First United Methodist Church 610 E 4th Avenue Miller, SD 57362

Pastor Teresa Whetsel 2nd Sunday in Lent

Collin Otteson, Organist February 21, 2021

Show me, Jesus, how to take up my cross — to give of myself wholeheartedly for others — and follow you.

Welcome & Announcements

*Centering Song: "We All Are One In Mission" TFWS 2243

Call to Worship:

One: Come sons and daughters, mothers and fathers, sisters and brothers and aunts!

Many: Come grandmas and grandpas, uncles and nephews, nieces and neighbors and friends!

One: Christ calls us together as parts of one Body, for worship and service and praise!

Many: Let's worship God together!

Opening Prayer:

O God, our guide and guardian, you have led us apart from the busy world into the quiet of your house. Grant us grace to worship you in Spirit and in truth, to the comfort of our souls and the building up of every good purpose and holy desire. Enable us to do more perfectly the work to which you have called us, that we may not fear the future. So may we worship you not with our lips only during this hour, but in word and deed all the days of our lives; through Jesus Christ our Savior. Amen

Psalm Reading:

Psalm 19 #750

Offering

*Doxology

Offertory Prayer:

Loving and Gracious God, bless us, we pray, with your presence today. Teach the ones who have gathered to learn your ways, inspire those who seek your wisdom, energize those who are exhausted, comfort those who grieve, and strengthen those who are weak. Indeed, O God, fill all of our hearts with your praise and lead us in holiness and righteousness in this hour and in the hours to come. We ask it in Jesus' name. Amen.

Children's Time:

| Hymn: | "The Servant Song" TFWS 2222 |
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| Scripture Reading: | Romans 12:3-8 |
| Message | Bless People |
| Joys/Concerns | |
| Pastoral Prayer | |

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, and the power, and the glory forever. Amen.

*Closing Hymn:

"Pass It On" #572

*Benediction

In these days of "social distancing" we need to be intentional in our care for one another. Remember to pray for each other. Also phone calls and greeting cards can mean so much for those who are shut in.



Prayer List: Ida Moser – LaVerta Palmer (Huron) / Virginia Burgher -Dorothy Fawcett - Violet Moncur - Don & Eleanor Steptoe (MGSC) /Helen Dalton (TX) **Others:** Merle Bertsch - Norma Carr –Steve Danburg Rita & Aaron Ellsworth –Steve Ellsworth - Arlette Heitzman -Terri Henson - Del & Doris Jury – Jim Keeter, Sr. Gene & Ila Norton – Rick Norton – Lloyd Schwartz Doug Testerman

PLEASE contact the church or the Pastor to add or remove names from prayer list or to request a call from Pastor Teresa. Brothers and sisters in Christ, grace and peace be to you as we join in worship. Welcome.



February 28, 2021 First United Methodist Church Miller, South Dakota