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Church Conference

TODAY

3PM | SANCTUARY



Church Conference this year is being reimagined and will be focused on worship, prayer, testimony, and celebration. Everyone is invited to join in on this time of fellowship and worship with others from our district.



MARCH 18-22

CONTACT KATHRYN HARRINGTON

IF YOU WOULD LIKE TO HELP.

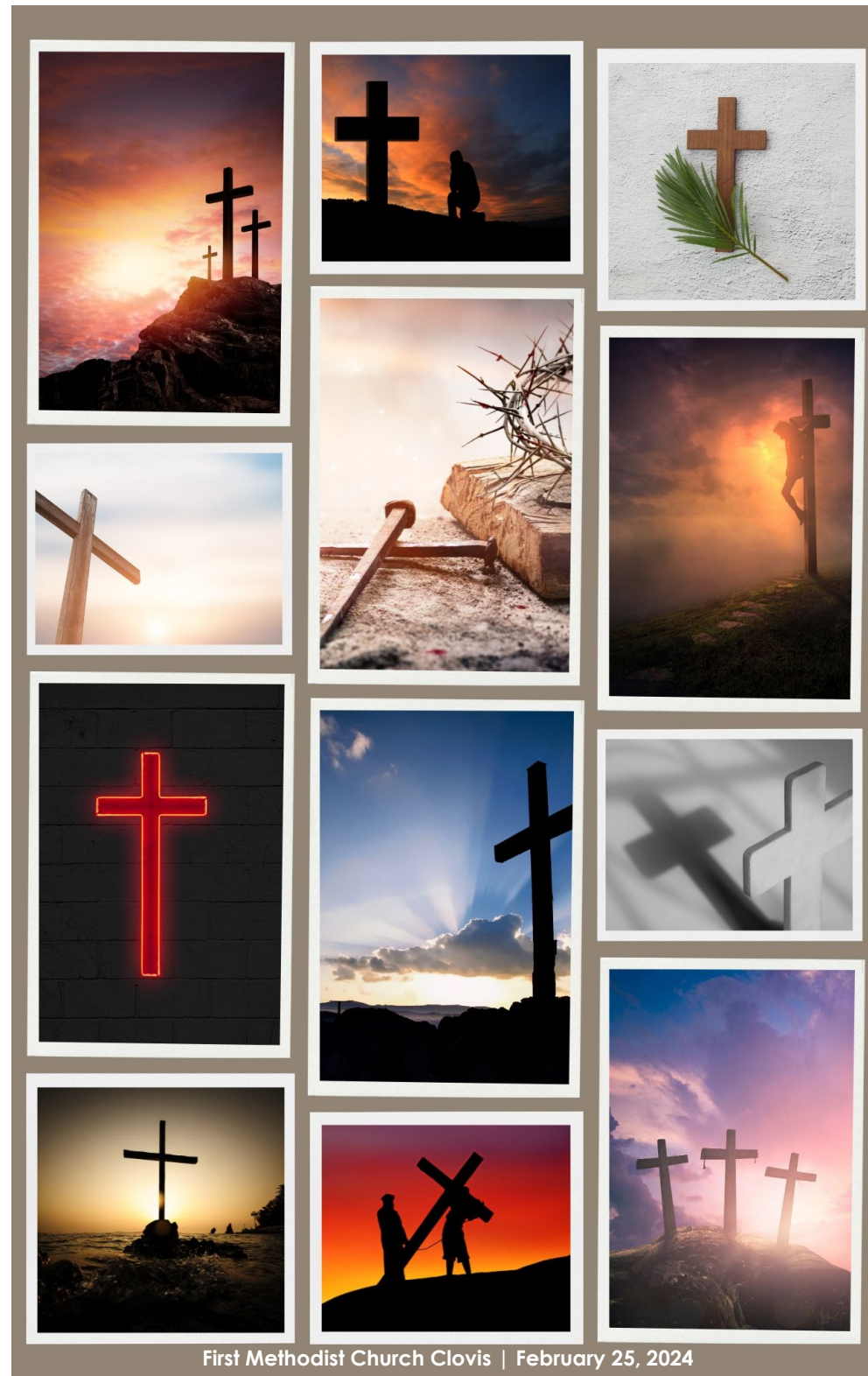
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FIRST METHODIST CHURCH CLOVIS
February 25, 2024 | 2nd Sunday of Lent

