

UNITED EVANGELICAL CHURCH

"Where People Go To Church"

EAST AVENUE AND DILLON STREET - - BALTIMORE, MD.

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Our New Buildings as They Will Look When Completed

THIRD SUNDAY IN LENT, OCULI

March 15, 1936

WORSHIP SERVICES

YOUTH SERVICE
10.05 A.M.

PRELUDE (Enter quietly and prayerfully)

OPENING HYMN: "Holy, Holy, Holy"-Evang. Hymnal No. 146

OPENING SENTENCE:

God so loved the world that He gave His only Begotten Son, that whosoever believeth on Him should not perish, but have eternal life. (John 3:16)

Behold what manner of love the Father hath bestowed upon us, that we should be called children of God. (1 John 3:1)

HYMN: "There's a Wideness"--No. 188

RESPONSIVE SCRIPTURE READING: Isaiah 53

(In Appendix of Hymnbook Page 62, Selection 26)

SCRIPTURE RESPONSE: "Break Thou"--No. 153

POEM PRAYER--"Lord Jesus When We Stand Afar"

Lord Jesus when we stand afar And gaze upon thy
holy cross

In love of Thee, and scorn of self, O may we count
the world as loss!

When we behold Thy bleeding wounds, And the rough
way that Thou hast trod,

Make us to hate the load of sin That lay so heavy
on our God.

O Holy Lord, uplifted high, With outstretched arms,
in mortal woe,

Embracing in Thy wondrous love, The sinful world
that lies below.

Give us an everlasting faith To gaze beyond the
things we see;

And in the mystery of Thy death Draw us and all
men unto Thee. Amen

PRAYER RESPONSE: "Hear Father, Hear Our Prayer"

WORSHIP GOD THROUGH YOUR OFFERING

RESPONSE: "Saviour, Thy Dying Love"--No. 250

(As offering is brought forward, let us stand and sing first two verses of this hymn.)

HYMN: "When I Survey the Wondrous Cross"--No. 108

THE SERMON: "The Cross" (Interpretation of Cross)

(Quiet Meditation; As we look once more upon the cross, the central symbol and reality of our Christian religion, we are reminded that originally, the cross was only the symbol of shame and degradation. Then something happened and forever afterwards men have found salvation and not condemnation, life and not death, when they have taken it into their lives. May this quiet period of worship and thoughtfulness lead us to a better understanding of the cross.)

HYMN: "When I Survey the Wondrous Cross"--No. 108

THE BLESSING-QUIET PRAYER-POSTLUDE

ANNOUNCEMENTS

QUARTERLY CONGREGATION MEETING on Tuesday, March 17 at 7:30 P. M.

Wednesday German Lenten Service at 7:45 P.M.

In the Friday Lenten Worship Service at 7:45 P. M. two exceptionally beautiful and meaningful pictures will be used to illustrate the "Challenge of the Cross", - namely "To Live." One of the pictures is "Tree of Life" by Burne-Jones; the other "Anno Domini" by Dollman.

THE ROCK-Fine play re-produced on March 31 and April 2nd in the Sunday School Hall.

PRESENTATION of 1936 Confirmation class March 29 at 2:00 P. M. Pray for these young people.

IF SHUT-INS wish to partake of communion during Lent, please let the pastor know ahead of time, so that he can make necessary arrangements.

A sincere THANK YOU to anyone who helped in the giving of our annual treat to the inmates of City Hospitals.

EVENING WORSHIP

7:30 P. M.

PRELUDE and PRAISE

CALL TO WORSHIP: (Opening Meditation)

"There comes to my soul one sweet strain, A glad and joyous refrain; I sing it again and again, Sweet peace the gift of God's love.

Through Christ on the cross peace was made My debt by His death was all paid; No other foundation is laid for peace The gift of God's love.

Peace, Peace, sweet Peace! Wonderful gift from above! Oh wonderful, wonderful peace! Sweet peace, the gift of God's love!"

HYMN: "God Reveals His Presence"--No. 42

SCRIPTURE LESSON: Ephesians 2:13-22

RESPONSE--By Choir

CHOIR ANTHEM

PRAYER and RESPONSE

(Prayer-Thought from Jenny Lind-In vain I seek for rest In all created good; It leaves me still unblest And makes me cry for God! And safe at rest I cannot be Until my heart finds rest in Thee.)

ANNOUNCEMENTS

OFFERTORY and RESPONSE

HYMN: "Beneath the Cross of Jesus"--No. 102

THE SERMON: "He (Christ) is Our Peace"

"For He is our peace"--Ephesians 2:14

"It was the good pleasure of the Father-through Him to reconcile all things unto Himself, having made peace through the blood of the cross."
Colossians 1:20.

CHOIR ANTHEM

CLOSING HYMN: "Lord, Dismiss Us"--"No. 47-Verse 1

THE BLESSING--QUIET PRAYER--POSTLUDE