



West Grove United Methodist Church

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Fifth Sunday in Lent
April 3, 2022

9:30 a.m. Blended Worship

Prelude

Welcome and Ministry Opportunities

Pastor Tim

*Welcome! We are Open and In-Person! No reservation is needed.
You are welcome to join us on YouTube as well.*

*Call to Worship (Based on the song, Evidence, by Josh Baldwin)

Pastor Tim

Leader: All throughout my history Your faithfulness has walked beside me!
The winter storms made way for spring! In every season, from where I'm
standing,

**People: I see the evidence of Your goodness all over my life! I see the
promises in fulfillment, all over my life!**

Leader: Help me remember when I am weak, fear may come, fear will leave!

**People: You lead my heart to victory! You are my strength and you will
always be!**

Leader: See the cross! The Empty grave! The evidence is endless! All our sin
rolled away!

**People: Because of you Jesus! We see the cross, the empty grave! The
evidence is endless! We see the evidence of Your goodness, all over
our lives! We see the promises in fulfillment all over our lives!**

*Opening Hymn

“Jesus Shall Reign”

UMH No. 157, Vv. 1,2,4,5

Opening Prayer (From the Book of Common Prayer)

Matthew Rinehimer

**Almighty God, Father of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ,
maker of all things, judge of all people:**

**We acknowledge and grieve our many sins and the wickedness,
which we from time to time have most grievously committed,
by thought, word, and deed, against your divine grace and sovereign majesty.
Lord, we do earnestly repent and are heartily sorry for these our misdoings;
the remembrance of them bring extreme grief to our hearts and being.**

Have mercy upon us.

Have mercy upon us most merciful Father.

**For your Son Jesus' sake, forgive us all that is past;
and grant that from now on, ever after,
we may ever serve you in newness of life,
to the honor and glory of Your name;
through Jesus Christ our Lord we pray. Amen.**

*Gospel Lesson	<i>John 12:1-8</i>	Pastor Tim
Meditation	“When Jesus Is Christ To Us”	Pastor Tim
*Song of Response	“More Love, More Power”	PraiseWorks Band
Communion: The Great Thanksgiving for Later in Lent		Page 5, 6
*Affirmation of Faith: Traditional		Matthew Rinehimer Page 4
*The Lord’s Prayer		Matthew Rinehimer
*Hymn of Response	“My Jesus, I Love Thee”	UMH No. 172
Moment for All Ages		Melanie Hartley
Invitation to the Offering		Pastor Jim
Offertory	“A Life Of Sacrifice” Words and Music by Patricia Mock and Faye Lopez, Words inspired by David Livingstone (1813-1873) and Philippians 1:21; 2:5-11; 3:7-11 Arranged by Faye Lopez	Chancel Choir
Dedication of Offering		Pastor Jim
*Closing Song	“Lord, Reign Me In”	PraiseWorks Band
*Benediction		Pastor Tim
Postlude		
Passing of the Peace	<i>(Please honor those who perceive the need to maintain boundaries.)</i>	

Please stand as you are able **Bold Print = Say in unison**

Scripture Lesson: John 12:1-8

Mary Anoints Jesus

Six days before the Passover Jesus came to Bethany, the home of Lazarus, whom he had raised from the dead. There they gave a dinner for him. Martha served, and Lazarus was one of those at the table with him. Mary took a pound of costly perfume made of pure nard, anointed Jesus' feet, and wiped them with her hair. The house was filled with the fragrance of the perfume. But Judas Iscariot, one of his disciples (the one who was about to betray him), said, "Why was this perfume not sold for three hundred denarii and the money given to the poor?" (He said this not because he cared about the poor, but because he was a thief; he kept the common purse and used to steal what was put into it.) Jesus said, "Leave her alone. She bought it so that she might keep it for the day of my burial. You always have the poor with you, but you do not always have me."

Affirmation of Faith: Traditional

**I believe in God, the Father Almighty,
maker of heaven and earth;
And in Jesus Christ his only Son, our Lord;
who was conceived by the Holy Spirit,
born of the Virgin Mary,
suffered under Pontius Pilate,
was crucified, dead, and buried;*
the third day he rose from the dead;
he ascended into heaven,
and sitteth at the right hand of God the Father Almighty;
from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead.
I believe in the Holy Spirit,
the holy catholic** church,
the communion of saints,
the forgiveness of sins,
the resurrection of the body,
and the life everlasting. Amen.**

The Great Thanksgiving for Later in Lent

The Lord be with you.

And also with you.

Lift up your hearts.

We lift them up to the Lord.

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

It is right to give our thanks and praise.

It is right, and a good and joyful thing,

always and everywhere to give thanks to you,

Father God, creator of heaven and earth.

In love you made us for yourself;

And when we had fallen into sin and become subject to evil and death,

Your love remained steadfast.

