

Welcome to
Linden-Linthicum United Methodist Church
In this "holy ground" we offer hospitality to all who seek food for
the spirit and a faithful community that seeks to embody and
express God's grace.

3rd Sunday in Lent

PRELUDE
LIGHTING THE CANDLES

WELCOME

*CALL TO WORSHIP: (Psalm 95)

- Leader: O come, let us sing to the Lord; let us make a joyful noise to the rock of our salvation!
- People: Let us come into his presence with thanksgiving; let us make a joyful noise to God with songs of praise!
- Leader: In the Lord's hand are the depths of the earth; the heights of the mountains are also the Lord's.
- People: The sea is God's, for the Lord made it, and the dry land, which the divine hands formed.
- Leader: O come, let us worship and bow down, let us kneel before the Lord, our Maker!
- People: For the Lord is our God, and we are the people of the Lord's pasture, and the sheep of the divine hand.

GREETING ONE ANOTHER

*HYMN: *Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee* #89

OPENING PRAYER:

O God, source of all that makes life possible, giver of all that makes life good: We gather to give you our thanks, yet we confess that we have often failed to live our thankfulness. What we have we take for granted, and we grumble about what we lack. We have squandered your bounty, with little thought of those who will come after us. We are more trouble by the few who have more than by the many who have less. Forgive us, O God. In this hour of worship, accept our thanksgiving; and teach us to make gratitude and sharing our way of life; through the grace of Jesus Christ. Amen.

SCRIPTURE: Exodus 17: 1-7

*GOSPEL: John 4: 5-42

CHILDREN'S SERMON:

Alicia Vanisko

ANTHEM

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE
THE LORD'S PRAYER

*HYMN: *You Who Are Thirsty* #2132

SERMON: "The Living Water"

Rev. Bryant M. Oskvig

ANNOUNCEMENTS

OFFERING OF GIFTS, TITHES & COMMITMENTS:

OFFERTORY

*PRESENTATION: #95

*CLOSING HYMN: *When Our Confidence is Shaken* #505

*BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE



The altar flowers
of the volunteer
the Cold Weather
& Cathy Br

Serving in Today's Ministries

	9:00
Liturgist:	Jennifer Della'Zanna
Greeters:	The Hinde Family
Ushers:	The Johnson Family
Hospitality	Nancy Gregory
Info Person:	Mark Ferguson

Welcome to the Col

They leave us tomorrow and we

Pleas

Betty Beam – is still on oxygen. Continue to
Darlene Bouma – has moved to a rehabilitat
family in your prayers.
Estelle Brown – continued strength.
Jennifer Della'Zanna's nephew – health cor
The family of Susan Garrett – strength and
Debbie Gottwals – her sister, Denise, needs
Sally Grantham – continues with chemo for
* Norma Hershey's friend – JOY – her test r
acknowledged the power of prayer and thank
Hank Maeser – prayers for successful on-go
Jennifer Marrow – is seeking answers to per
Tatianna McFadden – is home from the hosp
keep her and her family in your prayers.
Anthea Nwandu – continued success with h
Susan Roth – strength, comfort and encoura
process.
Mitzie Scruggs – physical health.
* Edgar Schilling – hospitalized with pneumo
Carol Silberhorn – tinnitus and hearing issu
Gina Winfield – Crohn's disease complicates
successful growth of the baby.

* The families affected by the drag racing
* All those affected by the Illinois college
Continued Prayers for our Military serving

(* denotes new prayer requests) A co