

Today's fruit is given by Charlotte Revell in honor of her baby brother, who is having a difficult season.

This week at Trinity

Today, February 22nd – Youth 4:00-5:30 PM (Chester)

Monday, February 23rd – Trinity Bells 7:00-8:00 PM

Tuesday, February 24th - Praise Team 7:00-8:30 PM

Wednesday, February 25th – Functional Fitness Class 10:00 AM

Wacky Wednesday 5:45-6:45 PM

Youth Bible Study 6:15-7:00 PM

Servant Leaders this week, February 22nd and 24th

Acolyte Jameson

Counters Joan and Kathy

Scripture Reader Judy Powell

Servant Leaders next week, March 1st and 3rd

Acolyte Kennedy

Counters Ginger and Sarah

Scripture Reader Zack Ugol



Give With Tithely

What the Lord requires from you is to do justice, embrace faithful love, and walk humbly with your God.

Micah 6:8

February 22, 2026



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*Gathering Song

O Worship the King, 73

*Call to Worship

Judy Powell

Today, we follow Jesus into a wilderness full of isolation, fatigue, hunger, thirst, and temptation.

We follow, trusting in God's mercy.

We witness Jesus resist the siren calls of sensationalism, notoriety, and misuse of power for selfish gain.

We recognize God's mercy at work in the face of temptation.

We notice the angels who tend Jesus, messengers of care in a harsh and lonely place.

We pay attention to God's merciful presence, that did not abandon Jesus and does not abandon us now.

We come to the wilderness together, clinging to the truth that we are not alone – God is with us.

We gather to worship God, whose unfailing mercy journeys with us into the wildernesses of our lives. Thanks be to God! Amen.

*Praise Songs

Love the Lord

Psalm 23 (I Am Not Alone)

Life in the Community

Shelby Beck

Children's Time

Our Lenten Journey

Choir Anthem

Footprints in the Sand

Prayer for the People

Sharing Our Gifts

Offertory

El Shaddai

*Praising God!

Doxology # 95

*Song of Grace

Have Thine Own Way, Lord, 382

The Gospel Reading

Matthew 4:1-11 Judy Powell

The Message

Angels Among Us

Invitation to the Table

Prayer of Confession

The Story of the Last Supper

Prayer of Thanksgiving

The Lord's Prayer Celtic Version

Holy One, beyond all names

Eternal Wellspring

May love rise again in us today

With food for every table

Shelter for every family

And reverence for every life.

Forgive us our failings in love

And free us from all falseness

That the light of our souls may shine

And the strength of our spirits endure

For Earth and all its people

This day, tonight, and forever. Amen

Receiving the Bread and Cup

*Sending Song

Holy Is the Lord

*Blessing