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*And a highway shall be there, and it shall be called The Holy Way.*  
*Isaiah 35:8*

March 6, 2016  
Fourth Sunday of Lent

*“The Pharisees and legal experts were grumbling, saying, ‘This man welcomes sinners and eats with them.’”*  
*Luke 15:2*

**GREETINGS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS — WELCOME**

**PRELUDE** *We are the Reason* arr. Ken Barker

**INTROIT** *Christ Has Risen While Earth Slumbers (v. 1)* Chancel Choir

**\*CALL TO WORSHIP** (Psalm 32:1-2, 5, 7)

**LEADER:** The one whose wrongdoing is forgiven, whose sin is covered over, is truly happy!

**PEOPLE:** **The one the Lord doesn’t consider guilty – in whose spirit there is no dishonesty – that one is truly happy!**

**LEADER:** I admitted my sin to you; I didn’t conceal my guilt. “I’ll confess my sins to the Lord,” is what I said. Then you removed the guilt of my sin.

**PEOPLE:** **You are my secret hideout! You protect me from trouble. You surround me with songs of rescue!**

**\*HYMN** *My Life Flows On* #821

**PRAYER OF CONFESSION**

O Lord our God, You see all, and You know all. You know all about us; You know our hearts. From the guilt we carry, to the shame we hide. From our cruel thoughts, to our selfish inclinations. From the masks we use to hide in public, to the truths which we hide from ourselves, You know us. And, in Jesus Christ, You forgive us. We pray to know You more: Your undying love, the suffering You are willing to undergo for our rescue, the peace which passes all understanding. Fill us with Your mercy, correct our paths from foolish ways, and guide us to where we may live with You forever. Amen.

**ASSURANCE OF PARDON**

**\*RESPONSE** *We Are Forgiven* #447

**A TIME OF GREETING**

**ANTHEM** *You Are Holy* Chancel Choir

**CHILDREN’S MESSAGE** (After the message, children entering the 5<sup>th</sup> grade and younger are invited to attend Sunday School in the Ranch House.)

**SCRIPTURE** (OT p. 197) Joshua 5:9-12

**HYMN** *Healer of Our Every Ill* #795

**OFFERING OF OUR GIFTS AND TITHES**

**OFFERTORY** *Prelude No. 4 in F Major* arr. Robert Vandall

**\*DOXOLOGY** #606

**\*PRAYER OF DEDICATION**

**SCRIPTURE** (NT p. 78) Luke 15:1-3, 11-32

**SERMON** “The Page Turner”

**THE SACRAMENT OF HOLY COMMUNION**

(Please hold the elements so all may partake together.)

**OUR CARES AND CELEBRATIONS**

**PASTORAL PRAYER**

**LORD’S PRAYER** Amen #601

**\*HYMN** *Let Us Talents and Tongues Employ* #526

**\*BENEDICTION**

**\*RESPONSE** *Let There Be Peace on Earth*

**POSTLUDE** *Like a River Glorious* arr. Dan Forrest

\* Please stand if you are able.

**Announcements & Opportunities**  
**March 6, 2016**

Welcome to our Worship Celebration this morning!

We worship every Sunday morning at 9:30 a.m. and offer Sunday School for school age children. **Help us get acquainted with you by filling out our attendance pad and our guest card!** Please join us for refreshments and fellowship at our Coffee Social Time in the Ranch House following our service. You will find sign-up sheets on the bulletin board in the Ranch House for our upcoming events and volunteer opportunities.

Next Sunday's Scripture Readings

Isaiah 43:16-21

John 12:1-8

Our church strives to be fully accessible to all persons. The **first four rows** on the pulpit side of the sanctuary are designated "**Fragrance-Free.**"

**Personal Receivers** are available in the AV Room for those needing hearing assistance. **Any chair in our sanctuary can be moved** to make room for persons in **wheelchairs**—our ushers are ready to help. Recorded Audio Tapes are available in the AV Room after each service, and you can **listen to our sermons** online at [www.holywaypc.org](http://www.holywaypc.org).

**Bible Study meets on Tuesday.** You are invited to join us for coffee and homemade snacks in the Conference Room at 9:00 a.m. We are studying 2 Corinthians, and may begin Romans.

**Remember the church in your will**

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- ✦ This morning we will have a **Hymnsing** at 9:20 am.
- ✦ Today, we will celebrate the sacrament of Holy Communion and welcome non-perishable contributions to our Food Bank. Our trained ruling elders and deacons will be extending communion to our homebound members following worship.
- ✦ The **Mission Committee** will meet on Monday at 6:00 pm at the home of Mooneen Ringenberg.
- ✦ **Lenten Class** will be Wednesday at 2:00 pm.
- ✦ **Dinner in the Ranch House** will be Wednesday at 6:00 pm. We will be serving Lasagna, Salad and Dessert. **Please sign up today so we will have enough for everyone!**

