

# St. Helens First United Methodist Church

560 Columbia Blvd., St. Helens, OR 97051

March 14, 2021

WELCOME

OPENING PRAYER (Unison)

**God of immeasurable grace, you meet us in our time of need and cause your face to shine upon us. You sent your Son into the world, that we might be saved; and you fashioned us into vessels of your love and light. Redeem us this day, O God, that we may be found worthy of the one who came to bring us life. Amen.**

SCRIPTURE READING: Numbers 21:4-9

READER: This is the Word of God for the people of God.

**PEOPLE: Thanks be to God.**

HYMN/ANTHEM: Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise See Below

PASTORAL PRAYER

THE LORD'S PRAYER (Unison)

**Our Father who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name; thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power and the glory, forever. Amen.**

SCRIPTURE READING: John 3:14-21

READER: This is the Word of God for the people of God.

**PEOPLE: Thanks be to God.**

MESSAGE: "The Good Snake"

HYMN/ANTHEM: Lift High the Cross See Slides

CLOSING PRAYER (Unison)

**Loving God, giver of all light and life, you sent Jesus Christ into the world not to condemn, but to save. Help us to lift up the light of Christ so that the world might believe in him and receive the gift of eternal life; through Christ, the light of the world. Amen.**

## CALENDAR FOR THE WEEK OF MARCH 14-20

**Due to the coronavirus outbreak, there are no worship services or small group meetings currently being held at the church. Instead, we are worshipping online on the church website ([www.sthelensfirstumc.org](http://www.sthelensfirstumc.org)) and engaging in fellowship and Bible study over Zoom. Bible study is at 10:30 am on Sunday and fellowship follows at 12 noon. Login information is available on the main page of our church website.**

**If you have any questions about the reopening of the church or would like to know more about our ministry during this time, call Pastor Jared at (206) 930-9051 or email him at [pastorjaredmaddox@gmail.com](mailto:pastorjaredmaddox@gmail.com). You can also call the church office at (503) 397-0061 or email it at [office@shfumc.comcastbiz.net](mailto:office@shfumc.comcastbiz.net).**

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