

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
<h1>LENT 2019</h1> <h2>PRAYER CALENDAR</h2> <p>Take a few minutes each day to read the suggested verse and reflect on the prayer prompt. Journal your thoughts, discuss with a prayer partner, or post on the prayer wall in the sanctuary.</p>			March 6 Ash Wednesday Luke 11:1 Find a solitary place to pray. Spend time with God away from distractions. Pray: Let me be still and know that you are God.	7 Luke 11: 2 The Lord's prayer is a prayer of community. What are some ways that you can share in the community of Christ today? Pray: Let me find a place where I belong.	8 Isaiah 64:8 What does it mean to call God Father? Take time to talk with a parent or other adult who helped to raise you. Pray: Thank you Lord for guiding my steps.	9 Psalm 8:3-4 Take time in prayer today to thank God for the awesome wonder of heaven and earth and all that God has made. Pray: The works of your hands are marvelous.
10 Matthew 13:44-48 When we encounter God, we understand that nothing else is as important as our faith. Pray: Help me to put you first, God.	11 Luke 6:46 God's name is holy. Think of a time when you have experienced the holiness of God. Pray: Your name is holy, Lord.	12 Isaiah 42:8 Have you ever had anyone misuse your name? How did that feel? Try to only use God's name when praying today. Pray: I call upon your name, Lord God.	13 Luke 17:20-21 When we ask for God's kingdom to come, we are asking that God's kingdom be present with us now. Pray: Help us to see your Kingdom on Earth.	14 Matthew 19:14 It makes us feel good to be independent, but we can't do everything on our own. We need God's help. Pray: Help me to rely on your power, Lord.	15 2 Corinthians 8:13-15 God's kingdom doesn't exist to serve one nation or people. Pray: Help me know your will, help me do your will.	16 1 John 3:18 Our actions speak louder than our words. Our actions help us demonstrate God's love. Pray: Help me love those who are difficult to love.
17 Mark 3:19b-35 It can be hard to know how we should follow God and what we should do. Our own ideas of what is right can get in the way. Pray: Not my will, but your own.	18 Luke 4:42-43 With parables, Jesus reminds us of the abundance of grace offered in the kingdom of God. Pray: Thank you, God, for the abundance you give to us.	19 Luke 13:29 When we ask for God's kingdom to come, we are asking for fairness and justice for the whole of creation. Pray: Lord, grant us justice, mercy, and peace.	20 Psalm 25:9 It is difficult to rely on God's will instead of our own. We always think we are right. Pray: Help me to understand your will.	21 Psalm 10:17-18 Issues of justice and oppression are sometimes hard for us to acknowledge or see. Pray: Open my eyes, Lord, that I may seek justice for those who have none.	22 Zechariah 7:9-10 We are naturally selfish and want our own desires to be met. That is not what God wants. Pray: God, help me want what you want.	23 Galatians 5:25 Lots of things influence and guide us; family, friends, entertainment, and the internet. God knows best how to guide us. Pray: Guide me with your Spirit.
24 Mark 6:30-44 God provides everything we need. It is sometimes difficult to know what we want instead of what we need. Pray: Help me to know the difference between wants and needs.	25 1 Peter 2:9 Sharing our faith is a scary idea. Most of us would like to keep faith a private matter. Pray: Grant me courage to share my faith.	26 Colossians 3:12 We chase after things that seem important and desire things that will never last. Pray: Clothe me in your compassion and grant me patience.	27 Proverbs 22:9 We are surrounded by people who are hungry and in need. Pray: Help me to share what I have so that others will not suffer.	28 2 Corinthians 9:8-9 Sometimes we confuse what we want with what we need and feel like we don't have enough. Pray: Help me see the abundance you give me each day.	29 Luke 15:1-2 Having a meal with someone is a way to get to know them better. Pray: Lord, help me welcome strangers to your table.	30 Deuteronomy 30:14 We need to feed our selves spiritually as well as physically each day. Pray: Let me know your word so that I may be filled with life.

