



Welcome  
to  
Chaires United  
Methodist Church

March 4, 2018

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Message:

Lent: Repent of Sin

John 2:13-22

\*Hymn

TCH 319

*Near the Cross (v. 1,2,4)*

Communion

Announcements

\*Benediction

\*Benediction Response:

TCH 179

*Awesome God*

Postlude

*\*Please stand if able*

*The flowers are placed in the church  
to the Glory of God  
By  
Lynn and Bob Glover*

Text: **John 2:13-22**

Title: **Lent: Repent of Sin**

Sermon Notes

Lent: Remembering - **Repenting** - Reflecting -  
Renewing

Lent

- the season of preparation for Easter
- 40 days long (not counting Sundays)

John 2:13-22

- Jesus turns over tables and drives out animals.
- Often called the cleansing of the temple

What would Jesus overturn in your life?

- Jesus does not seem concerned with corruption in John, but the temple needs cleaned out anyway.
- Is there anything in your life that is not "wrong" but keeps you from your relationship with Christ?
- Is there anything in your life that is not "wrong" but is not good for your relationship with Christ?
- Is there anything in your life that is wrong that you need to stop doing?

Pray this week that Jesus would help you clean out your life. Repent and believe in the Good News.

### **Prayer**

Almighty God,

Remind me, each day, that I am yours.

Remind me that I am loved by you, that I was saved by you, and that you call me still in every breath I take.

Keep me from being distracted or disheartened.

Keep me from claiming allegiance to any side or party in this world.

And help me to remember that everyone I see was created by you and is loved by you.

Amen.

Remember: If you are fasting for Lent, you should feast on Sundays in honor of Christ's resurrection!

## *Weekly Prayer Requests*

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### *Please pray for:*

David Matthews: healing from a stroke  
Don Dampier: healing from a heart catheterization  
Wayne Bennett: healing with a pacemaker  
Frances Chaires: additional medical testing  
W.T. Spence; healing from a swollen leg  
Gerry Mulder: healing from the flu  
Bill Ingram Family: Pastor Bill went to his eternal home on 2/18/18.  
Patricia Dampier: (Don and Gail's daughter-in-law) having cancer surgery and chemo  
Paul Alred: healing from surgery  
Jeanne Temple: having cancer surgery  
First responders  
Ruth Sansom: health issues  
Angie Travis: cancer  
Jim Hutto: healing from medical issues  
Amy Babcock: healing from a fall



#### Chaires Staff

Senior Pastor	Rev. Bethany Douty
Interim Secretary	Susan Capelouto
Interim Music Director	Michael Douty
Pianist	Dr. Guilherme Godoi
Custodian	Bob Glover

## *Chaires Calendar*

Sunday, Mar. 4	9:00 a.m. 10:00 a.m. 2:00 p.m.	Sunday School Worship Bible Study
Tuesday, Mar. 6	10:00 a.m.	Bible Study
Wednesday, Mar. 7	7:00 p.m.	Choir
Friday, Mar. 9	10:00 a.m.	Moms' Group
Sunday, Mar. 11 (Spring Forward)	9:00 a.m. 10:00 a.m. 2:00 p.m.	Sunday School Worship
Tuesday, Mar. 13	6:30 p.m.	United Meth. Men's & Women's Meetings

### ***ANNOUNCEMENTS***

#### **The Chaires Marlins**

Chaires UMC is sponsoring the Marlins, a Little League machine-pitch team. Team schedules are available on the back table. Shirts are available for order also.

#### **Financial Giving Record for 2017**

If you need your 2017 statement, it can be printed from your personal page on REALM. Please let the minister know if you need assistance with this.

**Spring forward on March 11.**

April 8, 15, 29 and June 3, 24 are open dates on the flower calendar for the next three months.