

*Wherefore, as by one man sin entered into the world, and death by sin; and so death passed upon all men, for that all have sinned: (For until the law sin was in the world: but sin is not imputed when there is no law. Nevertheless death reigned from Adam to Moses, even over them that had not sinned after the similitude of Adam's transgression, who is the figure of him that was to come.*

*But not as the offence, so also is the free gift. For if through the offence of one many be dead, much more the grace of God, and the gift by grace, which is by one man, Jesus Christ, hath abounded unto many. And not as it was by one that sinned, so is the gift: for the judgment was by one to condemnation, but the free gift is of many offences unto justification. For if by one man's offence death reigned by one; much more they which receive abundance of grace and of the gift of righteousness shall reign in life by one, Jesus Christ.)*

*Therefore as by the offence of one judgment came upon all men to condemnation; even so by the righteousness of one the free gift came upon all men unto justification of life. For as by one man's disobedience many were made sinners, so by the obedience of one shall many be made righteous.*                      Romans 5:12-19

As we come together this morning, we praise God for his righteous Son, who perfectly kept all of God's commandments and paid the full price for our disobedience. Let us praise Him with hearts filled with Christ's spirit of obedience. Welcome to all!

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

- The second offering this morning is the Annual Ministerial Benevolence fund offering.
- Easter choir practice this evening after church.
- February 12-14 - New York State IH Convention in Schenectady. Due to this event, we will not be having service here Wednesday night.
- February 15 - Conference-Wide Day of Prayer & Fasting

Botanists say that trees need the powerful March winds to flex their trunks and main branches, so that the sap is drawn up to nourish the budding leaves. Perhaps we need the gales of life in the same way, though we dislike enduring them. A blustery period in our fortunes is often the prelude to a new spring of life and health, success and happiness, when we keep steadfast in faith and look to the good in spite of appearances.

-Jane Truax

*SERVICES — SUNDAY: Sunday School 10:00 AM, Morning Worship 11:00 AM, Evening 7:00 PM  
— WEDNESDAY: Midweek Service 7:00 PM — FRIDAY: Women's Meeting 10:00 AM*

## PRAYER REQUESTS

- Our sister church to pray for this week is **Northville**. The pastor is Bradley Dendler.
- Pray for the Myers family in their time of loss; Henry & Judy; S & D and 4-year-old daughter (conflict resolution and spiritual needs).
- Physical Needs:
  - **Betty** (stomach cancer & diabetes), **an urgent need, Howard Mickle, Don** (liver failure) & his wife Joan, **Bill Ford, Roxanne, Marie Rooney, Jonathan Bubb, Sr., Stanley Cook, Mrs. Griesemer, Mark Vosburgh, Kathy Moltzen.**
  - From the Early Woodlands church, recent prayer requests are for **Helen McCarthy** and **Gladys Mulbury**.
- Continue to pray for:
  - The village of **Middleburgh**, that we will reach people with hungry hearts and have fruitful results in our ministry.
  - Our young people in college, including **Lyndsay France, Seth & Isaac Owens**, and **Keith Posson**. Pray for our students as they study, and also that they can be strong in their faith in the life lessons that come their way.
  - Our service personnel, especially **Ryan Mills** and **Jacob Eggleston** (in Iraq), **Anthony & Joyce Willey** (Italy), **Wesley Lum** (Germany), and **Eric Wells**.
  - *Our missionaries, especially **Bev Fay, the Wellses, the Shermans, and the Hunters.***
  - Our country, and our President and government leaders, that they may make Godly choices.
- Please let us know of anyone who is ill, facing a time of hospitalization, or would like a home visit.

You will have your hands full and your heart filled as you strive to live out Love's Alphabet:

LOVE: Accepts ... Behaves ... Cheers ... Defends ...

Enriches ... Forgives ... Grows ... Helps!

LOVE: Includes ... Joins ... Kneels ... Listens ...

Motivates ... Notices ... Overlooks ... Provides!

LOVE: Quiets ... Respects ... Surprises ... Tries ...

Understands ... Volunteers ... Warms ...

Expects ... Yields!

Moreover, love in action is the code that adds Zip to your life!

— Redeemer Church of Joy, Odessa, TX



Forty days and forty nights  
Thou wast fasting in the wild;  
Forty days and forty nights  
Tempted, and yet undefiled.

Sunbeams scorching all the day;  
Chilly dewdrops nightly shed;  
Howling beasts about Thy way;  
Stones Thy pillow, earth Thy bed.

Shall not we our testings bear,  
And from earthly ways abstain,  
Fasting with unceasing prayer,  
Glad with Thee to suffer pain?

And if Satan, vexing sore,  
Flesh or spirit should assail,  
Thou, his vanquisher before,  
Grant we may not faint nor fail.

Keep, O keep us, Savior dear,  
Ever constant by Thy side;  
That with Thee we may appear  
At th' eternal Eastertide.

George Hunt Smyttan

*Suggested Daily Scripture Reading*

	<i>Sunday</i>	<i>Monday</i>	<i>Tuesday</i>	<i>Wednesday</i>
OT	Exodus 30:11-31:18	Exodus 32:1-33:23	Exodus 34:1-35:9	Exodus 35:10-36:38
NT	Matthew 26:47-68	Matthew 26:69-27:14	Matthew 27:15-31	Matthew 27:32-66
PSA	Psalms 32:1-11	Psalms 33:1-11	Psalms 33:12-22	Psalms 34:1-10
PROV	Proverbs 10	Proverbs 11	Proverbs 12	Proverbs 13
	<i>Thursday</i>	<i>Friday</i>	<i>Saturday</i>	
	Exodus 37:1-38:31	Exodus 39:1-40:38	Leviticus 1:1-3:17	
	Matthew 28:1-20	Mark 1:1-28	Mark 1:29-2:12	
	Psalms 34:11-22	Psalms 35:1-16	Psalms 35:17-28	
	Proverbs 14	Proverbs 15	Proverbs 16	