



Tippecanoe Presbyterian Church

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Welcome To Worship

August 19, 2018

9:30 a.m.

Summer Rerun of March 25, 2017

Palm Sunday's Passion as we...

"Welcome What's Next"



Sixth Week of Lent 2018

Welcome to this time of being with God and each other.



*On a spiritual quest? Reached a tipping point? Reach out to Tippe! You are important to us.
 In Christ, there are no strangers, only new and wonderful people to meet each day!
 If you are visiting today, please be sure to sign our Guest Book at the back of the sanctuary
 or fill out a pew card and drop it in the offering plate.
 Our pastor would be glad to call you or pay you a personal visit.
 Just let us know as you sign in...and take a Welcome Packet, too!
 Come back often. We care! We are open for faith! Affirming and open to all!*

Helpful Worship Information



We're Glad You've Come.

*This is a safe place, a sanctuary of worship and prayer,
 comfort and justice-seeking for all God's people and all
 are welcome here
 ...just as you are.*

Our church is a safe sanctuary for children...

We are proactive to protect our children with trained staff, enlightened volunteers, and aware congregants.

No concealed weapons of any type are allowed on Tippecanoe Church premises.

Our children are invited to remain in worship with us. The exception is first and third Sundays of the months during the program year when our families host

"Children's Church" right after Kids' Time.

We ask children be accompanied by an adult at all times throughout our morning together!

During worship, children are welcome to use a book, stuffed animal, or crayons and papers from the bottom shelf of the cart at the back of the sanctuary. We want the sanctuary to be home to them.

When your child (1st grade and under) is restless, when you are, when those around you are...

you're/we're probably asking too much of everyone. Please let your child be in the nursery at times like this. Please return borrowed "goodies" to the cart after worship.

Infant through 1st Grade Care

is available all during worship down the stairs to the right to the "nursery."

In the order of worship, please note... the * indicates times to stand as you are able.

Today in Worship



*We open our hearts and minds to the texts,
 confronting the radical nature of God's wisdom.*



"Palm Sunday's Passion"

Palm Sunday marks Christ's entrance into Jerusalem...triumphant but hardly the king they thought they were getting! As we move ever closer to the cross and the mystery of Easter Life, today's Bible Wisdom Teachings focus us on the events of Holy Week - The Passion of Christ: Jesus' arrest, trial, and crucifixion. They mark the lengths to which God calls the faithful, but also the constant presence of God with us and the enduring nature of God's purposes unfolding amongst us. We are made able...to welcome ...what comes next!

[On Palm Sunday we shared in Holy Communion together. We will not have it this week, but we will next Sunday, August 26.] All God's adults and children are welcome at Table no matter where you are on your own faith journey!



Thanks for being here today!

In deepest gratitude, we give God thanks for your presence with us in worship!



WARNING...

If you take the Bible literally you may be disappointed here. We hope not, but we think you should know that we don't take *all* of scripture literally...
 any more than Jesus did,
but we DO take it all seriously.

As you enter, please use this time to greet friends, welcome newcomers, and join in the spirit of community.

As the music begins, gift yourself a few moments of quiet perhaps becoming present to your own life -- your desires and needs and joys. Perhaps using this photo and reflective question to center yourself.

God rejoices in your coming and meets you this morning in special ways that are meant just for you.

Guided by the wisdom of Isaiah 43:18-19

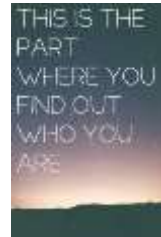
TODAY'S WORSHIP

Sixth Week of Lent

Why do we worship? Think on this...

Worship is a human activity, celebrated in the presentness of God...the Sacred, rather than praise required of us by God. And so the "goal" is to help us know (head in our heart) how we relate as individuals to ourselves, others, world, universe.

To celebrate that relationship! To touch sources of creative transformation! To reinterpret our experiences! To reaffirm living in this world which is indeed our sacred and worshipful work to do!



