

Dunbar United Methodist Church

Second Sunday in Lent

March 1, 2026

*Our Mission at Dunbar United Methodist Church is to:
Reach the World for Christ; Preach the Word of God;
Teach the Way of Discipleship. Our vision is to be a Church that is
Christ-centered, Spirit-led, and utterly consumed by the mission of God.*

Bolded print is intended to be read aloud by all
* signifies that all are invited to rise in body, mind, or spirit

PRELUDE Sharon Cline, Organist

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS Pastor Jarrod Caltrider

CHORAL CALL TO WORSHIP "I Have Decided to Follow Jesus"

*CALL TO WORSHIP Lynn Thornton

We have started down a road that will take us to the cross.
It is a journey we take together, and a journey each makes alone.
We are invited to notice things on the way –
**To notice the sharp stones, the uneven ground, the mercy of shade, the
faithfulness of those who walk with us.**
We carry little with us but that which is in our hearts:
Hope, trust, fear, apprehension, wonder, sorrow.
On this walk we rest and sing and pray and listen.
In our worship, we rest and sing and pray and listen.
Let us worship God together as we journey alongside each other.

*OPENING HYMN "My Hope is Built" UMH#368

PSALTER READING Psalm 121

CHILDREN'S SERMON Helen Southall

SHARING OF JOYS AND CONCERNS

PASTORAL PRAYER AND LORD'S PRAYER

**Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come, thy
will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And
forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. And
lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom,
the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.**

SCRIPTURE READING 1 Peter 2:20-24

SERMON "In the Shadow of the Cross...Our Debts are Paid" Pastor Jarrod Caltrider

SPECIAL MUSIC Choir Anthem

HOLY COMMUNION UMH#7

Invitation
Prayer of Confession and Pardon
Passing the Peace of Christ
Song of Preparation "Come to the Table of Grace"

Offering
Offertory
*Doxology "When I Survey the Wondrous Cross"
*Were the whole realm of nature mine,
that were an offering far too small;
love so amazing, so divine,
demands my soul, my life, my all.*

*Taking the Bread and Cup
*The Great Thanksgiving
Receiving the Bread and Cup

*CLOSING HYMN "In Christ Alone" W&S#3105

*BENEDICTION

*POSTLUDE

Worship Notes: "UMH" denotes the navy The United Methodist Hymnal located in each pew.
"TFWS" denotes the black supplemental hymnal "The Faith We Sing"; "W&S" denotes the green supplemental hymnal "Worship & Song"
CCLI License #: C-71179; CCLI Streaming License #: B-20459670; One License #: A-736012; CVLI: 505515971
Call to Worship written by Beth Merrill Neel on her blog, 'Hold Fast to What Is Good'. Adapted. Used with permission.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Dunbar Institute Samaritan Center Food Pantry Focus for March is canned pork and beans. Donations are collected in the narthex at the Ministry Center.

If you'd like to sign up to sponsor altar flowers for 2026, the calendar is posted on the bulletin board by the Administrative Assistant office. Flowers will be **\$30** and can be given in honor or memory if you'd like.

The Dunbar-St Paul Charge will be offering two small group opportunities throughout the season of Lent. We'll be studying together the book "Savior: What the Bible Says about the Cross." We'll have meet on Tuesdays at 11am at St Paul UMC and Wednesdays at 6pm at Dunbar UMC. You're welcome to attend either class. Copies of the books are available for \$10 though not required to participate in the class. Classes will begin on Tuesday, February 24 and Wednesday, February 25.

The Dunbar Ministerial Association will be hosting their Lenten Lunch and Worship services on Wednesdays throughout Lent. Lunch will be served from 11:15am-12:15pm; worship will be from 12:15-12:45pm. Lenten Lunch and Worship Schedule:

Wed. March 4 Dunbar Presbyterian Church, Pastor Megan Cloninger preaching
Wed. March 11 Christ the King Catholic Church, Pastor Jarrod Caltrider preaching
Wed. March 18 Dunbar United Methodist Church, Deacon Dennis Nesser preaching
Wed. March 25 Dunbar First Baptist Church, Pastor Lanny Coberly preaching

March 1, 2026 Archery Orientation for anyone that has not attended any DUMC Archery Orientation in 2025. Registration is from 5pm to 5:30pm and orientation will start at 5:30pm.