You bid your faithful people cleanse their hearts

And prepare with joy for the Easter feast,

That, renewed by your Word and Sacraments

And fervent in prayer and works of justice and mercy,

We may come to the fullness of grace

That you have prepared for those who love you.

And so, with your people on earth and all the company of heaven

We praise your name and join their unending hymn:

Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of power and might,

Heaven and earth are full of your glory. Hosanna in the highest.

Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.

Hosanna in the highest.

Holy are you, and blessed is your Son Jesus Christ,

Whom you sent in the fullness of time to redeem the world.

He emptied himself, taking the form of a servant.

Being born in our likeness.

He humbled himself and became obedient unto death,

Even death on a cross.

He took upon himself our sin and death and offered himself,

A perfect sacrifice for the sin of the whole world.
By the baptism and suffering, death, and resurrection
You gave birth to your Church,
Delivered us from slavery to sin and death,
And made with us a new covenant by water and the Spirit.

On the night in which he gave himself for us, he took bread,
Gave thanks to you, broke the bread, gave it to his disciples, and said:
“Take, eat; this is my body which is given for you.
Do this in remembrance of me.”

When the supper was over he took the cup,
Gave thanks to you, gave it to his disciples, and said:
“Drink from this, all of you; this is my blood of the new covenant,
Poured out for you and for many for the forgiveness of sins.
Do this, as often as you drink it, in remembrance of me.”

And so, in remembrance of these your mighty acts in Jesus Christ,
We offer ourselves in praise and thanksgiving

As a holy and living sacrifice, in union with Christ’s offering for us,
As we proclaim the mystery of faith.

Christ has died; Christ is risen; Christ will come again.

Pour out your Holy Spirit on us gathered here,
And on these gifts of bread and wine.
Make them be for us the body and blood of Christ,
That we may be for the world the body of Christ, redeemed by his blood.

By your Spirit make us one with Christ,
One with each other, and one in ministry to all the world,
Until Christ comes in final victory, and we feast at his heavenly banquet.

Through your Son Jesus Christ, with the Holy Spirit in your holy Church,
All honor and glory is yours, almighty God, now and for ever.

Amen.

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At West Grove UMC, we love God by opening our hearts to Jesus, growing our faith and serving our community and world in God's name.

Welcome, one and all! Church Office: 610-869-9334

Our Website: www.westgroveumc.org Email us at info@westgroveumc.org

WELCOME, ONE AND ALL! Faith, hope and love are gifts of God. May you find them here. If you have come as a guest, we hope that you'll leave as a friend and pray you'll be nourished in faith as you hear God's message for you today. We encourage you to join us again. Please honor us by signing the Friendship pad. Our welcome center, located in the lobby, is a place where guests and new attendees can seek information about our church.

SUNDAY MORNING COUNTERS: The church is in need of a few people who would be willing to stay after the worship service and count the offering. There is a system in place and you would count with someone knowledgeable of the system, so that you can learn it. It is not difficult and your help would be greatly appreciated. Many hands make light work, as they say, so please consider joining this ministry.

R.A.P. (Retired Active People). The next luncheon and program will be on **Friday, April 8th** at noon. Bring your brown bag lunch and we will supply the beverages and desserts! For our program in April, Michael Duvall will share his experiences from his African mission trip. We look forward to seeing there and hope you bring a friend too!

EASTER "EGG"STRAVAGANZA, Sunday, April 10th, 2:00 P.M. TO 4:00 P.M.: Our annual tradition is back in full swing this year and the whole community is invited! There will be outdoor games, treats, and, of course, plenty of eggs to be found! All activities are geared for toddlers through elementary school age children. **The event is "rain or shine"!**

Would you like to help in making "Egg"stravagnza a blast?? You can donate:

Plastic easter eggs, Candies that will fit inside plastic eggs, Snack size Pretzel Stick packs, Vanilla Wafers, 2-3 total large boxes of Goldfish, Fruity Lifesavers, Marshmallows
u can volunteer to run a game, be a greeter and/or replenish our egg hunt!

Donated items are needed by Sunday April 3. Please place donated items in the seasonal bin in the church lobby, or contact Melanie Hartley for drop off.

IT'S EASTER FLOWER TIME! We are now accepting orders for Easter flowers in Memory, Honor or in Celebration of a loved one, or just for you and your family.

The last date to order flowers is Palm Sunday, April 10th. Please fill out an order form (in your bulletins and in the lobby) and place it with your check in the offering plate or in Donna Fackler's mailbox. Checks can be made payable to "WGUMC" with memo line noting Easter Flowers. On Easter Sunday, we will include the list of those who purchased flowers in Memory, Honor or Celebration of a loved one. If you have any questions, please contact Donna Fackler in the church office.

