

**March 8, 2026**

**Four Facets of Faithfulness**

**Selected Scriptures NKJV**

1. Faithfulness and truth.

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2. Faithfulness because.

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3. Faithfulness begets.

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3. Faithfulness reproduces.

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**THIS WEEK: MARCH 8 - 15**

Sunday morning prayer 8:30 AM in room 207	3/8
Sunday school for all ages 9 AM <i>nursery room 110</i>	3/8
Coffee fellowship time 10 AM in the Fireside room	3/8
Koins for Kids / Missions / Children's Church 10:30 AM <i>nursery room 205</i>	3/8
Facebook Livestream 10:30 AM	3/8
Good News Club, Youth Group, Adult Groups 6-7:30 PM	3/8
CMA Youth Basketball playoff week	March 9-12
Ladies' Bible Study 9:30 AM room 103	3/10
No volleyball (basketball playoffs)	3/10
No Wednesday Prayer (basketball playoffs)	3/11
Youth Basketball Awards Banquet 5:30 PM	3/14
Morning Worship 10:30 AM <i>nursery room 205</i>	3/15
Good News Club, Youth Group, Adult Groups 6-7:30 PM	3/15

**UPCOMING EVENTS & MEETINGS**

Creative Grace ladies' event 6 PM	3/16
Ladies' Bible Study 9:30 AM room 103	3/17
Volleyball ages 15 and up 6:00 PM	3/17
Board of Ministries Tuesday @ 7 PM	3/17
Wednesday Prayer 7 PM room 105	3/18
Elder Board Thursday @ 7 PM	3/19
First Day of Spring	3/20
Mahaffey Camp Mother / Daughter Getaway	March 20-21
Missions Emphasis	March 25-29
Missions Soup & Sandwich luncheon at noon	3/29
Mahaffey Camp Ladies' Charity Tea	4/11
Western PA District Alliance Women's Retreat	April 24-25

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**Welcome and Announcements**

**Verse of the Month: 1 John 2:15-16 NIV**

Do not love the world or anything in the world. If anyone loves the world, love for the Father is not in them. For everything in the world – the lust of the flesh, the lust of the eyes, and the pride of life – comes not from the Father but from the world.

**Meet and Greet**

**“Those Who Wait”**

**Acknowledgement of God’s Presence**

**Koins for Kids & Missions Moment**

**Our Worship in Giving**

**“Your Love Never Fails”**

**“Nothing But the Blood”**

**“Build My Life”**

**Children’s Church Dismissal**

ages 3 – 3<sup>rd</sup> grade

**Message: “Four Facets of Faithfulness”**

**“Thank You, Jesus”**

**Parting Prayer**

**WELCOME!**

We start with Jesus—He is the One who is the source of our love, the cause of our worship, and the core of our message. Acts 1:8— We rely on Holy Spirit filling as we seek to fulfill our calling to every segment of society. Family—We are at our best when we do this together—serving in a local church and among a community of local churches. *We sincerely welcome you today!* If you are a first-time guest, we invite you to stop by the table in the narthex to select a gift from us.

**BAPTISM**

Please see Pastor Jones if you are considering baptism for the April 5th Resurrection Sunday service.

**CREATIVE GRACE**

All ladies are invited to the next Creative Grace event on Monday, March 16, from 6:00 PM – 7:30 PM. We are making items for the Operation Christmas Child shoeboxes. *A sign-up sheet is on the narthex table.*

**MAHAFFEY YOUTH CAMPS SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION**

**Attention parents!** In the narthex you will find a scholarship application form and a brochure with the youth camps registration form inside it. Complete both forms and submit them to the office or in an offering plate as soon as possible. *See Brenda Troutman with any questions.*

**UPCOMING EVENTS**

**MOTHER/DAUGHTER GETAWAY:** March 20 & 21 at Mahaffey Camp

**LADIES’ CHARITY TEA:** April 11 from 11:00 AM – 1:30 PM at Mahaffey Camp.

**ALLIANCE WOMEN’S RETREAT:** April 24-25 at Greensburg Alliance.

*More information is available in the narthex.*

**LOOKING AHEAD**

Youth Basketball Playoffs	March 9-12
No Volleyball	March 10
No Wednesday Prayer	March 11
Youth Basketball Banquet	March 14
Board of Ministries	March 17
Elder Board	March 19
Missions Emphasis	March 25-29
Missions soup & sandwich luncheon	March 29

**NEW POLICY**

The Elders have approved a new policy that prohibits any sales from taking place in our Sanctuary; other areas of our Church are open for those types of approaches. Please remember that our current policy does not permit any offerings or events to be presented to our Fellowship without Elder approval. Thank you, The Elders

**OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD**

**MARCH FOCUS: “WOW” ITEMS:** Doll, stuffed animal, nylon drawstring bag, small tool set, small sewing kit, dress-up items, costume jewelry, small Lego sets, flashlight (*hand crank, solar-powered, or battery operated*), deflated ball & pump.

