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First Methodist Church Clovis | March 17, 2024

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH CLOVIS March 17, 2024 | 5th Sunday of Lent

VOLUNTARY	Hymns of the Cross	Alison Brown, piano
	arr. by Phillip Keveren	

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

Rev. Jeb Archey

Edwin Ford

***CALL TO WORSHIP**

Leader:	Jesus repeatedly told his disciples what lay and		
	It was the purpose for which he had come. He	said "The Son	
	of Man is about to be delivered into the hands	of men, and	
	they will kill him, and he will be raised on the th	ird day."	
People:	Teach us, Lord, to follow you in faithfulness.	/ -	
	As the time drew near for Jesus to finish his earthly ministry		
Loudon.	and to be taken up to heaven, he turned to Je		
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	the cross. "When the days drew near for him to	be laken up,	
	he set his face to go to Jerusalem."		
People:			
	help us keep our focus on you.		
Leader:	As Jesus began to take his final steps toward th	ne cross,	
	he said, "Now is my soul troubled. And what sh	all I say?	
	'Father, save me from this hour?' But for this pu	•	
	come to this hour. Father, glorify your name."		
People:			
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	salvation. Set your cross before us to guide us t	o persevere in	
	faith.		
*HYMN	Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise	UMH #103	
		01011 #100	
*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH Edwin Ford			
We believe that God is Spirit,			
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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

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.

UMH #70

CHILDREN'S T	Rev. Jeb Archey			
MORNING PRAYER & THE LORD'S PRAYER Rev. Jeb Archey				
*HYMN	Hail, Thou Once Despised J	ESUS UMH #325		
*SCRIPTURE	John 19:16-22 The Word of God,	Rev. Jeb Archey for the people of God. Thanks be to God.		
ANTHEM`	Create in Me a Clean Hea	art Chancel Choir		
SERMON	Guided to Perseverance	Rev. Jeb Archey		
TITHES AND OFFERINGS Rev. Jeb Archey				
OFFERTORY	I Surrender All arr. by Cindy Berry	Alison Brown, piano		
*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	Grace Greater Than Our S	Sin UMH #365		
*BENEDICTIO	Ν	Rev. Jeb Archey		
POSTLUDE	,	Alison Brown, piano u are invited to stand as able		
Interested in becoming a member?				



Flowers are given by Pat Knauer in memory of David and JD Knauer.

WORSHIP VOLUNTEERS:

Piano: Alison Brown Liturgist: Edwin Ford Children's Time: Pastor Jeb Ushers/Greeters: Team 3 Acolyte: Leighton Castillo, Liam Castillo Sound/Media: MaryNell Urban, Greg Jennings, Calvin DeWitt, Melodye Thomas

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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