prayer, and service/giving. During Lent, we learn from Jesus how to live as disciples of Christ so that we can share new life through him (which we celebrate at Easter). Pastor Christie will be preaching on the lessons Jesus teaches through the parables about "All We Ever Needed to Know" to be faithful disciples. We hope you will join us as we learn from Christ and one another in the coming weeks!

**Save the Date! The Hope Lunch Bunch** will meet for lunch on Wednesday, March 27 at the Mellow Mushroom, located in Jones Valley at 2230 Cecil Ashburn Drive SE. Hope Lunch Bunch is a monthly gathering at a local restaurant for fellowship and food with friends. We look forward to seeing you there!

**40 Days of Giving:** One of the core spiritual disciplines of Lent is giving or service. This Lent, we are encouraging everyone in the congregation to participate in "40 Days of Giving" by donating one food item each day for each member of your household to benefit the Huntsville Assistance Program food pantry. Shelf stable food or personal items are requested – canned goods, peanut butter, personal hygiene items (shampoo, diapers, feminine products, etc.), boxed mixes, etc. Please gather your items during the week (Monday – Saturday) in a box or bag and bring them to worship on Sunday to donate each week. If you are unable to attend worship on Sundays, but still wish to participate, please contact the church office so that we can arrange to pick up your items each week.

**Hope Presbyterian Playschool:** This week our Playschool friends celebrated the 100th day of school! They also learned all about Leprechauns and enjoyed following Leprechaun tracks to a treasure under the rainbow. Always a fun time at the Playschool as we learn through play!



**Assisting in Worship Today**

**Worship Leader:** Tom Giles

**Greeters:** Richard & Carol Welch

**Ushers today:** Andy Young, Tom & Anita Giles

**Ushers next Sunday:** Cheryl Hoard, Daniel Ray

**Sound technician:** Andy Young

**Church Calendar At-A-Glance:**

Mar. 18—22		Huntsville City Schools & Playschool Spring Break — Office CLOSED
Mar. 20	6:00 p.m.	Lent Book Study evening group
Mar. 27	11:30 a.m.	Hope Lunch Bunch (@ Mellow Mushroom)

Our prayer family of the week is Tom and Anita Giles. This week, we ask the congregation to remember Tom, Anita, and their family, asking God to strengthen and bless them.

The Elder on Call for March is Richard Welch. He may be contacted at any time for information, in case of emergency, or with any concerns at 256-883-7258.

**2019 Financials:**

Feb. Operating Income:	\$ 7,721	Feb. Operating Expenses:	\$ 8,347
YTD Operating Income:	\$16,633	YTD Operating Expenses:	\$ 15,633

*Prayer Concerns*

**Members:**

Richard Welch  
 Judy Counts  
 Kitsy Stracener  
 Sara Malaspina  
 Janet Onkey  
 Barbara Jones  
 Mary Rudd  
 Sandra Young  
 Bennie Langston  
 Dr. Chris Hauer  
 Shelby Albert  
 Faye Moore

**Family:**

The family of Will Lee  
 (Lewis & Margie Agnew)  
 Marcia Loveman (Peter Loveman)  
 Beth McCormick (Lewis & Margie Agnew)  
 Helen Ray (Daniel Ray)  
 Jane Yantis (Candy Lord)  
 Carolyn Adsit Haygood  
 (Debbie and David Adsit)  
 Gran & Karen Mitchell (Traci Loveman)  
 Jim Sterling (Joanna Sterling-Clutts)  
 Jean Clutts (Joanna Sterling-Clutts)  
 Susan Galyon (Barbara Dennis)  
 Kelley Tucker (Anita Giles)  
 Robert Crawley (Barbara Dennis)

**Friends:**

The family of Scott Williams (Suzette Mikell)  
 Sherry Wallace (Joanna Sterling-Clutts)  
 Melissa Altice (Angie Toles)  
 Mary Neikirk (Angie Toles)  
 The family of Karen Balta (Traci Loveman)  
 Robert Barnett (Susan Bidwell)  
 Andy Reed (Candy Lord)  
 Hope Freeman (Candy Lord)  
 Lola Papagermanos (Judy Counts)  
 Sue Hendrix (Joanna Sterling-Clutts)  
 Katie & David Ainsley (Barbara Dennis)  
 Janice Childress Wilson (Barbara Dennis)  
 Rev. Houston Hodges & Pat Hodges  
 Logan Shaffer (Barbara Dennis)  
 Pat Putman (Cheryl Hoard)

**Those serving in our military**