Announcements

Sun. Mar. 6 th	Deacons Meeting Sunday School Worship Service "The Cleansing of Christ" John 13:1-31 Choir Practice	8:00 a.m. 9:15 a.m. 10:30 a.m. 2:00 p.m.
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Tue. Mar. 8 th	Leadership Meeting	4:00 p.m.
Wed. Mar. 9 th	Association of Congregations At Wheat Swamp Christian Church	12:00 p.m.
	Wednesday Bible Study	3:00 p.m.
Thur. Mar.10 th	Disciple's Prayer Life Study	10:00 a.m.
Sat. Mar. 12 th	Reminder of Daylight Savings Time to move forward for Sunday March 13th	



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The Worship of God – March 6, 2022 FIRST SUNDAY IN LENT

COMMUNION WITH GOD

Meditation and Si	lent Prayer
Prelude	Michael Cowan and Melony Rasbury-Cobb Hymns of the Faith
Welcome, Annous	ncements, and ConcernsDr. H. Powell Dew, Jr.
	PRAISE AND ADORATION
Call to Worship	
1.	In His time, in His time He makes all things beautiful In His time Lord, please show me everyday As You're teaching me Your way That You do just what You say In Your time
2.	In Your time, in Your time You make all things beautiful In Your time Lord my life to You I bring May each song I have to sing Be to You a lovely thing In Your time
Prayer of Adoration	on and InvocationDot Bennett

Worthy of worship, worthy of praise,
 Worthy of honour and glory;
 Worthy of all the glad songs we can sing,
 Worthy of all the offerings we bring.

Refrain:

You are worthy, Father, Creator. You are worthy, Saviour, Sustainer. You are worthy, worthy and wonderful; Worthy of worship and praise.

- Worthy of rev'rence, worthy of fear, Worthy of love and devotion; Worthy of bowing and bending of knees, Worthy of all this and added to these. Refrain
- 3. Almighty Father, Master and Lord, King of all kings and Redeemer, Wonderful Counselor, Comforter, Friend, Saviour and Source of our life without end. *Refrain*

Children's Lesson.....Building a Model Life



Theme: Following the example of Jesus.

Object: A model car or airplane

Scripture: I have set you an example that you should do as I have done for you. John 13: 15 Follow my example, as I follow the example of Christ. 1Corinthians 11:1

God has done exactly the same thing for us to help us to build our life into what He wants us to be. First of all, He gave us a picture. He sent His Son, Jesus, to show us how to live. Then He gave us the Bible as a set of instructions on how to put all of the pieces together. Then he gave

us prayer. Prayer is the glue that holds it all together. That is what we need to build our life to be a model of Jesus. Then we can say with Paul, "Follow my example, as I follow the example of Christ."

Dear God, we thank you for sending your Son to be our example of how you want us to live. We thank You for the Bible that gives us instructions on how to put all the pieces of our life together. And finally, we thank you for prayer, the glue that holds it all together. Amen.

WORSHIP THROUGH WORD AND PRAYER

Scripture Reading	John 13:1-31		
Prayer of Intercession	Dr. Dew		
(Please review our prayer list and pray for those listed.)			
Hymn of the Cross, Suffering and Death The Old Rugged Cross by George Bernard	Hymn 141		

On a hill far away stood an old rugged cross,
 The emblem of suff'ring and shame;
 And I love that old cross where the dearest and best
 For a world of lost sinners was slain.

Refrain:

So, I'll cherish the old rugged cross, Till my trophies at last I lay down; I will cling to the old rugged cross, And exchange it some day for a crown.

- 2. Oh, that old rugged cross, so despised by the world, Has a wondrous attraction for me; For the dear Lamb of God left His glory above, To bear it to dark Calvary. *Refrain*
- 3. In the old rugged cross, stained with blood so divine, Such a wonderful beauty I see;
 For 'twas on that old cross Jesus suffered and died,
 To pardon and sanctify me.
 Refrain

4. To the old rugged cross, I will ever be true, Its shame and reproach gladly bear; Then He'll call me some day to my home far away, Where His glory forever I'll share. *Refrain*

WORSHIP THROUGH MUSIC AND GIVING



An offering plate is placed in the vestibule for your tithes and offerings. You may also use the enclosed envelope in your weekly packet to mail your tithes and offerings to the church.

WORSHIP THROUGH PROCLAMATION



"The Cleansing of Christ"

John 13:1-31

Dr. H. Powell Dew, Jr.

WORSHIP THROUGH THE LORD'S SUPPER

Invitation to the Lord's Table

The Words of Institution

Prayer at the Table

Distribution of Bread and Cup

Words of Hope and Comfort

WORSHIP THROUGH RESPONSE

Hymn of Testimony	Hymn 550
I'd Rather Have Jesus by George Beverly Shea	•

I'd rather have Jesus than silver or gold;
 I'd rather be His than have riches untold;
 I'd rather have Jesus than houses or lands.
 I'd rather be led by His nail-pierced hand

Refrain:

Than to be the king of a vast domain Or be held in sin's dread sway; I'd rather have Jesus than anything This world affords today.

- 2. I'd rather have Jesus than men's applause; I'd rather be faithful to His dear cause; I'd rather have Jesus than world-wide fame. I'd rather be true to His holy name *Refrain*
- 3. He's fairer than lilies of rarest bloom;
 He's sweeter than honey from out the comb;
 He's all that my hungering spirit needs.
 I'd rather have Jesus and let Him lead
 Refrain

PostludeMichael Cowan and Melony Rasbury-Cobb
A Parting Hymn



Come to the Table by Michael Card

Come to the table and savor the sight
The wine and the bread that was broken
And all have been welcomed to come if they might
Accept as their own these two tokens

The bread is His body, the wine is the blood
And the one who provides them is true
He freely offers, we freely receive
To accept and believe Him is all we must do

REFRAIN: Come to the table and taste of the glory
And savor the sorrow, He's dying tomorrow
The hand that is breaking the bread
Soon will be broken

And here at the table, sit those who have loved you
One is a traitor and one will deny
But He's lived his life for them all
And for all be crucified

Come to the table He's prepared for you The bread of forgiveness, the wine of release Come to the table and sit down beside Him The Savior wants you to join in the feast

Come to the table and see in His eyes
The love that the Father has spoken
And know you are welcome, whatever your crime
For every commandment you've broken

For He's come to love you and not to condemn And He offers a pardon of peace If you'll come to the table, you'll feel in your heart The greatest forgiveness, the greatest release

Refrain