Immediately after church on March 1, 2026 there will be a meeting for volunteers that are willing to help with Archery. We need your help to make this endeavor a success. Openings are available for Crowd Control, Registration, Snacks and Older Youth teachers. Please let Cathy Tucker know if you can help but cannot make the meeting.

Altar flowers are in memory of Sue Davis. Given by the Davis family.

Our worship participants next Sunday, March 8, Liturgist: June Sayre; Children's Sermon: Libby Tolley; Ushers: Chuck & Evie Bibbee; Fellowship Time Host: Ben & Amanda Davis.

DUMC FINANCIAL SNAPSHOT

Last Week's Offering Total: \$4,199

Weekly Offering Goal for Budget: \$4,654

Current Apportionment Payout: \$4,078

Annual Apportioned Amount: \$48,896

Payout Percentage: 8%

WEEKLY EVENTS

Tuesdays and Thursdays at 9:30am - Low Impact Exercise Class, Gymnasium

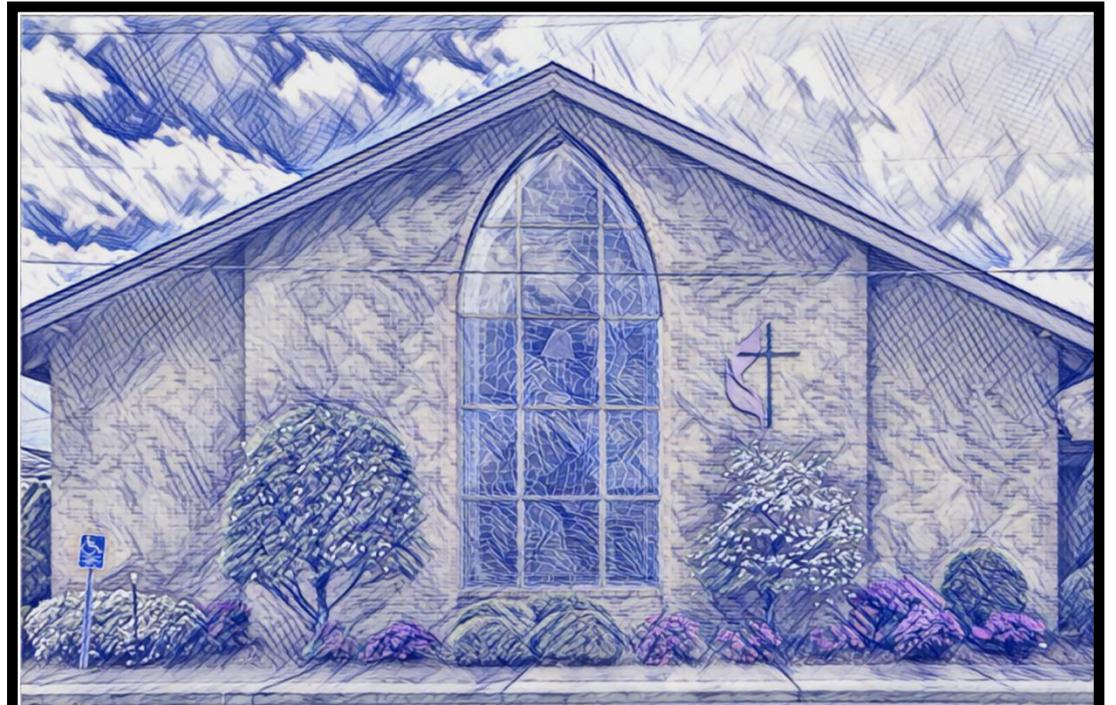
Wednesdays at 7pm - Choir Practice, Sanctuary

MONTHLY EVENTS

Second Saturday, Men's Breakfast, 8:30am, Gym

Third Thursday, Women's Fellowship, 11am, Church

Scan here
to give
online!



Dunbar United Methodist Church

Second Sunday in Lent
March 1, 2026