

## Weekly Calendar

### Sunday, March 8, 2026

8:30am - 12:30pm Childcare Available.....Alpha Rm  
 8:45am Contemporary Worship.....Centrum  
 9:00am Children's Church.....Sunday School Class  
 9:30am Fellowship Time .....Narthex  
 9:50am Confirmation Classes.....Omega  
 9:50am Children's Activity & Worship....Sunday School  
 10:00am Adult Bible School.....Cana Class  
 10:30am Chancel Choir Rehearsal.....Choir Rm  
 11:00am Traditional Worship.....Centrum  
 11:15am Children's Church.....Sunday School Class  
 1:30pm Opus Chorale.....Centrum  
 2:00pm Pickleball.....Gym  
 4:30pm Jubilate Choir.....Children's Choir Rm  
 4:30pm Chapel Choir.....Choir Rm  
 5:00pm Youth Group.....Potter Rm  
 6:00pm Lenten Prayer Gathering.....Centrum

### Monday, March 9, 2026

5:30pm Fife Street Bible Study.....Offsite  
 6:00pm Symphony Chorus.....Centrum

### Tuesday, March 10, 2026

10:30am Assistance Ministry.....Narthex  
 6:00pm womanSong Rehearsal.....Choir Rm

### Wednesday, March 11, 2026

1:00pm Yarnettes.....Potter Rm  
 5:30pm Chancel Ringers.....Centrum  
 6:30pm Chancel Choir Rehearsal.....Choir Rm

### Thursday, March 12, 2026

1:00pm UWif Bible Study.....Potter Rm

### Friday, March 13, 2026

12:00pm Al-Anon.....Omega

### Saturday, March 14, 2026

9:00am womanSong Rehearsal.....Centrum  
 5:30pm Buckskin Council Recognition.....Fellowship Hall

## Holy Week Worship Schedule

Palm Sunday, March 29 - 8:45am & 11:00am  
 Prayer Gathering, March 29 - 6:00pm, Centrum  
 Maundy Thursday, April 2, 6:30pm, Centrum  
 Good Friday, April 3, 12:05pm, Chapel  
 Holy Saturday Prayer Gathering - 12:00pm, Chapel  
 Easter Sunday Worship - 8:45am & 11:00am

## Weberwood School Backpack Ministry



For the month of March, we will be collecting oatmeal packets, individual servings of cereal, and pop-tarts. For financial donations, please mark "Weberwood Backpack Ministry" on your donation at Text-To-Give at 855-953-1471 or on your check so the donation is credited properly. Thank you for the continued support of the students at Weberwood.



### LAST WEEK'S WORSHIP ATTENDANCE

In Person	150
Online	257
<b>Total</b>	<b>407</b>



## Week's News & Events

March 8 - March 14, 2026

Sunday, March 8, 2026  
 Third Sunday in Lent

Rev. Dr. Timothy Bias, (Elder) Lead Pastor  
*"Holy Relationships"*  
 Matthew 5: 21-26

Rev. Ashley Wood, (Licensed Local Pastor)  
 Associate Pastor/Minister of Children & Youth

Rev. David Donathan, (Deacon)  
 Minister of Worship Arts/Organist

Rev. Dr. Randy Flanagan  
 Pastor Emeritus

Emily Donathan, Liturgist

Lydia Moore, Childcare  
 Alpha Room (Potter Room Level)

Today's altar flowers are given to the glory of God by Bob and Lenore Tweel in celebration of Kathryn's baptism on March 9, 1997.

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## Check Out This Week's Blog by Rev. Dr. Timothy Bias



### Becoming a Person of Hospitality

My fourth grade Sunday school teacher, Mary, would greet me every Sunday at the classroom door with the words, "Timmy, I knew you were going to be here this morning." Then with a welcoming hug, she would send me into the classroom to meet other classmates who had gathered. As I entered the room, I would hear her say, "Nancy, I knew you were going to be here this morning." When I would look back, she would be hugging Nancy and sending her into the room to meet the rest of us. Mary greeted us as if she had been waiting all week for us and as if we were the most important people she knew.

To read Tim's blog, go to <https://www.transformingmission.org/>



### One Bag at a Time

Bags are available in the Narthex. Take one, fill it with the circled items, and return it to help stock our Blessing Closet.

## Lenten Prayer Gathering Sunday Evenings in March



Throughout the month of March, you are invited to attend an evening prayer gathering in the Centrum, which will begin at 6:00pm each Sunday evening. The gathering will last about 50-60 minutes and include singing and moments of personal and corporate prayer. The final gathering will be held on Holy Saturday, April 4, at noon in the Chapel, the day between Christ's crucifixion and resurrection.



A Golden Jubilee Organ Recital Series celebrating the 50<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the Centrum Organ and the installation of the Antiphonal Organ.

### Paul Fey

Sunday, March 29 - 2:00pm  
<https://www.youtube.com/c/paulfey>  
[paulfeyorganist.com](http://paulfeyorganist.com)

### Janette Fishell

Sunday, May 10 - 2:00pm  
<https://janettefishellorganist.com>

The concerts are free and open to the public.

The concerts will also be livestreamed on Christ Church's Facebook page, YouTube Channel and church website.

A reception will follow each concert.

## Check Out This Week's Podcast by Rev. Dr. Timothy Bias



### Podcast Update

We're switching things up this week. Instead of a regular episode, we're sharing a short, 3-minute update on why we're dropping three episodes next week, instead of our weekly episodes. We'll be back next week with 3 episodes and return to our normal weekly podcast episodes on February 24.

To listen to Tim's podcast, go to <https://www.transformingmission.org/>

## Come Walk the Labyrinth



The Memorial Prayer Labyrinth will be available for use throughout the Lenten season. A brief meditation will be available for use as you take this personal time with God. The labyrinth is available Monday-Thursday 7am-5pm and Friday 7am-noon.