

Unity Presbyterian Church

Sunday, March 22, 2026

5th Sunday in Lent/Outstanding Older Adult Sunday

Lighting of the Candles (quiet please)

Gathering of God's People

Choral Call to Worship

Welcome

Call to Worship

L. "Come, let us worship the Lord, who has carried us from our youth to our older years."

P. "God has been our strength and our song."

L. "Come, all who have walked long roads, faced many storms, and tasted God's goodness along the way."

P. "We come with grateful hearts, for the Lord has kept us."

L. "God says in Isaiah 46:4, 'Even to your old age and gray hairs I am He... I will sustain you.'"

All. "Today we worship the God who has never failed us and never will."

L. "Let everything within us bless the Lord!"

All. "We come to worship with joy, thanksgiving, and praise. Amen."

+Morning Prayer

+Hymn of Praise

"Great Is Thy Faithfulness"

+Call to Confession

+Prayer of Confession

"Merciful God, You have walked with us through every season of life, and yet we confess that we have not always walked closely with You. We confess our doubts, our worries, our impatience, and the times when we have depended on our own strength instead of leaning on Yours. Forgive us for moments when we failed to love fully, to trust deeply, or to obey faithfully. Renew our hearts, refresh our spirits, and remind us that Your grace is greater than all our faults. In Jesus' name we pray. Amen."(Silence) Amen.

+Assurance of Pardon

+Passing the Peace

Our Life Together

(Announcements)

Children's Time

Anthem:

Choir

Service of the Word

Prayer for Illumination

Scripture:

Proverbs 31: 25-26

Sermon:

"Outstanding Older Adult Presentation"

Responding in Faith

+Hymn of Adoration

"Fairest Lord Jesus"

+Affirmation of Faith

+The Apostles Creed

Gloria Patri

Prayers of the People and the Lord's Prayer

Giving of our Tithes and Offerings

+The Doxology

+Prayer of Dedication

Sending Out into the World

+ Hymn of Commitment

"The Unclouded Day"

+ Charge and Benediction

+Choral Benediction

Postlude

+ Please stand as you are able

++Today we are Live Streaming

We are happy you are worshipping with us this morning. If you would like to know more about us, please ask. We love to share the Unity story. Clip boards in Vestibule.

Please sign the visitor book in the vestibule so we can have a record of your visit.

Calendar of Events

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