

During the season of Lent there will be no flowers on the altar. Lent is a time when certain objects are removed from the altar as a way of emphasizing the main themes of the season—repentance and penitence.

Lent is a time of spiritual renewal. It is a time to remember Jesus' sacrifice for us as we "walk" with him in study, prayer and service to others. During Lent, we are called to a time of reflection and self-examination as we consider our spiritual journeys both as individuals and as a church.

Thank You to today's worship participants:

Acolytes:	Julia Cogdell Evan Laughlin
Greeters:	Joe Kinego Sandra Wiggins
Readers:	Marilyn Bursch Bev Kinego
Ushers	Karen Stevenson Rob and Barbara Carter

***Please sign in on the green attendance pads
to let us know you worshiped with us today.
Visitors have a special area on the pad.***

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Church of the Good Shepherd United Methodist



February 10, 2008

The First Sunday in Lent

8:30 and 11:00 AM Worship

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WELCOME

*Welcome to The Church of the Good Shepherd,
a United Methodist congregation.*

May you be shaped by the presence of the Holy Spirit.

Please use the moments before the service begins for prayerful reflection.

Centering on God's Presence

Prelude *Canon in D* Pachelbel
Nearer to Thee Doane & Vail
~ Joyful Noise Ringers ~

Words of Welcome and Announcements

Ministry Moment Connie Whaley

Introit *Since Jesus Came Into my Heart* Lister
~ Chancel Choir ~

*Greeting and Passing of the Peace

*Call to Worship

Leader: "Happy are those whose transgression is forgiven,
whose sin is covered.

People: Happy are those to whom the Lord imputes no iniquity,
and in whose spirit there is no deceit." (Psalm 32:1-2)

*Opening Prayer No. 268 "Lent"

*Hymn No. 269 "Lord, Who Throughout These Forty Days"

*The Apostles' Creed No. 881

The First Lesson (Pew Bible, p. 2, OT) Genesis 2:15-17, 3:1-7

The Pastoral Prayer and The Lord's Prayer (No. 895)

The Children's Story Sue Warrick

Anthem *There is Joy in My Soul* Ferrin

Presentation of Tithes and Offerings

Offertory *Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing* arr. Moglebust
~ Joyful Noise Ringers ~

*The Doxology (No. 95) and Offertory Prayer

*Hymn No. 2112 (FWS) "Jesus Walked This Lonesome Valley"

The Second Lesson (Pew Bible, p. 3, NT) Matthew 4:1-11

The Sermon "The Temptation"

*Hymn No. 368 "My Hope is Built"

*Benediction

*Benediction Response No. 438

*Dear Jesus, in whose life I see all that I would, but fail to be,
Let thy clear light forever shine, to shame and guide this life of mine.*

*Postlude and Fellowship *Morning Song* McChesney
~ Joyful Noise Ringers ~