Palm Sunday's Passion As We "Welcome What's Next"

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### **WELCOME TO THIS CELEBRATION OF THE LORD'S DAY**

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- ✧ **Welcome and Community News**
- ✧ **Readying Ourselves for Worship**

**Surely God is in this place, Holy Ground!  
Surely God is in this place,  
Holy Ground!**

#### ✧ **Prelude**

♦ *Lighting the Christ Candle*

- ♦ *Ringing the Bell...an ancient tradition to clarify the air enabling our prayers to rise more easily to our God.*

### **Gathering As God's People**

#### ✧ **Becoming Present To God And Each Other**

**A Lenten Ritual Of Candle Unlighting:  
*"Welcoming What's Next"***

*Please be in quiet as one of our children extinguishes the light from our Lenten Candles. In your Holy Imagination:*

*See the light of these candles as the light of our Advent Candles  
now grown up with Christ power - the Cosmic Christ.  
As they are extinguished, go with this power  
into the darkness of our unknown future  
....moving ever toward the imminent light  
of a new and future life.*

Child of God:

We go out into the darkness...going into what will come next.  
We put our lives into God's life, our hand into the "hand" of God.  
This shall be to us better than a light...and safer than a known way.

One: Holy One....

**All: As we move toward Jerusalem, give us courage to  
reflect on our *truest* nature....and on Yours!**

*Pastor: For we long to embrace a new, yet ancient reality:*

We are made resilient in God's love and able to...

*"Welcome What's Next"*

knowing God works through all things for good  
for those who believe."

**All: We enter Passion Week...Christ's passion becomes  
palpable! Holy One, open our every heart...and wake us  
to wonder as we reflect on the power of incarnate love...in  
us!**

*Please remain seated.*

✧ **Gathering Hymn**                      **#197**                      **Hymnal**

**"Hosanna, Loud Hosanna"**

**Held WithIn the Word**

✧ **And the Children Will Lead The Way: Kids' Time**

✧ **Affirming Our Faith...**

**Preparing To Hear The Word....*Our Prayer***

**As I move into the scripture stories,  
The wisdom teachings of this week, God,**

**Lift me up....**

**Above the burden of expectations,  
Above the poison of impatience,  
Above the danger of fear.**

**God, even this week, You lift me up  
Into the joy of possibility,  
Into the grace of curiosity,  
Into the risk of love.**

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*First and Third Sundays  
from Sept-May children  
are invited to Children's  
Church after Kids' Time!*

**May I be in hope this day.  
May I be in miracle this day.  
May I be in peace this day.  
May it be so!**

*Please remain seated.  
Listen once through, then  
let's sing twice.*

*Feel free to use the space  
offered for your personal  
reflections!*

❖ **Prayerful Hymn of Preparation #67 Worship & Praise**

**“I Love You, Lord”**

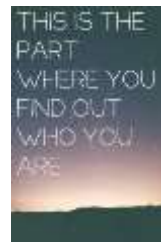
❖ **The Passion Of Our Lord**

*“Scriptures’ Insight Told...Inspiration Shared...  
‘Our’ Passion’s Prompting”*

Pastor Karen Hagen

❖ **Based Upon Bible’s Wisdom Teachings  
Mark 14:1 – Mark 15: 47**

The Palms  
The Woman With The Ointment  
The Trial  
Around The Fire  
In The Street  
Golgotha  
The Burial  
The Palms....



❖ **A Moment Of Personal Reflection...**

*Please use space on for your personal reflections!*

*Deeply hear this invitation.*

## Opening to God's Grace

### ✧ Opening Ourselves To God's Grace

### ✧ Sharing Our Inner Most Lives With God

**We listen to the crowds, at first cheering and enthusiastically shouting, "Hosanna", then crying, "Crucify him! Crucify him!"**

**We recognize our own changing loyalties, the ease with which we can be swayed.**

**We listen to the few words of Jesus before the "ones in power"; we feel his awesome presence.**

**We recognize how you, O God, can keep us courageous in times when we are tempted to give in to the powers that be, instead of stand up in integrity with You.**

**We listen to the compassionate response of Jesus on the cross, to the thief beside him.**

**We recognize how difficult it is for us to respond sensitively and appropriately to need....our own and the needs of others.**

**We stay the course, we *pre*-occupy ourselves with things most important....incarnate love and grace....a deep soul trust in the Kingdom of God here and now!**



Please check the Resiliency Responses that you now know to be in your Repertoire of Resiliency Responses!

