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 9:00 a.m. Adult Sunday School  
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 10:00 a.m. Worship Service (Sanctuary);  
 fellowship following in Fellowship Hall  
 4:00 p.m. Boy Scouts (Fellowship Hall)  
 5:30 p.m. Middle School Youth Group

Monday, March 24

2:45 p.m. Music Lessons (Upstairs)  
 5:30 p.m. Karate (Fellowship Hall)  
 6:00 p.m. Seaside Singers Rehearsal (Sanctuary)

Tuesday, March 25

8:00 a.m. Men's Prayer Breakfast  
 5:30 p.m. Women's Evening Bible Study  
 7:00 p.m. High School Youth Group

Wednesday, March 26

10:00 a.m. AA (Downstairs Classroom)  
 6:15 p.m. Choir Practice (Choir Room)

Thursday, March 27

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**Sunrise Columbarium & Memorial Garden Update:** The niches have been installed and the dedication is scheduled for Maundy Thursday, April 17. There are opportunities to make memorials, honorariums and donations for the dedication. Please see the form in the Narthex for details. If you are interested in purchasing a niche or memorial plaques, information is available during Fellowship, at [www.oursunrise.org](http://www.oursunrise.org) and at the church office. Memorial gifts and donations may be made to the Columbarium Fund to help support the construction and maintenance of the columbarium garden.

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Lenten Sermon Series: ***On the Way to the Cross***

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| Sunday, March 30 | <b><i>Garden of Gethsemane</i></b> (Mark 14:26-42)           |
| Sunday, April 6  | <b><i>Peter Denies Jesus Three Times</i></b> (Luke 22:54-62) |
| Sunday, April 13 | <b><i>Palm Sunday</i></b> (Luke 19:29-40)                    |
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