

ASH WEDNESDAY SERVICE

February 22, 2023 6:30 p.m.

Please enter and remain in silence in preparation for worship

Prelude *Were You There?* Spiritual

Greeting Pastor Beth

The grace of the Lord Jesus Christ be with you.

And also with you.

Bless the Lord who forgives all our sins.

God's mercy endures for ever.

Opening Prayer Pastor Beth

O God,
Maker of everything and judge of all that you have made,
From the dust of the earth you have formed us
And from the dust of death you would raise us up.
By the redemptive power of the cross,
Create in us clean hearts
And put within us a new spirit,
That we may repent of our sins
And lead lives worth of you calling;
Through Jesus Christ our Lord,
Amen.

Processional Hymn #521 SOJOURNER
I Want Jesus to Walk with Me (all verses)

Scripture Mark 1:1-14 Pastor Beth

Anthem *A Lenten Walk* arr. Hal Hopson

Responsive Reading #785 Psalm 51:1-17 Pastor Lonnie

Pastoral Reflection Pastor Lonnie

Invitation to the Observance of the Lenten Discipline Pastor Beth

Thanksgiving Over the Ashes Pastor Lonnie

Imposition of Ashes Pastor Lonnie and Pastor Beth

Steal Away arr. H.T. Burleigh

He Never Said a Mumbalin' Word arr. Hal Hopson

Give Me Jesus arr. Mark Patterson

Closing Hymn #474 PRECIOUS LORD

Precious Lord, Take My Hand (all verses)

Benediction Pastor Lonnie

Please Depart in Silence During the Bell Toll

Please stand in body or spirit.



WORSHIP LEADERS

Senior Pastor: Rev. Lonnie Pittman

Liturgist: Rev. Beth Orrell

Acolytes: James Campbell, Preston Pittman, Mary Ines Johnson,

Leah Heitman, Nora Beason, Reagan Griffith

Traditional Worship Arts Director: Charli Mills

Organist/Accompanist: Mike Hendrix

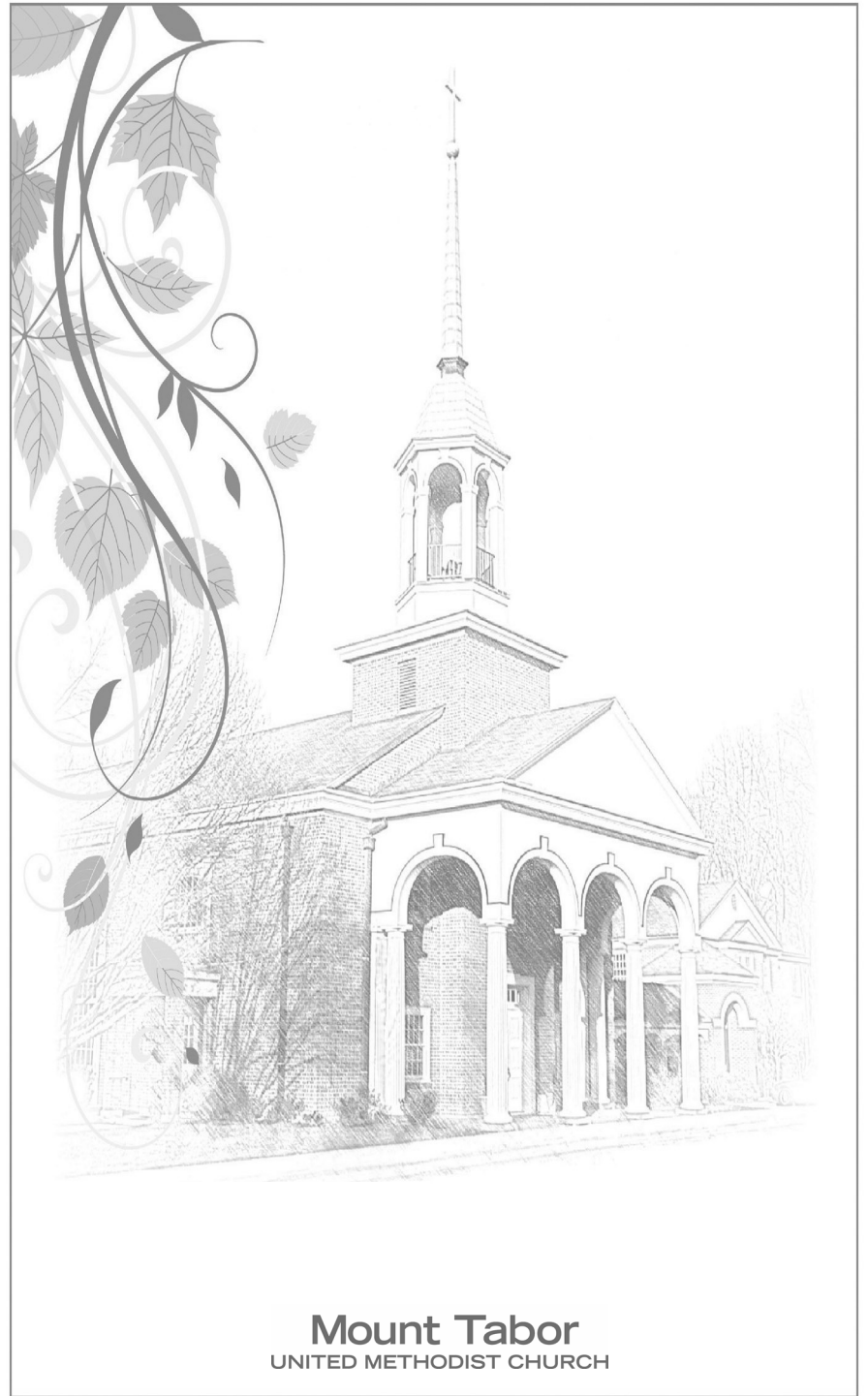
Guest Musicians: Jason McKinney, bass and clarinet

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