

GATHERING

Prelude: Choir – *Kyrie Eleison* – Sonja Poorman

Welcome & Land Acknowledgement: Jennifer Stockdale

Opening Hymn: *Jesus Christ is Calling* (see insert)

FAITH THROUGH A YOUTHFUL EYE

Sung Refrain: *Lord, Listen To Your Children Praying* CH #305

Children's Moment: Deb Murphy

Sharing the Peace of Christ: Rev. Dan Adolphson

THE WORD OF LIGHT

Dramatic Presentation of Scripture: *Mark 11:12-25* – FCC Players

Sermon: Rev. Ben Masters

Anthem: Choir – *Parable* – Andy Beck

OFFERING OUR PRAYERS AND OUR GIFTS

Joys and Concerns: Rev. Dan Adolphson

Sung Refrain: *God, Have Mercy*, CH #299

Pastoral Prayer

Offering Reflection: Rev. Jay Hillestad

Music for Reflection: *Amazing Grace*

Offering Prayer: Rev. Jay Hillestad

THE TABLE OF INVITATION

Invitation to the Table: Arlene Jorgesen Hillestad

Communion Hymn: *Hope of the World*, CH #538

Communion Prayer & Words of Institution: Arlene Jorgesen Hillestad

Partaking of Holy Communion

All are truly welcome to partake.

Music for Meditation: Doran Schoeppach

GOING FORTH WITH OPENNESS

Sending Hymn: *No, Not One*, CH #544

Closing Words: Rev. Dan Adolphson

Benediction: Rev. Ben Masters

Postlude: Doran Schoeppach

Thank you to all who helped with this Sunday's service.

Worship Leader: Jennifer Stockdale

Preacher: Rev. Ben Masters

Deacons: Valerie Dunham, Shannon Grady (on-site)

Elders: Rev. Jay Hillestad, Arlene Jorgensen Hillestad

Technicians: Mike Cackoski, Mark Carlson

Music Director: Dr. Caroline Povolny

Section Leaders: Deanna Davis, Jonathan Sill, Tyler Frankhouse

Pianist: Doran Schoeppach

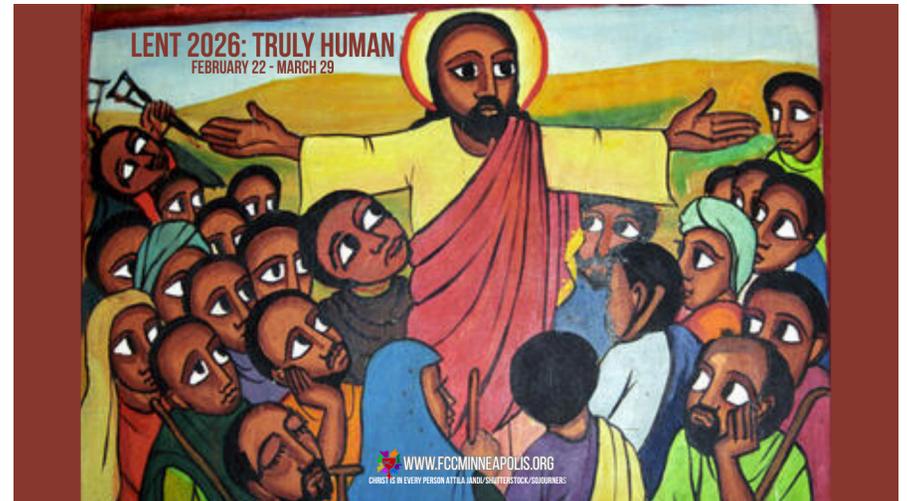
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Associate Minister: Rev. Dan Adolphson (dan.adolphson@fccmpls.org)

March 15th, 2026
Fourth Sunday in Lent



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Announcements

Please let us know you are worshipping with us by filling out the online worship attendance form. The link is in the Livestream chat, and on the front page of our website, www.fccmpls.org. Prayer requests should be sent to prayer@fccmpls.org.

Communion is offered to everyone.

No matter where you are on life's journey, ALL are welcome. If you are worshipping with us online, please use whatever you have available to partake of communion from wherever you are watching. If you are with us in person, please come forward to receive communion when invited by the Deacons. If you are unable to come forward, please stay seated and the Deacons will come to you. We use gluten free wafers and grape juice.

Visit the SpringHouse website for more information about how you can support our Minneapolis neighbors during this occupation.

Deacons & elders - please sign up for serving spots for Sundays in 2026. Signup links are available on the front page of the website.

Worship Leader slots through Easter Sunday, April 5 are available now. Signup link is on the front page of the website.

Kaden Hesser is in The Guthrie Theatre's production of *Macbeth*. Visit the NEWS section of the website to learn more.

We will be making sandwiches for Groveland Food Shelf and the new Agate Valiance shelter following worship today. We'll be making 300 sandwiches - many hands make light work, and we have a lot of fun.

Bring ramen packets for MN Food Share! We need a minimum of 200 packets.

Weekly eBlasts will now only be sent out on Tuesdays and Sundays. Tuesday will include two separate emails—one with prayer requests and one with program and event updates. Fridays will include Sunday service info and weekend announcements.

It's our turn to bring soup, breads, and dessert for this Wednesday's *Prayer Around The Cross*. Please let Steve Rusinak or Pastor Dan know if you can help!

FCC Weekly Calendar

All events are held online unless otherwise noted. You can receive the links by signing up for our eBlasts using the purple QR code below.

Sunday, March 15

9 am – 10:00 am – SpringHouse Youth Group
10:00 am – Worship (in person & livestream)
11:15 am - Fellowship, Adult Faith Formation

Tuesday, March 17

7 pm – FCC Board Meeting

Wednesday, March 18

9 am – Coffee Hour with the Community
6:30 pm – Soup Supper
7 pm – SpringHouse Lenten Prayer Service

Thursday, March 19

7 pm – FCC and Friends Book Club

Saturday, March 21

9 am – The Breakfast Club
10 am – Grief Support Group @ Westminster Presbyterian Church



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