

*Hymn: One Bread, One Body 620 (Red Hymnal)

The Apostles Creed page 7 (Red Hymnal)

Holy Communion pages 7-11 (Red Hymnal)

Our Lord's Prayer

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*Blessing

Go now, and live in the spirit of your baptism, even when you are led into wild and hard places.

With repentance and trust, give yourselves to God, and with fasting and prayer, strengthen yourselves against the ways of the tempter.

And may God enfold you in tender and lasting love.

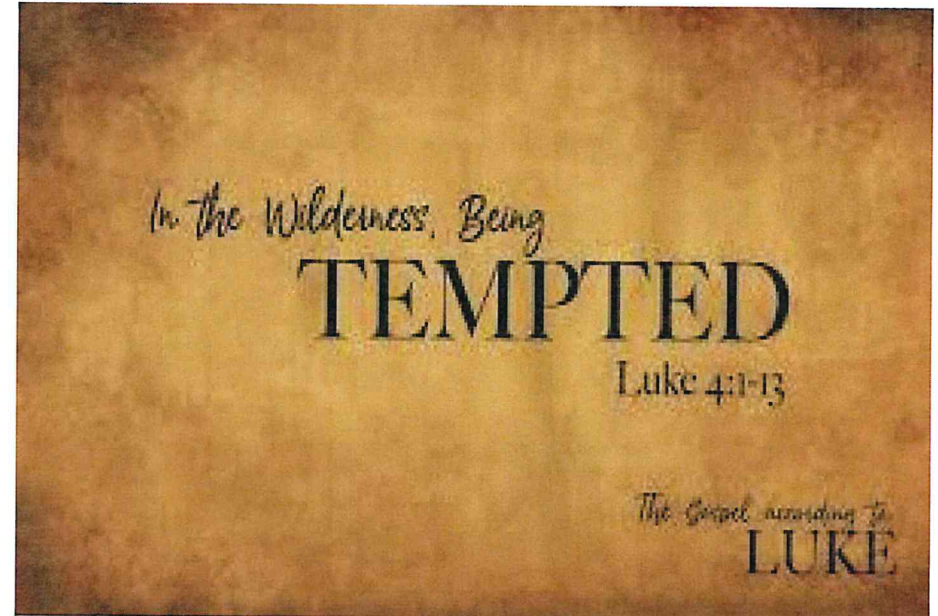
May Christ be beside you in times of struggle.

And may the Spirit guide you back to the path whenever you stray, that you may keep the covenant.

**We go in peace to love and serve the Lord,
In the name of Christ. Amen..**

* Response: Spirit Song 347 (Red Hymnal)

Bring the Love of Jesus Christ to Our World



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Worship: 10:00 am on Sunday; 6:15 pm on Wednesday

Please join us downstairs in The Park directly after worship for refreshments, baked goods and fellowship and/or Our Friendship Class.

03/01/2020

Trinity United Methodist Church
Pastor James "Doug" Conway
Sunday, March 01, 2020 10:00 am
First Sunday in Lent

(* Indicates: Please stand if you are able.)

The Prelude:

The Greeting/Calendar

*The Call to Worship

Jesus began his ministry to the world, led by the Spirit into the wilderness.

As we begin our Lenten journey, let us be led by the Spirit, even into the uncomfortable places.

In those forty days, and in that place, Jesus was faced with hunger, doubt and temptation.

As we seek to follow Jesus, we would be led, even into the uncomfortable choices.

Jesus left the wilderness, faithful and obedient to God, rejoicing in the One in whom he trusted.

As we continue on our path to faithfulness, we will be led by our Christ, rejoicing in the Lord our God.

*Hymn Lord, I Lift Your Name on High 2088 X2 (Black Hymnal)

*The Prayer of the Day

All-knowing and all-caring God, we gather this day drained by another week. We are like a parched desert, empty and in need of replenishment. Visit us with your presence, saturate us with your Spirit, and bathe us in your streams of living water, that our lives might acknowledge and worship you to the praise and honor of Jesus Christ. Amen!

Ministry In Music: Trinity Choir, J. Karen Arnold directing

Old Testament Genesis 2:15-17; 3:1-7 - *Mary Anna Miles*

*Hymn Open Our Eyes 2086 (Black Hymnal)

*Gospel Lesson: Luke 4:1-13 - *Pastor Doug*

The word of God for all people of God
Thanks be to God

Children's Moment - *Wendy Albright*

Children are invited to come to the altar for a special children's message.

Message: "All That Really Matters" - *Pastor Doug*

*Hymn: Amazing Grace How Sweet the Sound 378 (Red Hymnal)

*Affirming Our Mission to our community and the world.

The Holy Spirit gathers us to be the people of God that we might proclaim the riches of God's steadfast love. As God's people in this time and place, let us affirm our mission to...

(Response on The Screen)

The Morning Prayer

The Peace

Our expression of love for God should come with an expression of love for one another. Let us now show our love by exchanging signs of Christ's peace.

The Offertory

*The Doxology 94 (Red Hymnal)

**Praise God from whom all blessings flow;
Praise God, all creatures here below: Alleluia! Alleluia!
Praise God, the source of all our gifts!
Praise Jesus Christ, whose power up-lifts!
Praise the Spirit, Holy Spirit! Alleluia! Alleluia!**

*A Prayer of Thanksgiving

**God of the wilderness, we give these offerings in gratitude, rejoicing in the abundance of your gifts to us.
We give these offerings in faith, trusting that you will provide for our needs.
We give these offerings in hope, knowing you can use them to spread your love in this world.
And with these offerings, we give ourselves;
May we live with generous hearts, with open hands. Amen**