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31 Luke 7:36-50 We can't take for granted the forgiveness that we have received in Christ Jesus. <i>Pray: Thank you for your forgiveness.</i>	April 1 Psalm 42:1-2 We are restless and unsettled and long for comfort in the Lord. <i>Pray: Be with me, Lord, and let me know your peace.</i>	2 Acts 2:42 Getting together with other Christians helps to strengthen your faith. <i>Pray: Be with us, Lord, as we gather together in your name.</i>	3 1 John 1:8-9 Trespasses, sins, or debts whatever word you chose, we are all guilty of them. <i>Pray: Forgive me, Lord!</i>	4 Romans 5:8 Through Jesus a debt has been paid that we could never pay on our own. <i>Pray: Thank you for your grace and mercy, Lord!</i>	5 Ephesians 4:31-32 Jesus asks us not to continue the cycle of retribution, but to let go of hurts and hate. <i>Pray: Help me to forgive!</i>	6 Galatians 6:1 There is no limit to forgiveness. We forgive others as we have been forgiven by God. <i>Pray: Help me not to be stingy with my forgiveness.</i>
7 Mark 14:32-42 We can be terribly distracted by our own interests and can keep from focusing on what is most important. <i>Pray: Help us to focus on you, Lord.</i>	8 Psalm 32:5 We do not need to be afraid that God will not forgive us. We do not need to try to hide our sin. <i>Pray: Thank you for forgiving me.</i>	9 Jeremiah 31:33a-34 The promise of forgiveness of sins is one which is written on our hearts. <i>Pray: Let me know you and your forgiveness, Lord.</i>	10 1 Corinthians 12-13 God does not tempt us. It is our own weakness that makes us feel tempted. <i>Pray: Save me from the time of trial.</i>	11 Ephesians 6:18 We can't avoid tests of our faith, but we can call upon God to help us when our faith is tested. <i>Pray: Help my faith to stay strong.</i>	12 Romans 7:21-25 When we want to do good it seems that evil is always nearby to try and make another way seem good. <i>Pray: Help me to know your ways, Lord.</i>	13 Hebrews 4:15-16 When we ask God to help us in times of trial, we acknowledge our weakness and need for help. <i>Pray: Help me to trust in your power, Lord.</i>
14 Romans 10:13 We know that God will deliver us from evil when we call upon the name of the Lord. <i>Pray: Be with us, Lord, and protect us from evil.</i>	15 Romans 8:18-19 Suffering is something that continues in the world because of evil. <i>Pray: Open my eyes that I may see suffering and act with compassion.</i>	16 Hebrews 2:8 Jesus knows our pain and suffering because he was fully human. <i>Pray: Help me when I suffer, Lord.</i>	17 2 Timothy 4:18 There is nothing that can keep us from experiencing the love of God. <i>Pray: Help me to remember that I belong to you, Lord.</i>	18 Maundy Thursday Philippians 4:4-7 As dark as things may seem, the darkness can never overcome the light of God. <i>Pray: Let your light shine in me.</i>	19 Good Friday John 1:14 We see the glory and grace of God revealed in the cross. <i>Pray: Let my life reflect that the glory and power are yours alone.</i>	20 Easter Vigil Ephesians 3:20-21 God continues to surprise and amaze us with the abundance of grace and mercy we receive. <i>Pray: Thank you for your love and grace.</i>

THE ART OF PRAYER

Prayer, Word, Creative Reflection, and Holy Communion

Wednesdays @ 7:00 – 8:00pm

March 13, 20, 27, April 3, 10

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Experience prayer, silence, sacred story, and fellowship to become more fully aware of the mystery of God's presence in our lives.

All ages and abilities are welcome.

Created artwork will be displayed in The Art of Prayer Art Show on April 7.

THE ART OF PRAYER

CONCERT & ART SHOW

Sunday, April 7 @ 3:00pm

Featuring CtK Choir & Instrumentalists and works of art