HOLY WEEK: Thursday, April 14th, we will observe Maundy Thursday with a communion service at 7:00 p.m. On Sunday, April 17th, we will celebrate a Easter Sunrise Service at 6:00 a.m. in the Prayer Garden (weather permitting) and have a Easter Resurrection Service – Blended Celebration Service at 9:30 a.m. We hope to have you join us!



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	<u>Price each</u>	<u>Quantity</u>	<u>Total</u>
Tulips	\$5.95	_____	\$ _____
Daffodils	\$5.95	_____	\$ _____
Easter Lilies	\$9.50	_____	\$ _____

Please designate below how you wish to offer these flowers, so it can be recognized in the Easter Sunday Bulletin. Contact the church office with questions or concerns .

In Memory of _____

In Honor of _____

In Celebration of _____

Your Name: _____ **Total Amount** _____

POPUF FUNDRAISER! FAMILY TIME IS BETTER WITH TACOS

\$39.99

Feeds 4-6 and includes 12 tortilla shells, choice of up to 2 proteins, rice, beans, cheese, lettuce, pico de Gallo, sour cream, chips, salsa, and a bowl of Moe's Famous Queso!

**TAKE-HOME
TACO KITS**
FOR EACH KIT
PURCHASED,
MOE'S DONATES
\$5



FOR MORE INFORMATION EMAIL MOESPOPUPS@GMAIL.COM

Children's Morning Out Preschool Fundraiser

Attention friends, family, neighbors, and local Queso lovers! We are hosting a Moe's Popup Fundraiser on Thursday, April 28th for West Grove United Methodist Preschool! This means you can take the night off from cooking while supporting a great organization!

These Take-home Family Taco Kits are ready to eat when you get home, making your night easier, plus for every kit sold, \$5 will be donated to West Grove United Methodist Preschool!

The Meal Kits feed 4-6, come with all the fixings to make up to 12 tacos, and are \$39.99(+tax). Choose from chicken, ground beef, ½ chicken and ½ ground beef, or vegetarian. Check out the photo below for all that is included!

This is a fun, convenient, and safe way to have dinner ready to pick up while supporting your favorite organization. Take a much-deserved night off from cooking, order your family a night of tacos, and show your support!

How to Order:

Please place your order by 1:00pm on Wednesday, April 27th.

Fill out this form to submit your order: <https://form.jotform.com/213323076157148>

2. Pick up will be at West Grove UMC Preschool (300 N Guernsey Road, West Grove PA 19390) between 5:30-6:00pm on Thursday, April 28th.

When picking up your order, please stay in your vehicle, tell us your name, we will bring your order right to you, and you'll be on your way! See you on Thursday, April 28th, we're looking forward to it!

THIS WEEK: April 3, 2022 through April 10, 2022

**~~ Hours for the Church Office: Monday through Friday, 9:00 a.m.-3:00 p.m.
The office is open before and after the posted times. Call for an appointment.
(office@westgroveumc.org or 610-869-9334)**

Fifth Sunday in Lent

Sunday:	9:30 a.m. 10:45 a.m.-11:45 a.m. 3:00 p.m.-4:00 p.m. 4:00 p.m.-5:15 p.m.	Blended Worship in the Sanctuary Sunday School for All Ages Middle School Youth Group (#8, 10) High School Youth Group (#8, 10)
Monday:	9:00 a.m.-12:15 p.m. 6:30 p.m.-8:00 p.m. 6:30 p.m.-8:00 p.m.	CMO Classes (9, 11, 13, 14, 16) Lenten Bible Study (Sanc.) Tech Team Meeting (Zoom)
Tuesday:	9:00 a.m.-12:15 p.m. 7:00 p.m.-8:30 p.m.	CMO Classes (9, 11, 13, 14, 16) Trustee Meeting (Zoom)
Wednesday:	9:00 a.m.-12:15 p.m. 6:00 p.m.-7:00 p.m.	CMO Classes (9, 11, 13, 14, 16) GS Troop #427 (#8 &10)
Thursday:	9:00 a.m.-12:15 p.m. 1:00 p.m.-4:00 p.m. 5:00 p.m.-6:00 p.m. 5:00 p.m.-6:00 p.m. 5:45 p.m.-7:30 p.m. 6:45 p.m.-8:00 p.m.	CMO Classes (9, 11, 13, 14, 16) Mighty Writers Food Distribution (Lobby) Food Pantry (Lobby) Might Writers Mentorship Program (#1) Memory Bells Rehearsal (Sanc.) GS Troop #4567 (#8, 10) Choir Rehearsal (Sanc.)
Friday	9:00 a.m.-12:15 p.m. 12:00 p.m.-2:30 p.m. 7:00 p.m.-8:00 p.m.	CMO Classes (9, 11, 13, 14, 16) R.A.P. Lunch and Program GS Troop #41377 (#8, 10)
Saturday:	8:00 a.m.-1:00 pm 10:00 a.m.-11:30 a.m.	All Church Spring Clean-Up Day! Daily Reflections (Sanc.)

