

**THIRD SUNDAY IN LENT**  
**11:00AM ANEW SERVICE**  
**SUNDAY, MARCH 12, 2023**

**GATHERING**

**\*OPENING SONG OF PRAISE**

*Holy Water*  
*Great Are You Lord*

**\*PASSING THE PEACE OF CHRIST**

As you take your seat please greet one another with the peace of Christ.  
Please sign the attendance register at your table.

**WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**CHILDREN'S MOMENT**

**NEW TESTAMENT LESSON**

John 4: 5-30

The Message

**WITNESS TO THE WORD**

“Sneaky Jesus”

Rev Laurie Brandes

**PASTORAL PRAYER AND THE LORD'S PRAYER**

**RECEPTION OF NEW MEMBERS**

**CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE:** We rejoice to recognize you as members of Christ's holy church, and bid you welcome to this congregation of the United Methodist Church. With you we renew our vows to uphold it by our prayers, our presence, our gifts, our service and our witness. With God's help we will so order our lives after the example of Christ, that surrounded by steadfast love, you may be established in the faith, and confirmed and strengthened in the way that leads to life eternal.

**SONG OF PRAISE**

*Broken Vessels*

**\*CLOSING SONG OF PRAISE AND OFFERTORY**

*Death Was Arrested*

(The offering basket is on the altar in the front of the worship space.)

**\*DISMISSAL WITH BLESSING**

\*Please stand as you are able

We officially welcome to our church family today Cori Fouche and Nick Doub! They have been a blessing to our Anew Crew for many months, and we are delighted that they join us by profession of faith today.