- Relationships — Sociability/ability to be a friend/ability to form positive relationships
  - Humor — Has a good sense of humor
  - Inner Direction — Bases choices/decisions on internal evaluation (internal locus of control)
  - Perceptiveness — Insightful understanding of people and situations
- Continued on next page...*

Alternative Language:

*I am able to*

*-do a postmortem on my past*

*-evaluate my expectations*

*-reinforce new roads*

*-fail forward*

*-eliminate extremes*

*-create and not compare*

*-transcend the moment or situation*

*Please listen once and then sing.*

*A Sung Response*

[ ] Independence — “Adaptive” distancing from unhealthy people and situations/autonomy

[ ] Positive View of Personal Future – Optimism; expects a positive future

[ ] Flexibility — Can adjust to change; can bend as necessary to positively cope with situations

[ ] Love of Learning — Capacity for and connection to learning

[ ] Self-motivation — Internal initiative and positive motivation from within

[ ] Competence — Is “good at something”/personal competence

[ ] Self-Worth — Feelings of self-worth and self-confidence

[ ] Spirituality — Personal faith in something greater

[ ] Perseverance — Keeps on despite difficulty; doesn’t give up

[ ] Creativity — Expresses self through artistic endeavor

*Say to yourself: I am resilient. I am \_\_\_\_\_.*

### ✧A Moment With God For Each Of Us...

Let there be some quiet. We will be “stilled” together for 5 minutes or so! You have time....go deeper....

### ✧Kyrie

**You are the Lord, Giver of Mercy.  
You are the Christ, Giver of Mercy.  
You are the Lord, Giver of Mercy**

### ✧Receiving God’s Grace....*God With Us Always*

Pastor: Divine Presence...Holy One...Giver of Life, we are overwhelmed and humbled by the gift of Your presence with us through Jesus the Christ...especially as we move into *this* week.

**All: We will respond to your supreme gift with honest reflection and renewed commitment.**

Pastor: Pardon and Peace be ours!

**All: Thanks be to our God! Amen!**

### ✧Rejoicing In God’s Divine Care

**Glory be to the Father, & the Son, & the Holy Ghost;  
As it was in the beginning, is now and ever shall be,  
world without end. As it was in the beginning, is now  
and ever shall be, world without end. Amen. A-men.  
Amen. A-men. Amen. A-men. A-men!**

Please call Patti at 630-674-1272 if you would like the Tippe Prayer Chain to lift a special prayer for you this week.

All prayers are confidential and shared with Pastor Karen.

*Members & Friends*

*Tippe Ministry  
Spiritual Leaders:*

*Elder  
Deacon  
Staff*

*Community  
Outreach Partners  
Divine Intervention  
& Arts and Science  
Literacy Camps  
Faith Communities*

*Partnering in Ministry  
Current Issues Calling Us  
To Prayer*

*As you gather around the Table for prayer and communion, please listen once and then sing twice.*

*A “plate “is provided for your holy offering. With deep gratitude, we give you our thanks and praise for your sustaining support!*

*As you leave, you are invited to linger longer enjoying sanctuary time. The kneeler is also available for a time of quiet*

✧ **Naming Our Gratitudes, Joys, and Concerns**

**Throughout This Week Let Us Pray For...**

...continued abundance and celebration of possibility as God grows Tippe’s ministry.

...the continuing flow of guests who grace us with their presence.

... these members, spiritual leaders, staff and communities:

♦ Gregory & Elizabeth Charewicz and Deserae Constantineau

♦ Art Science Literacy Camp (ALSC)

♦ Josh Zaller

♦ Barbara Wooldrage

♦ Larry Hartmann

♦ Common Ground and MICAH

♦ Holding Guests, Hosts, and Staff into the light of our prayer!

