

Third Sunday in Lent  
Kirkpatrick Church

Sunday, March 20, 2022

9:30am

Preservice Music  
Greeting & Announcements

Preparation for Worship: Please read Psalm 27  
Preparation Music

Call to Worship & Opening Prayer

Gathering Songs:  
Lord I Need You  
How Deep The Father's Love For Us

Prayer of Confession  
Silent Personal Confession  
Assurance of Pardon

A Time for Children  
Offertory

1<sup>st</sup> Scripture Reading: 1 Peter 3:18-22  
2<sup>nd</sup> Scripture Reading: Genesis 9:8-17  
Sermon: Under the Rainbow

Hymn of Response: #139 Great Is Thy Faithfulness  
Prayers of the People

Sending Hymn: #143 This Is My Father's World

Benediction

Post Service Music

## Announcements

Preaching today: Pastor Marie Branigan.


**Welcome Pastor Marie** Pastor Marie Branigan started March 15 as our interim Pastor. Pastor Branigan joins us with a wealth of experience as an interim. For over 25 years she has guided congregations through the transforming journey into a new direction and Pastor. Pastor Branigan will be leading the service on Sunday March 20th so come in person or on Zoom to welcome her to our church.

**AmazonSmile** Our church received a donation of \$65.72 from the AmazonSmile Foundation as a result of orders placed by members. Thank you for selecting KMPC as your charity on AmazonSmile.

**Covid Protocol** Session has decided that masks will now be optional for all events held at the church. This change in Covid protocol is appropriate because of the drastic reduction in Covid cases throughout the county and state as well as the lack of cases in the Medical Center. Anyone wishing to continue to wear a mask is encouraged to do so and social distancing will still be required. Session will continue to review Covid protocols in order to remain current with ever changing events.

**Challenge to the Congregation!** In order to meet our needs for the Easter Giveaway, we need everything to fill 45 boxes of food. Our challenge to you is to fill a box (or multiple boxes) with everything on the Easter Shopping List and bring it to church before March 22. Lists are in the connector. 5 received, 40 still needed.

The Kirkpatrick Session is looking for a Leader / Chair for the **Christian Education** committee. If you have a passion in this area of Ministry then let us know. The initial focus would be to get members to create a committee and primarily discuss ideas to restart our Christian education. If you have an interest or just want to discuss possibilities you can call Jim Danner (908) 399-2654 or contact any session member.

 **Volunteers Needed** The Delaware Valley Food Pantry, located in Lambertville, needs volunteers to help deliver bakery products that are donated by the Giant supermarket in New Hope everyday except Sunday. There has been a faithful group of volunteers doing this for years, but the number of people available has diminished. There are options to help one or two days a month or more. There is also the option to simply serve as a substitute. Can you help?? If you can with this service, please contact Linda Hults (609-397-1106). Thank You 😊

Food Ministry We are currently in need of Hams for Easter (preferably fresh), canned pineapple, canned fruit, canned soup (pull off top preferred), green veggies, boxed potato mixes, jelly, syrup, peanut butter, pasta sauce, canned chicken, reusable bags, shampoo. If you are able to donate, please drop off these items in the Pantry Room (across from the ladies restroom) or in the box outside the connector if the church is locked.

Our next Grocery Giveaway is Saturday, March 26<sup>th</sup> from 11am-12noon in our parking lot and at Lambertville School parking lot, 200 N Main St, Lambertville, NJ 08530.

Anything on the following list would be greatly appreciated:

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Peanut Butter | <input type="checkbox"/> Apple Sauce     | <input type="checkbox"/> Canned Vegetables | <input type="checkbox"/> Canned Fruit    |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Jelly         | <input type="checkbox"/> Pasta Sauce     | <input type="checkbox"/> Canned Soup       | <input type="checkbox"/> Rice            |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Cereal        | <input type="checkbox"/> Pasta           | <input type="checkbox"/> Tuna Fish         | <input type="checkbox"/> Beans           |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Pancake Mix   | <input type="checkbox"/> Boxed Potatoes  | <input type="checkbox"/> Large Cans of     | <input type="checkbox"/> Cookie, Brownie |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Syrup         | <input type="checkbox"/> Cranberry Sauce | Chicken                                    | Mixes                                    |

Admin Schedule: Chris is in the office Monday and Wednesday mornings (9-1) and working remotely on Tuesdays, Thursdays and Fridays.

For pastoral emergencies, please call the office or email [PastorMarie@kirkpatrickchurch.org](mailto:PastorMarie@kirkpatrickchurch.org).