

Welcome and Announcements Betty Crawford

Prelude “Shine, Jesus, Shine”
Glenda Gray, piano

* Responsive Reading

* Gloria Patri “Glory Be to the Father” UMH 70

* Hymn “Open My Eyes That I May See” UMH 454

Prayer of Confession and Assurance of Pardon

Passing the Peace and Threefold Amen

Offertory “As the Deer”
Chancel Choir

* Doxology UMH 95

* Prayer of Thanksgiving and Dedication

Kids’ Moments

Song for Illumination “Change My Heart” TFWS 2152

* Scripture Reading Ephesians 5:8-14

Sermon “Wake Up and Smell the Coffee”
Tim Robinson

Contemplative Moment “Word of God”
Glenda Gray, piano

Pastoral Prayer and the Lord’s Prayer

* Affirmation of Faith The Apostles’ Creed UMH 881

* Hymn “Amazing Grace (My Chains Are Gone)”

* Benediction

* Postlude “Amazing Grace (My Chains Are Gone)”
Glenda Gray, piano; Ray Johnson, organ

Wednesday Night Dinner

Join us in the Fellowship Hall at 5:30pm on Wednesday and plan to stay for activities and studies for all ages. Meal will be hamburgers and tater tots.

Holy Week Schedule

Palm Sunday, March 29

Palm Sunday commemorates Jesus’ triumphal entry into Jerusalem, when crowds welcomed him with palm branches. Service will be in the sanctuary at **11:00am**.

Maundy Thursday, April 2

Maundy Thursday recalls the Last Supper, where Jesus shared a final meal with his disciples and gave the commandment to love one another. Holy Communion will be served, and you will have the opportunity for foot or hand washing during the service, which will be in the sanctuary at **7:00pm**.

Good Friday, April 3

Good Friday is when we remember Jesus’ crucifixion and death on the cross. Service will be in the sanctuary at **7:00pm**.

Saturday, April 4

Kids’ Easter Celebration from 10:30am to 12:30pm.

Easter Sunday, April 5

Easter is the celebration of Jesus’ resurrection from the dead, marking the central proclamation of the Christian faith.

Rev. Collin Adams will preach at our **9:00am** service in the sanctuary as we welcome the congregation from Waverly Road Presbyterian. Following the service, we will have a light breakfast in the Fellowship Hall.

We will have our traditional Easter service in the Sanctuary at **11:00am**.

Prayer Concerns

Linda DeBord; Doris Cox; Warren Larson; Ann Keith; Nellie Stover; Amy Reedy; Joyce Weldon; Jacques Weldon (Joyce Weldon’s nephew); Philip Weldon (Joyce Weldon’s brother); Kristy Bright (Jackie Tranbarger’s daughter); Phyllis Charles; Susan Flanary; Amanda Flanary; Randy Smith; Pauline Smith; Roni Acuff; Mike Hartwyk (Bobbie Carico’s nephew); Billy Reeves (Jackson Coleman’s grandfather); James Bowden (Helen Alley’s father); John W. & Kellie with family; Kyle Mustard (Annie Coleman’s grandfather); Ronald Manning (client of Dot Stover’s); J.C. Qualls (Jason Robinette’s brother-in-law).

If you would like to be added to the Prayer Warriors list and receive an email when prayer requests come in, please email Ray at rjohnson@mafairumc.org.

You are also welcome to join the Intercessory Prayer Group that meets in the Parlor (Room 104) on Tuesdays at 10:30am.

Kids’ Easter Celebration

Invite your family and neighborhood kids for a morning of fun, fellowship, and refreshments on Saturday, April 4, starting at 10:30.

We are taking donations of candy and empty or pre-stuffed plastic eggs in the collection bins outside the office through Wednesday, April 1. Please be mindful of allergies when stuffing eggs. Other donation suggestions include stickers, small plastic animals/figures, or other items that will fit in plastic Easter eggs.

Mark your calendar for our **Church Revival**, which will be held **April 19-21** with special guest **Bishop James Swanson**. More details to follow.

This week at Mafair

Rooms: FH Fellowship Hall TPC The Prospect Center
B01-B09 Basement 101-109 First Floor 201-209 Second Floor

Sunday

9:45am Sunday School
10:30am Chancel Choir warmup · 105
11:00am Worship · Sanctuary
12:00pm Safe Sanctuary Training · FH

Monday

1:30pm UWif Circle · 104
6:00pm Recovery Resources TN · TPC
7:00pm Missions Committee · 107

Tuesday

8:00am Morning Hope Breakfast · TPC
10:30am Intercessory Prayer Group · 104
6:00pm Church Leadership Council · 107

Wednesday

3:30pm Worship Planning · 103
5:30pm Dinner · FH
6:15pm Kids' Choir · B05
6:15pm Youth · 205
6:30pm Bible Study · FH
6:30pm Kids' SPLASH · B08
7:30pm Choir Rehearsal · Sanctuary

Friday

9:00am Lunch Packing · Shades of Grace

Twelve Step Groups at the Prospect Center

These are all open meetings and for men and women unless otherwise specified.

Alcoholics Anonymous 2:00pm every day
Alcoholics Anonymous 9:30am & 7:00pm Sun
Alcoholics Anonymous (Women)..... 6:30pm Wed
Al-Anon 4:00pm Sun
Drug Addicts Anonymous Noon Sun & 8:30pm Fri
Narcotics Anonymous 12:00pm Thu & 7:00pm Sat

Welcome to Worship!

We're glad you're here. If you'd like to learn more about Mafair, please fill out a green information sheet from the pew rack.

Worshiping with children? You're welcome to keep them with you or use our nursery for infants through age 3. We also have quiet activities available at the sanctuary entrance.

Children are invited to the front for a brief message, followed by Kids' Church.

Nursery: Infants through age 3, located downstairs in Room B03.

Kids' Church: For children ages 3–7, held downstairs in the Lower Elementary classroom (Room B07). At the end of the service, parents pick up their children from Kids' Church.

Hearing Assistance: Hearing-assisted devices are available at the sanctuary entrance. Please ask an usher for assistance.

Mafair Staff

Pastor Tim Robinson
Director of Student Ministries Annie Coleman
Director of Children's Ministries Susan Jenkins
Nursery Attendant Piper Benton
Music Director Christina Brennan
Pianist Glenda Gray
Operations Manager Ray Johnson

Fourth Sunday in Lent March 15, 2026



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