

All *prayer requests are welcome. Please write them in the book on the desk in the narthex.*

MEMBERS: Please sign the pew pad and pass it down the pew and then back to the start. The last person should put the sheet in the offering plate. All e-mail addresses will be protected in blind copy so no one else sees your e-mail address. If you are receiving regular e-mails from Church, it is not necessary to write it in again.

VISITORS: Please fill out a yellow card found in the pew and place it in the offering plate.

North Star District Prayer List for this week includes Hoyt Lakes—Jerry Kosanovich

FIRST MILE MISSION

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First Mile Mission Giving begins in all UM Churches with Apportionments: ‘A Portion Meant’ for mission. Grace’s 1st Mile Mission Giving Goal is \$19,860.00 or \$106.25 each member based on a membership of 187. Generous givers are already **Paving The Way** to meeting that goal, with \$1,504.02 given to date.

HOLY WEEK SCHEDULE

March 21-27th

Holy Thursday Communion7:00 pm
Good Friday Remembrance.....7:00 pm
Easter Sunrise Service8:30 am
Breakfast.....9:30 am
Easter Worship Service.....10:00 am

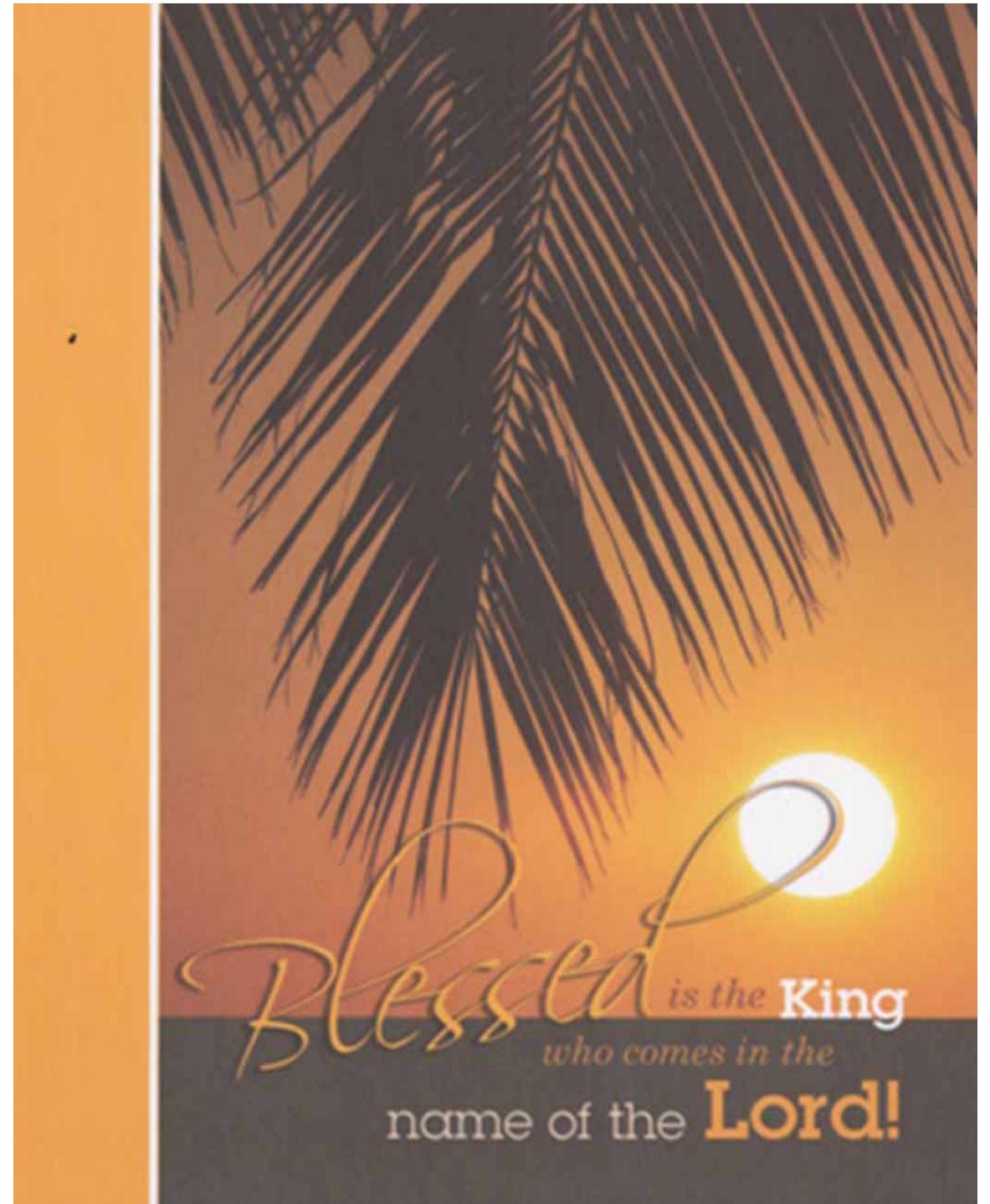
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GRACE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
ORDER OF WORSHIP

