



Huguenot United Methodist Church
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March 9, 2025, at 11 a.m. – First Sunday in Lent

**Please stand as able.*

<i>Sarabande</i>	<i>Arioso</i>	<i>In the Cross of Christ I Glory</i>	
<i>Beneath the Cross of Jesus</i>	<i>The Old Rugged Cross</i>		Connie Salmeri

<i>Prelude</i>	<i>Ring Joyous With the Sound!</i>	Huguenot Ringers
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<i>Welcome, Registration of Attendance and Announcements</i>	Sheila Blankenship
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****Call to Worship***

Leader: When Jesus was in the wilderness, he was tempted to save himself.
People: We often look for the good things for ourselves first, before the well-being of others.
Leader: Jesus was offered salvation if he turned stones to bread; if he accepted wealth and power; if he tested God's commitment to him.
People: In all these things, Jesus remained strong in his commitment to God.
Leader: May our commitment be as strong.
All: May our lives be placed in God's caring hands throughout our journey. AMEN.

<i>*Hymn of Praise</i>	<i>We Meet You, O Christ</i>	UMH # 257
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<i>Psalter</i>	<i>Psalms 91, UMH # 810-811</i>	Blankenship
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<i>Reading</i>	<i>Lent, UMH # 268</i>	Blankenship
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<i>Anthem</i>	<i>Praise to the Lord, Almighty</i>	Huguenot Ringers
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<i>Offering/Doxology</i>	<i>What Wondrous Love Is This</i>	Salmeri
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<i>*Hymn of Preparation</i>	<i>Lord of the Dance</i>	UMH # 261, v. 1, 3, 5
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<i>Scripture</i>	<i>Luke 4: 1-13</i>	Sprouse
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<i>Homily</i>	<i>A More Opportune Time</i>	James C. Sprouse
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Pastoral Prayer and the Lord's Prayer

<i>Hymn of Dismissal</i>	<i>Spirit Song</i>	UMH # 347
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<i>*Benediction</i>		Sprouse
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<i>Postlude</i>	<i>Glory in the Cross</i>	Salmeri
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We also welcome you to Huguenot United Methodist Church this morning!

HUMC Highlights

- Our nursery caregivers are here and ready to welcome children this morning! Childcare is provided from 10:45 a.m. to 12:15 p.m.
- The **Adult Bible Study** met today at 10 a.m. in the Fellowship Hall. *Please plan to join us next Sunday!*

Upcoming Events

- Sun., March 23 – Last day to order geraniums
- Sun., April 6 – Coffee Fellowship following worship service
- Tues., April 8 – United Women in Faith meeting at 10:30 a.m.
- Wed., April 9 – Fellowship Pot Luck Dinner at 6 p.m.
- Fri., April 11 – Feed the Homeless at 10 a.m.

Happy Anniversary to
Wayne and Marie Taney (March 11)

Happy Birthday to
Jane Grinnell (March 11)

This Week's Church Calendar

Sunday, March 9 – First Sunday in Lent

****Daylight Savings Time Starts****

10 a.m...Adult Bible Study (FH)

11 a.m...Worship

Tuesday, March 11

10:30 a.m...United Women in Faith Meeting (FH)

Wednesday, March 12

7 p.m...Choir Practice (CR)

Thursday, March 13

10:30 a.m...Women's Bible Study (FH)

Friday, March 14

10 a.m...Library Work Session (L)

10 a.m...Feed the Homeless (K)

Sunday, March 16 – Second Sunday in Lent

10 a.m...Adult Bible Study (FH)

11 a.m...Worship

CR – Choir Room **FH** – Fellowship Hall
K – Kitchen **L** – Library **PR** – Puppet Room

To learn even more about the church, please go to www.HUGUENOTUMC.org/pulse for our weekly newsletter!
To learn more about the United Methodist Church, please go to www.vaumc.org

Huguenot Ministry Staff

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Office Administrator: Elaine Grider
Preschool Director: Debbi Mintz
Nursery Caregivers: Rosalie Koch and OPEN

Mission Moment

Throughout Lent we would like to focus on mission support for the churches and people in Haiti. The Haitian people are among the poorest people in the western hemisphere. Our donations go a long way to providing the Haitian people with some of life's basic necessities. If you would be willing to support this ministry outreach, please make your check payable to Huguenot UMC with Haitian Outreach in the memo line. Your support to this outreach is greatly appreciated.

“To Be a Church in Service and in Witness to Our Members and Community.”