

# Life on the Road

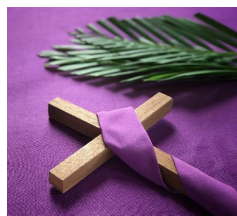
Updates from City Road Chapel



March 8, 2026

2nd Sunday

We're still looking for a few creative and dependable folks who would be interested in helping with our Sunday worship slides and media! If you'd like to learn how to prepare the Sunday Service slide presentation during the week or help run the cameras and slides on Sunday mornings, we would love to talk with you. Some basic computer expertise is needed for this role, along with a willingness to learn and serve. If you're interested, please talk to Angie or Susan.



Today marks the Third Sunday in Lent - a meaningful step in the 40-day journey toward Easter in the United Methodist Church. Lent is not just about giving up chocolate or soft drinks (though many of us feel that sacrifice

deeply). It is a season set aside for prayer, reflection, repentance, and renewed focus on Christ. The forty days mirror Jesus' time in the wilderness, reminding us that spiritual growth often happens in quiet, intentional moments rather than in grand celebrations.

By the Third Sunday in Lent, the newness of our Lenten commitments may be wearing off. This is often the point where Scripture gently nudges us to look inward and ask: Are we bearing fruit? Are we drawing closer to God, or just counting down the days until Easter candy arrives? The readings during this part of Lent frequently call us to turn our hearts back to God and to live out our faith in tangible ways.

The good news is that Lent is not about perfection; it's about preparation. Each Sunday in Lent is a small celebration of resurrection hope, reminding us that even in a season of reflection, grace is never in short supply. As we continue this journey together, may this Third Sunday in Lent encourage us to stay faithful, stay focused, and keep our eyes on the promise of Easter morning.

## This Week at City Road Chapel

### Sunday, March 8, 2026

- Praise Team Rehearsal – 8:00 a.m.
- Sunday Worship – 9:00 a.m.
- Discipleship Classes – 10:30 a.m.

### Monday, March 9

- Showers of Blessing – 7:00 a.m. to noon

### Wednesday, March 11

- Showers of Blessing – 7:00 a.m. to noon
- Wednesday Prayer via Zoom – 2:00 p.m.

### Thursday, March 12

- Men's Prayer Breakfast – 6:00 to 7:00 a.m.

### Sunday, March 15

- Praise Team Rehearsal – 8:00 a.m.
- Sunday Worship – 9:00 a.m.
- Discipleship Classes – 10:30 a.m.

## ✝ Faithful Servants ✝

### Greeter

- March 8 – Jim Neely

### Welcome Desk

- March 8 – Randy Moore
- March 15 – Robert Roberts

### Liturgists

- March 8 – Joy Campbell
- March 15 – Peggy Hickman

### Scripture Readers

- March 8 – Cooper Howell
- March 15 – Sheryl McIlvain