

**Kasson  
United Methodist Church  
February 5, 2023**

**Prelude**

**FWS #2130                    “The Summons”  
UMH #593                    “Here I am Lord”**

**Congregational Prayer**

**Congregational Reading  
UMH #574 “For Renewal of the Church”**

**Communion                    1<sup>st</sup> Corinthians 11:23-32**

**The Apostles’ Creed**

**Children’s Message        “Selfish Good People”**

**Scripture Readings        Jonah 1:1-17  
                                      Luke 11:29-36**

**Sermon                        “Jonah, The Prophet You Don’t Follow”**

**The Lord’s Prayer**

**Offering UMH #95            The Doxology**

**FWS #2133                    “Give Me a Clean Heart” (2X)**

**Closing Prayer and Benediction: Numbers 6:24-26**

**Announcements**

**Postlude**

**The Apostles’ Creed        UMH #881**

**I believe in God the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth; and in Jesus Christ his only Son our Lord: who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead and buried; he descended into hell. The third day he rose from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and sitteth at the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead.**

**I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.**

**The Lord’s Prayer UMH #895**

**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.**

Please sign the attendance pad and pass it onto others in your pew.

Our pancake supper is back! February 21<sup>st</sup> 4:30-7:30 pm.  
Adults \$10.00, 6-12 \$5.00, 5 and under free. Scrambled eggs, pancakes, sausage, coffee and milk.

**NOTE:** Scammers have been sending emails using our Pastor Jake's and Janet's names asking for things. Please take note what the email address is. We would not ask you to buy gift cards or run an errand etc. If you have questions please call the office.

### **Lenten Schedule:**

February 22-Ash Wednesday -6:00 pm at KUMC

March 1-6:00 pm- at PCUMC

March 8- 6:00 pm at KUMC

March 15- 6:00 pm at PCUMC

March 22-6:00 pm at KUMC

March 29- 6:00 pm at PCUMC



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**Welcome to Worship!**

Challenge: On February 22<sup>nd</sup> we will begin Lent. Before we even get to this season, it is good to reflect on what the Lord has been calling you to do in your life. What is it the Lord is calling you into, out of, or to change? How can this Lenten season be your opportunity to make the change He is calling you to make?

Questions:

- 1) Jonah is sent to Nineveh to preach by the Lord, but he gets on a boat to Tarshish (opposite direction) instead. Why does he do this?
- 2) Have you ever found yourself in Jonah's position? Called to something by God but running in the opposite direction instead? How did that work out for you? How did it work out for Jonah?
- 3) Jesus tells the Pharisees that an unbelieving generation is given only the sign of Jonah. What does He mean by this? What is Jonah's role for them... and for us?

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## **All Church Meeting**

Currently the United Methodist Church is at an impasse at the denominational level. Here in our local church, we are in the process of discovering our future, whether that be remaining with the UMC, joining the Global Methodist Church, or going fully independent. This is not a quick nor simple process, so every month we are holding informational meetings to answer questions and inform our members of what is happening fully. We desire to do this only once, to do it the right way, and to be full of grace as we proceed. All members and attendees are invited to join each of these meetings to learn more, and to ask their own questions. Each meeting is 1 1/2 hours in length, and is being led by the Staff Parish Relationship Committee, comprised of members of both churches. Please be in prayer for the worldwide church, your fellow church members, the ministers, and most importantly for your local congregation. We will vote on our denominational future April, 30 2023. Each meeting will be recorded if you cannot attend in person, contact the office for the Zoom link, and any questions you would like to ask in between meetings are to be directed to members of the SPRC or Pastor Jake.

Sunday, February 26<sup>th</sup> at 3:30 pm.

