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WELCOME TO WORSHIP on this 3rd Sunday in Lent. We welcome our visitors and ask you to please sign the guest book. Come again soon! Please take note of changes in the Order of Worship for the Lenten season.

THE CHANCEL FLOWERS have been given by *Tom & Mary Jane Fulton* in loving memory of Tom's father, *Carl Fulton*.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY! *Patricia Ryan, 3/9.*

A MEMORIAL was given by *Carl Zimmer* in memory of *John Zobel*.

CONGRATULATIONS to *Rose Whittier* whose volunteerism in Ambulatory Surgery for over 17 years was recently recognized by the Samaritan Auxiliary.

OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD gift donations for March include hats, gloves and socks. The youth are accepting gifts throughout the year.

MID-WEEK LENTEN SERVICES are every Wednesday at noon followed by a soup and bread luncheon.

A FREE breast cancer awareness luncheon will be held March 25 sponsored by Carthage Area Hospital. A poster with info is posted in the narthex.

CONGREGATION COUNCIL meets next Sunday morning at 9:15.

REMEMBER to turn you clocks *ahead* next Saturday at bedtime.

Saturday 4:00 p.m. ~ Sunday 10:00 a.m.

3/6 & 3/7/2010

Before the Service ~ Speak to God

During the Service ~ Let God Speak to You

After the Service ~ Speak to One Another

* *Indicates please stand, as you are able*

Silent Meditation, Welcome and Announcements

* Confession and Forgiveness Page 94

* Gathering Song ~ "On My Heart Imprint Your Image" 811

* Greeting & Kyrie Page 138

* Lenten Acclamation ~ "Glory to You, O Word of God" 177

Glory to you, O Word of God, Lord Jesus Christ. (Sing twice)

* Prayer of the Day

First Reading ~ Response: The Word of the Lord. **ALL: THANKS BE TO GOD**

Psalm 63 :1-8 ~ *read responsively by full verse (Psalms begin on page 339)*

Second Reading ~ Response: The Word of the Lord. **ALL: THANKS BE TO GOD**

* Lenten Verse Page 142

Return to the Lord, your God, for he is gracious and merciful, slow to anger, and abounding in steadfast love, and abounding in steadfast love.

* The Gospel (Before) **Glory to you, O Lord;** (After) **Praise to you, O Christ**
The Sermon

* Hymn of the Day ~ "For the Fruit of All Creation" 679

* The Nicene Creed (*be aware of minor word changes*) Page 104

The Prayers of the Church

The Giving of Our Tithes and Offerings

* The Great Thanksgiving Page 144

* The Lord's Prayer Page 145

Eat this bread, drink this cup, come to me and never be hungry.

Eat this bread, drink this cup, trust in me and you will not thirst.

Communion

* Post-Communion Cantic: "Thankful Hearts and Voices Raise" 204

Thankful hearts and voices raise; tell ev'ryone what God has done.

Let all who seek the Lord rejoice and bear Christ's holy name.

Send us with your promises and lead your people forth in joy with shouts of thanksgiving. Alleluia. Alleluia

* Prayer

* Closing Hymn ~ "Amazing Grace, How Sweet the Sound" 779

* Benediction, Three-Fold Amen and Sending Song

***Blest be the tie that binds our hearts in Christian love;
The unity of heart and mind is like to that above.***