PALM SUNDAY

Sunday:	9:30 a.m. 10:45 a.m.-11:45 a.m. 11:00 a.m. 2:00 p.m.-4:00 p.m.	Blended Worship in the Sanctuary Sunday School for All Ages Jenner's Pond Worship (Allison Theatre) "Egg"stravaganza Fun and Games!
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PRAYERS OF THE COMMUNITY

NEED PRAYER?

Prayer Requests: Please do not leave prayer requests on the prayer chain email. It is not monitored. Email Donna Fackler at office@westgroveumc.org or 610-869-9334 or Email Susan Paisley at sbrintonpais1@verizon.net or call 610-268-3305. Your request will be shared with the prayer chain, and if you would like, it will be noted below in the bulletin Prayer List.

Family of Andrew Black
(Kuch)

Joyce Bischoff

Dianne Bunch

(Stuhrke)

Helen Carlin

Dick & Mildred Chambers

Joann Coates

Dee Crawford

Pat Crowl (Shiplet)

Dan and Liz DePaul (Jackson)

Lena Douglas

Linda Eyster (Combs)

Bill Fili, Jr. (Bratton)

Joyce Flowers (Mullen)

Richard Heacock

Alan Herb (Shiplet)

Jennifer Hertzog (Jackson)

TJ Hess (Hruz)

Lynn Jackson

Debbie Kennedy (Coates)

Mrs. Luke (K. Smith)

Ted Lynam (Stuhrke)

Jim May (Mullen)

Lenny Martin (K. Smith)

Maxine Miller (Mullen)

The Minnick Family



Betty Mundell

Tim Mullen

Darlene Murphy

Lola Nadolny (Hruz)

Brian Radcliffe (Hruz)

Michael Raineri

Rick Renzulli (McGinley)

Rich and Joan Saller

RoAnn Bates Schneider

Jessica & Al Schrum

(Carmichael)

Billy Shiplet (Shiplet)

Ian Smedley (Heist)

Sandy Smith (Mundell)

Rick Spencer (Kim Smith)

Flora Spiegel (Strewjewski)

Maureen Stickel (Fackler)

Jeannette Strewjewski

Jeannie Sullivan

Stephen Syska (Mullen)

Carol Sweet

Martin Tiderman (Hughes)

Mary Weidman (Miller)

Steve Williamson (Heist)

Family of Brian Winterberg

(Bischoff)

Linda and Ken Woodward (Mullen)



Anderson S. Camp
Navy, Norfolk, VA (Shaub)

Daniel Engberg—USA (Hruz)

Nathaniel Howard,
USA

Brian Kubo—Washington
(Mullen)

LTC Eric Maxwell,
Fayetteville, NC
(Sara Ann Ramberger)

Chris Weidman—Idaho
(Miller)

Dalton Wolfe—U.S. Marine
Corps

Drew Zumpino—USA
(Beauchamp)

God's Faithfulness ~ Your Stewardship

*It is your tithes, offerings, and
gifts that impact and change
lives for Christ!*

Report from March 27, 2022

General Offering: \$ 6,419

Building Maintenance Fund: \$ 545

Ukraine Special Offering To-Date: \$ 575

Les Family in Ukraine to-Date: \$ 2,545

Attendance: 63 in-person and 58 online
views (As of 3/31/22)

Food Pantry: 9 families on 3/24/2022

SERVANTS IN MINISTRY ON SUNDAY MORNING

Sunday Morning Servants

Live-Stream	Michael Duvall
Digital Audio, Camera	Nate Robinson, Will Stuhrke, Doyle Stuhrke, Maggie Stuhrke and Reed Smith
Audio/Visual/Live-Stream Tech	Mike Wiwel
Officiating:	Rev. Tim Anderman Rev. S. James Mundell
Music Director:	Betsy Smith
Moment for All Ages:	Melanie Hartley

	Today:	Next Week:
Nursery Aide:	Amy Castaldi	Open
SS Roamer:	Fran Miller	Cindy Haley
Counters:	Dick & Caryl Stuhrke	Heather McCummings
Lay Readers:	Matthew Rinehimer	Judy Gambill
Usher	Kim O'Neill	Nancy Duvall
Greeter	Fred Sullivan	Fran Miller
SS Roamers:	Please contact Fran Miller for information on being a Sunday School Roamer.	

***Thank you to all of our Sunday Morning Servants.
Please prayerfully consider serving on Sunday mornings.
Share your interest with the office and you will be connected with the
correct person to give you information and to sign-up.***