

**CENTRAL PRESBYTERIAN
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March 22, 2018

This Sunday:

9:30 am - Sunday School - Mark 11:1-11, Mark 15:1-39

10:45 am - Worship

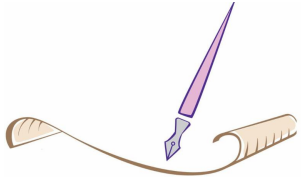
Rev. Stephen Rehrig, preaching

Text: Luke 19:36-41

Sermon: Tear-Filled Hosannas

"and when he drew near and saw the city, he wept over it"

[Click here for this Sunday's reading](#)



Pastoral Potpourri

The date was April 8, 1974. The world watched as Hank Aaron hit his 715th home run thus breaking Babe Ruth's record. What was he experiencing at that moment? This is what he later said: "I don't remember the noise, or the two kids that ran on the field. My teammates at home plate, I remember seeing them. I remember my mother out there and she hugging me. That's what I'll remember more than anything about that home run when I think back on it. I don't know where she came from, but she was there..."

The season of Lent carries a similar message. Through all the defeats and triumphs of life, a powerful love is always reaching out to us. It doesn't sit at home in heaven, waiting to see how well we play the game. Jesus Christ made it clear that God is always right here with us - cheering us, loving us, and hugging us. I'll see you in Church, Stephen



Holy Week

Sunday, March 25 - Palm Sunday

Thursday, March 29 - Maundy Thursday Tenebrae Service, 7 pm

Friday, March 30 - Good Friday Service, noon

Sunday, April 1 - Easter

butterfly release in the Glory Garden following the service

One Great Hour of Sharing

One Great Hour of Sharing is an ecumenical ministry whose mission is to make the love of Christ real for individuals and communities around the world who suffer from disaster, conflict, and economic hardship. Currently they sponsor water projects in 20 countries, hunger relief worldwide, long term disaster relief, and empower people to help themselves through teaching how to provide for their families.



On Easter Sunday, Central will be collecting for One Great Hour of Sharing during morning worship. Please be prepared to give generously to this fantastic ministry.



March 25 - Christian Education Committee meeting, following worship

March 27 - Presbyterian Women, 1 pm

April 4 - First Wednesday cookout, 5-7:15 pm

April 10 - Second Tuesday Supper Club, 6 pm

April 12 - MCC Choirs Spring Concert, 7:30 pm, CPC Sanctuary



MCC Choirs Spring Concert

Thursday, April 12 at 7:30 pm in CPC Sanctuary
Free & open to the public - bring a friend!

Prayer Concerns

Family & friends of Paul Fugate
Jackie Rodgers, David's mother, may finish rehab next week.
Family & friends of Yvonne Pugh



Celebrating Birthdays

Heather Franks - March 22
Stephanie Scott - March 26
Vicky Wolfe - April 1
Willow Williams - April 2
Matthew Bierwirth - April 11
Ken Smotherman - April 24



**(We are missing many birthdays in our database; please let us know yours!
We need the year to enter the date in the database, but will never print it!)**

March Scripture readings are available in the Narthex or click [here](#) to view.

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