March 20, 2016

Palm Sunday

10:00 AM

The Church of the Neighborhood
Making Disciples of Christ to Transform the World.

WE GATHER TO PRAISE AND PRAY

GATHERING PRELUDE:

Three Chimes calls us to our gathering announcements and Worship
Announcements

*Indicates those able may stand

PRAYER PRELUDE:

HAND BELL CHOIR: “St. Anthony Chorale” by Franz Joseph Hayden
Arr. Kevin McChesney

***CALL TO WORSHIP:** #277 (Blue Hymnal) “Tell Me the Stories of Jesus”

CHILDREN’S MOMENTS:

SCRIPTURE LESSON: Luke 19:28-40 (CEB)

TO HEAR GOD’S WORD

HYMN: #2080 (Black Hymnal) “All I Need is You”

SCRIPTURE LESSON: Philippians 2:5-11 (CEB)

CHOIR: “O Sing Hosanna” by Dave & Jean Perry

GOSPEL LESSON: Luke 22:39-46 (CEB)

MESSAGE: “Tears and Blood, Compassion and Hope”

SPECIAL MUSIC: “O the Blood” (Selah) Lisa Ellingson & Lee Horner

TO RESPOND AND GIVE

SHARING OF JOYS, CONCERNS, AND PRAYERS: -

(Please wait for the microphone and speak clearly, keeping it about an inch or two from your mouth.- Thank you)

THE LORD’S PRAYER: #895 (Blue Hymnal)

OFFERTORY:

***DOXOLOGY:** #95 (Blue Hymnal) “Praise God”

SCRIPTURE LESSON: Luke 23: 32-39 (CEB)

HYMN: #301 (Blue Hymnal) “Jesus Keep Me Near the Cross”

TO BE SENT FORTH

***BLESSING:**

“If any wish to become my followers, let them deny themselves and take up their crosses and follow me.

For those who want to save their life will lose it, and those who lose their life for my sake, and the sake of the gospel, will save it,” (Mark 8:34b-35)

May the Lord grant us all the strength to follow Jesus-living and loving as he taught.

Amen.

POSTLUDE:

WELCOME

We are grateful for all who have come to worship our Creator today. Let us come together with joy and love in our hearts. Bless you, friends, and be assured that you are indeed welcome.

PRAYER FOCUS

On Palms to Passion Sunday please remember those whose life circumstances have taken a sudden turn for the worse—a new struggle, challenge or trial that involves loss.

PRAYER CHAIN



To start a prayer chain for any prayer concerns, please call
Paula Horner, 218-790-2141

WORSHIP LEADERS

Ministers: All the People

Pastor: Roger Grafenstein

Guest Organist: Lee Horner

Pianist: Sharon Fangsrud

Choir Director: Kyle Schwartz

Reader: Esther Vollbrecht

Ushers: Jennifer and Leonard Beck and Kaitlinn, Breanna and Brayden