

# SUNDAY WORSHIP SERVICE

March 22, 2026

10:30 am

Prelude

*Choir Introit*

## Call to Worship

## Psalm 22

My God, why are You so far from helping me,  
from the words of my groaning?  
O my God, I cry out, but You do not answer.

I am poured out like water,  
and all my bones are out of joint;  
my heart is like wax;  
it is melted within my chest.  
You lay me in the dust of death.

But you, O Lord, do not be far away!  
My help, come quickly to my aid!

Deliver my soul from the sword.  
Save me from the mouth of the lion!

**\* Hymn #259 "Breathe on Me, Breath of God"**

## Song of Lament

**"By the Babylonian Rivers"** (see Insert)

## Assurance

As it is written in the prophet Ezekiel,  
"Hear the word of the Lord!" "O my people,  
I am going to bring you up from your graves.  
I will bring you back to your land and your home.  
I will put My Spirit within you, and you shall live."  
Believe, and share the Good News!

**In Jesus Christ, we are forgiven!**  
**In Jesus Christ, we are a new creation!**

**\*Gloria Patri (#623 Hymnal)**

## Welcome and Announcements

**Invitational music for JLK (#42 Hymnal)**

***Choir Anthem "On the Road to Jerusalem"***

## Presentation of Tithes and Offering

- \* Doxology #625 (Hymnal)
- \* Offertory Prayer

**Scripture:** Ezekiel 37:1-14

**Sermon:** "A Rattling of Bones, A Rush of Wind"

Dr. Andrew McDonald

**\*Hymn "Dry Bones" (see insert)**

## Prayer Requests and Lord's Prayer

**\*Hymn # 304 "Lift High the Cross"**

Benediction

*Choir Benediction*

Postlude

\* Stand if you are able.

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**Choir Director:** Eilene Stephens

**Organist:** Gail Tutt

**Custodian:** Dave Miller

**Deacons:** Corey Lambert

**Session:** Mindy Carls

**Mission Committee:** Carole Taube

**Building Committee:** Carole Bridgford

**PNC:** Roy Gustafson

*(Pastor Nominating Committee)*

**Sunday School Teacher:** Jodie Mortensen

**Prayer Needs:** Barb Miller, Tisha Stump (Heart transplant), Vicki Knotts, Cheryl Schillinger, Kirk McKinzie, Shala Mannoochahr, Pauline Shroyer, Sam Waldron.

**Interested in Membership?** If you are visiting Coal Valley Presbyterian Church today, we are glad to have you as our guest! If you are ready to take the next step in your spiritual journey by joining our church family, please see Dr. McDonald after the service or call the church office. We will let you know about our new member orientation class.



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**THIS WEEK**

**Sunday (3-22)    Sunday School                    9:15 am**  
**Worship                                    10:30 am**  
**Thursday (3-26)    Choir Practice                    7:00 pm**

**PLEASE NOTE:**

**Mark your Calendars:** The Orion churches Lenten lunch schedule.

Friday, March 27 <sup>th</sup>	First Baptist Church, Orion
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**Here at our Church:**

Sunday , March 29    Palm Sunday    10:30 am  
Sunday, March 29    Seven Nails Service    7pm  
Maundy Thursday, April 2 , 6pm Pot luck-7pm service  
Easter , April 5    Breakfast 9:30am ,    Worship 10:30am

**Maundy Thursday Pot- Luck:** If you would like to help with the pot luck dinner on Thursday April 2<sup>nd</sup> , Please sign -up at the back of the church with what you would like to bring. Ask the deacons if you have any questions.

**SAVE THE DATE!** The Mother-Daughter banquet will be Monday, May 18. Our entertainment will be the acoustic pop duo Douglas & Tucker. Time and price will be forthcoming. Kerry Tucker goes to our church and was married to our former organist and food pantry director, Tracy Tucker.

**Happy Birthday:** The Deacons would like to wish a Happy Birthday to the following people this week:

Emma Steiger	March 23
Michelle Kahley	March 24
Abbey Zimmerman	March 25
Pauline Shroyer	March 27
Jodie White	March 27
Janete Moore	March 27



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