♦ Holding Teachers, Artists, Children and their Families in the light of our prayer!

♦ Unity Lutheran Church

♦ Employment

♦ Immigration Reform

♦ Torture Awareness ♦ God’s Creation: Environmental Concerns

✧ **Quieting Ourselves For Prayer**

✧ **Sung Call To Prayer**

**In this moment, in this place,  
all is mercy, all is grace.**

**In this moment, in this place,  
We Are One....**

✧ **Pastoral Prayer and Lord’s Prayer**

✧ **Offering Ourselves**

**Sending Forth With Blessing**

✧ **\*Departing Hymn #154 *Worship and Praise***

**“We Will Glorify”**

✧ **\*Benediction**



prayer. Please take a copy of a previous prompting from the Cart in the back for your own or another's enrichment!

*Richard Bruxvoort Colligan,  
adapted, with permission*

***...Our Affirmation and Invitation  
to Become a Living Blessing***

**✧\*Our Response**

**Holy One, now we your servants go in peace.  
Your word lives on in us.**

**✧Postlude**

***Please join us for Tippe Café right here in the sanctuary.***

# Tippeca-News – Then: March 25, 2018

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*Join us for Tippe Café right after  
Worship here in the Sanctuary!*

*All Are Welcome!*

TODAY and THIS WEEK at Tippe

## Today's Parlor Class:

Conversation with Pastor Karen exploring the wisdom of the book: "Christianity Without God".

**CHILDREN'S CHURCH** first and third Sundays of each month after Kid's Time in worship! Our families will teach us!

## Monday Nights 6:30pm:

**Sanctuary Time of Belonging meets tomorrow night!**

Come for this worshipful time of self-reflection and theological thinking as we informally gather around table in the sanctuary, closing each gathering in prayer and communion. No meeting March 26<sup>th</sup> or April 2<sup>nd</sup>.

**Circle of Faith** meets Wednesdays 10:30am in the parlor as we reflect on our individual and corporate lives through the lens of the wisdom teachings...*lectio style!* No meeting March 28<sup>th</sup> or April 4<sup>th</sup>.

**AA Meeting** Wednesday 7pm in Study Lounge.

**Bay View Children's Choir** on winter break.

TODAY and THIS WEEK at Living Waters

**Center yourself...Sunday Centering meets 2<sup>nd</sup>-5<sup>th</sup> Sundays at 6pm.** Join us for a time of quieting, opening us to the Holy within. No meeting Christmas or New Year's Eve.

**One Blessing** meets 1<sup>st</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> **Tuesday** evenings in the sanctuary at 6:30pm.

**Thursday Centering** meets 2:30pm in the parlor. No meeting Dec. 28<sup>th</sup>.

## UPCOMING ATTRACTIONS!

Our next ASLC Science Saturday is April 21st. To know more, email [aslcforkids@gmail.com](mailto:aslcforkids@gmail.com)!

**Lunch Bunch** will meet on Tuesday, April 3, at 11:45am at Applebee's on Holt Avenue.

**Zensational Yoga** for children meets next on April 22 at 1pm in Sanctuary.

## Brave Places Letter Writing/Calling Meet-up

**Where: McDonald's at 6<sup>th</sup> and Oklahoma**

**When: 1-2 pm on First Sundays!**

**Sung Mediation – Threshold Singing:**

First Friday Nights monthly, 6:30-8pm.

## Lent 2018

Our Theme: Welcome What's Next!

## Maundy Thursday Simple Meal & Worship March 29<sup>th</sup> 6pm in sanctuary

Recapture the movement of Holy Week and make your way to your cross! Please bring finger food to share as dinner together.

## Good/God Friday Ecumenical Worship

March 30<sup>th</sup> - Ecumenical Service of Worship 1pm at Sacred Heart parish with all our brothers & sisters in the faith!