- ✦ **Stephen Ministry** training meets at 9:00 am on Thursday.
- ✦ Next Sunday, Alison Wood, Site Coordinator for the Tucson Borderlands **YAV Program**, the three YAVs – Chris Madison, Jake Corwther, Melissa Navarrwete Ocampo – and Rev. Mark Adams from Frontera de Cristo, will be with us and participating in our worship service. We are hoping to extend our hospitality to these young and faithful servants by taking them out to lunch (or home for a meal) after worship. If you would like to do so, please sign the sheet in the narthex.
- ✦ The **Worship Committee** will meet after worship next Sunday.
- ✦ The **Rummage Sale Committee** will meet next Sunday after worship.
- ✦ **Western Way Corral** will be performing a spring concert, "*What Is This Thing Called Love?*" on Monday, March 14<sup>th</sup> at 7 pm at the Western Way RV Resort, Wednesday, March 16<sup>th</sup> at 3 pm at the Tucson Estates Multi-Purpose Hall and Sunday, March 20<sup>th</sup> at 3 pm at the Copper Crest Club House. Donations are gratefully accepted to help defray the cost of our music. You are invited to come and enjoy a variety of music – all about love! Western Way Corral is a group of men and women from Tucson Estates, Western Way RV Resort, the Foothills and Copper Crest who enjoy making beautiful music together.
- ✦ **Finance Committee** will meet next Tuesday, March 15<sup>th</sup>, at 10:15 am.
- ✦ **Session** will meet next Tuesday, March 15<sup>th</sup>, at 6:00 pm.
- ✦ On Maundy Thursday, March 24<sup>th</sup>, we will have an **evening communion worship service** in our sanctuary at 7:00 pm.
- ✦ On March 27<sup>th</sup>, **Easter Sunday**, we will greet the new day with a Sunrise worship at 6:00 am, followed by breakfast in the Ranch House, and celebrate with a triumphant Easter worship service at 9:30 am.
- ✦ A new shipment of **Café Justo** arrived this week. Buy yours while it's at its freshest!
  - ✦ If you would like an electronic version of your photo, please email Elizabeth at [esmith@holywaypc.org](mailto:esmith@holywaypc.org) and she will email it to you in the coming weeks. You may then print it as many times as you would like! Donations are still being accepted to help defray costs. Mark your check *directory costs* and you can leave in in the offertory plate or give it to the Office.

## PRAYER CONCERNS

<b>CALENDAR</b>			
Sun.	Mar. 6	9:20 am 9:30 am 6:00 pm	Hymnsing Worship & Sunday School Communion and Food Bank Sunday Alateen & Al-anon Meetings
Mon.	Mar. 7	9:30 am 10:30 am 6:00 pm	Yoga Monday Social Group Mission Committee
Tue.	Mar. 8	9:00 am 4:00 pm 6:00 pm	Bible Study Girl Scouts Al-anon Meeting
Wed.	Mar. 9	2:00 pm 6:00 pm	Lenten Class Dinner in the Ranch House
Thurs.	Mar. 10	9:00 am 5:30 pm 6:15 pm	Stephen Ministry AA Meeting Chancel Choir
Sun.	Mar. 11	9:30 am 10:30 am 10:45 am 6:00 pm	Worship & Sunday School Rummage Sale Committee Worship Committee Alateen & Al-Anon

## SESSION

Class of 2016	Sherri Atleson	Cong. Life, Mission, Worship
Class of 2016	Dee Ellis	Admin., Christian Ed., Deacons
Class of 2016	Sharon Groves	Clerk, Nominating Committee
Class of 2016	Mooneen Ringenberg	Mission
Class of 2017	Karl Allen	Christian Education, Worship
Class of 2017	Barbara Armbruster	Congregational Life
Class of 2017	Carol Hearn	Cong. Life, Finance, Mission
Class of 2017	Dennis Toresdahl	Buildings & Grounds
Class of 2018	Tom Bernardo	Admin., Buildings & Grounds
Class of 2018	Ellen LaCroix	Mission
Class of 2018	Marcus Mattias	Christian Education
Class of 2018	Dudley Williams	Buildings & Grounds, Finance

Soldiers & Peacemakers – for their physical, mental, and spiritual health.

All the unspoken prayer concerns.

Your prayers this week will give them the sustaining power we all need.  
Please pray for them!

Margaret Agee – Health Concerns  
Lynn Allen – Health Concerns  
Barbara Armbruster – Health Concerns  
Rose Atcher (Mooneen's Niece) – Health Concerns  
Sherri Atleson's Brother Walter – Shoulder Surgery  
Dick Canfield (Rich Marsch's uncle) – Health Concerns  
Sharon Groves' Niece Teri – Health Concerns  
Ruthie Heath – Health Concerns  
Dave Malmberg – Health Concerns  
Toni (Wendy Mattias' friend) – Health Concerns  
Doug Myers – Health Concerns  
Anita Parsil – Health Concerns  
Charles Sayers – Health Concerns  
Don Skinner – Health Concerns  
Rodger Schumacher – Health Concerns  
Anne Trueman – Health Concerns

Our Prayer Chain is always available – contact Phyllis Crouthers at 578-8369 or Anita Parsil at 578-2410. If unable to reach Phyllis or Anita, you can email the church office at [office@holywaypc.org](mailto:office@holywaypc.org).