VOLUNTARY **My Faith Looks Up to Thee** Alison Brown, piano
arr. by Cindy Berry

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS Rev. Jeb Archey

***CALL TO WORSHIP** Fred Van Soelen

Leader: As the hour of his death drew near, Jesus said "Now is my soul troubled. And what shall I say? 'Father, save me from this hour'? But for this purpose I have come to this hour" (John 12:27). Throughout his earthly ministry, the cross stood before Jesus. It was his purpose in coming to the earth, guided by love and in obedience to his Father's will, Jesus came to lay down his life as the atoning sacrifice for the sins of the world.

People: The cross of Jesus guides us in the way of obedience as we seek to do God's will.

Leader: God tells us in his Word, "Walk in love, as Christ loved us and gave himself up for us, a fragrant offering and sacrifice to God." (Ephesians 5:2)

People: The cross of Jesus guides us in the way of sacrifice.

Leader: On the night before he died, Jesus told his disciples, "A new commandment I give to you, that you love one another; just as I have loved you, you also are to love one another." (John 13:34)

People: The cross of Jesus guides us in the way of love. AMEN.

***HYMN** **Maker In Whom We Live** UMH #88

***AFFIRMATION OF FAITH** Fred Van Soelen

**We believe the God is Spirit,
and they who worship him must worship him in spirit and truth.
We believe that God is Light, and that if we walk in the light,
as he is in the light, we have fellowship with one another.
We believe that God is Love,
and that everyone who loves is born of God and knows God.
We believe that Jesus Christ is the Son of God,
and that God has given us eternal life, and this life is in his Son.
We believe that he is the Resurrection and the Life,
and that whosoever believes in him,
though he were dead, yet shall he live.
We believe that we are children of God,
and that he has given us of his Spirit.**

**We believe that if we confess our sins,
he is faithful and just to forgive us our sins,
and to cleanse us from all unrighteousness.
We believe that the world passes away and the lust thereof,
but he who does the will of God abides forever. Amen.**

***GLORIA PATRI** UMH #70

**Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost;
as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be,
world without end. Amen. Amen.**

CHILDREN'S TIME Lorraine Weingates

MORNING PRAYER & THE LORD'S PRAYER Rev. Jeb Archey

***HYMN** **Change My Heart, O God** TFWs #2152

***SCRIPTURE** **John 19:25-27** Rev. Jeb Archey
The Word of God, for the people of God.
Thanks be to God.

ANTHEM **When I Survey the Wondrous Cross** Chancel Choir
Gilbert Martin

SERMON **Guided to Love** Rev. Jeb Archey

TITHES AND OFFERINGS Rev. Jeb Archey

OFFERTORY Alison Brown, piano
How Deep the Father's Love for Us
arr. by Tornquist

***DOXOLOGY** UMH #95

**Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;
Praise him, all creatures here below;
Praise him above, ye heavenly host;
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen!**

***HYMN** **More Love to Thee, O Christ** UMH #453

***BENEDICTION** Rev. Jeb Archey

POSTLUDE Alison Brown, piano
O God, Our Help in Ages Past
arr. by Cindy Berry

*you are invited to stand as able



**Flowers this Sunday
are given by
Jerry & Melanie Braun
in honor of our choir
and musicians.**

WORSHIP VOLUNTEERS:

Piano: Alison Brown
Liturgist: Fred Van Soelen
Children's Time: Lorraine Weingates
Ushers/Greeters: Team 4
Acolyte: Xavier Van Nostran,
Jace Walker
Sound/Media: MaryNell Urban,
Greg Jennings, Calvin DeWitt,
Mary Howalt

SUNDAY SCHOOL

**10:45—11:30AM
AGES 4 TO ADULT**

NURSERY CARE

The nursery is open Sunday mornings for children birth to preschool. Our nursery is located in the north/education wing.

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