## Easter Morning Celebrations April 1...

***No Fooling!***

**8:30am: Special Tippe Café**

**Please bring a dish to share!**

**9:30: Easter Egg Hunt with our Kids**

**10am: Holy Worship in Sanctuary**

## Opening Ourselves To God's Grace

In Lent we turn toward what has meaning in our lives and notice what drops away as we do. We turn toward God. Then we are more freely able to focus. We become more self-aware...more able to access our core resiliencies...and grow competence in some new ways of being!

Even today, maybe especially today, we seek to be renewed!

Each with our own beloved story, shaped anew by our Holy Story,  
**SILENTLY** lift our prayers to our God  
As we use the reflection on Page 7 to guide us.



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### **Tippe-Ministers**

*All are ministers every day in every way in the world.*

#### **Today in Leadership**

Pastor..... Karen Hagen  
Director of Music Ministry ..... MaryBeth Garrett  
Worship Leader.....  
Ministry Support Associate..... Crystal Stinemates  
Facility Host..... Margaret Majewski & Jay Paske  
Worship Hosts..... Larry and Nancy Hartmann  
Nursery Care ..... Shared by Community  
Director of *Living Waters* ..... Pastor Karen  
*Living Waters* Staff  
Pastor Karen, Diane, Jane, Tami & Donna

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**Email Pastor Karen directly at [pastor.tippechurch@gmail.com](mailto:pastor.tippechurch@gmail.com)**

**If you have questions regarding our missions and how you can help, please email: [sustainingtippe@gmail.com](mailto:sustainingtippe@gmail.com).**

**To assist with sharing our supper (SOS meals), please contact email: [sosmealsdi@gmail.com](mailto:sosmealsdi@gmail.com).**

**To assist with Larry under the Bridge, please contact email: [lutbtippedi@gmail.com](mailto:lutbtippedi@gmail.com)**

**If you have donations for Project Home, please contact email: [projecthomedl@gmail.com](mailto:projecthomedl@gmail.com).**

**For more information about Arts and Science Literacy Camps, please contact email: [aslcforkids@gmail.com](mailto:aslcforkids@gmail.com).**

Find us at [www.tippechurch.org](http://www.tippechurch.org) or on Facebook at Tippecanoe Church!

**Tippe Strives to be GREEN!** So, we limit the number of hard copy bulletins we run each week while offering them online. Download at home, run your own copy, or go online at [tippechurch.org](http://tippechurch.org).

**Wi-Fi Info: Living Waters 1tippehugs**

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*All Are Welcome!*

TODAY and THIS WEEK at Tippe

*Our Child Care Provider, Natalia, will return  
to ministry in September.*

This summer, we have a lovely opportunity to help support our littlest ones in worship and in sharing nursery care. You are very much invited and needed to be aware of need for nursery care each Sunday and spontaneously respond by offering your personal support!

We walk our talk in delightful ways together! Parents, be sure to ask for the support you need as well!

**Parlor Class**  
looks forward to resuming in the fall.

**CHILDREN'S CHURCH**  
On break now till fall...*can't wait till then!*

Throughout the summer...

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tomorrow night!

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**Shared Wisdom Circle**, which meets on Wednesdays, is on summer break July and August.

**AA Meeting** is on Wednesdays at 7pm in Study Lounge.

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UPCOMING ATTRACTIONS!

**Tippe's Annual Outdoor Worship, Neighborhood Outreach, and Potluck Picnic** is happening the Sunday of Labor Day weekend (Sept 2). Tippe will provide hot dogs and drinks. Please bring a side or dessert! We'll glean the garden and share our bounty with the neighbors. We'll also have water balloons and our famous shaving cream slip 'n slide.

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**Where: Right Here At Tippe!**

**When: To return in the fall!**

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And...

We give God and You our praise and thanks! Currently Tippe's financial giving so far this year is up-to-date and then some! We're in the black!

And we know, keeping our pledges current over the summer is very challenging! Please enjoy your summer time and let our postal service help you keep your giving current.

*Every gift matters all the time!*