**THANK YOU**

*We would like to give a huge thank you to everyone who helped make our hoagie sale a successful one! We sold a total of 1,302 hoagies and pizzas, and this will go a long way in helping to offset operational costs. Thank you so much!*  
Rainbow Express preschool staff

Attendance Last Week		2026 Finances	Needed Weekly	Received
Inside	119	3/1/2026	\$7,031.51	\$6,383.30
Facebook	39	3/8/2026	\$7,031.51	
Online	4	3/15/2026	\$7,031.51	
Total	162	3/22/2026	\$7,031.51	

# CALL TO PRAYER

MARCH 2026



## 30 DAYS OF PRAYER DURING RAMADAN

This month is Ramadan, one of the most spiritually significant seasons for Muslims. In our country of over 10 million people, more than 99 percent identify as Muslim. It is located within the 10/40 Window, a region of the world located between 10 and 40 degrees north of the equator, stretching across North Africa, the Middle East, and much of Asia. This region includes many of the world's least-reached people groups, where only a very small percentage of the population identifies as Christian and many may live their entire lives without ever meeting a believer. It is home to billions, yet has limited access to the gospel, fewer churches, and far fewer Christian workers compared to other parts of the world.

During Ramadan, families fast from sunrise to sunset, devote themselves to prayer, and seek forgiveness and spiritual renewal. For many, this is the most spiritually open time of the year. As family in Christ, we approach this season not with criticism, but with compassion and urgency, recognizing that many are sincerely seeking God but with little opportunity to hear the hope of the gospel. Therefore, we pray boldly and lovingly—that God would reveal Himself through dreams, Scripture, relationships, and courageous

local believers; that doors would open in homes, universities, and sports communities; and that this Ramadan would become a season of salvation and lasting spiritual breakthrough in our country.

We are committing to 30 days of prayer during the month of Ramadan, remembering that God is not distant from this country. He sees every fasting family, every searching heart, every questioning student, and every quiet seeker, and He is the God who reveals Himself to them.

Please pray that this Ramadan will not end without eternal impact. Pray that what began as spiritual hunger would become true salvation. Also pray for the Holy Spirit's work beyond these 30 days, that He would protect new believers, strengthen local leaders, and establish healthy churches. Pray that He would raise up workers from within our country to carry the gospel further than we ever imagined. And pray for unity across nations, languages, and cultures, as one Body, contending together for His Kingdom.

“Now to Him who is able to do immeasurably more than all we ask or imagine” (Eph. 3:20).

| by international workers serving with aXcess in Central Asia

## FINDING PEACE AMID CHAOS

We have been diligent to connect with our refugee and immigrant friends who are living in fear because of recent events in our area of Minnesota. Many of them are being retraumatized after facing similar threats in their home countries. We are seeking to offer support through presence, encouragement, prayer, and practical needs.

At a recent gathering at our Community Night at church, many of our neighbors came. A group of three young adults came because of something they saw on social media about our community night. They were looking for a place of peace away from the chaos around us. The church has a simplistic website, and we are not on any social media platforms. So, we know that it was the Lord who brought them!

We also restarted Somali homework help with Crown College students recently. The families have been feeling anxious because of the unrest here, but I was able to have a gospel conversation with one of the moms and her children recently. Also, a volunteer was able to have an open door to share from Luke 15 with her student.

Please pray for us as we continue to discern where we can be of most help and encouragement and for us to have a presence of love. And please pray for His light in the darkness!

| by Shelly, serving with Envision in Twin Cities

## UNIQUE WAYS OF BUILDING RELATIONSHIPS

We have felt the Lord's leading to a unique opportunity that has presented itself to serve our refugee community through our ministry at Envision Acre Farms. Our fully functioning farm exists to serve the refugee community through development, employment, community engagement, and food provision.

Many of our refugee friends are Muslim and will only eat meat that is halal. They do not trust the meat available in local grocery stores or trust that it is processed halal. We believe we can serve our friends by providing a trustworthy source of meat without questionable preparation methods. So, we are pursuing a license with the state of Georgia that would allow us to sell meat directly to the refugee community as whole animals or in smaller portions. We also believe that through this connection with refugees, we can build relationships. And through strong relationships, gospel conversations can freely flow!

We are compiling all the requirements and will submit our application within the coming weeks, so please pray for a smooth process as we connect with different members of the Georgia Department of Agriculture. Also, please pray for our growing herd and that these animals will serve our community well, as over 30 goats and lambs have been born to our farm in February!

| by Matt and Stephanie, serving with Envision in Atlanta

TO ACCESS ADDITIONAL PRAYER REQUESTS, PLEASE VISIT [CMALLIANCE.ORG/PRAY](http://cmalliance.org/pray).

Thank you for praying for Alliance workers and for the people with whom they share the gospel. To receive the *Call to Prayer* and weekly prayer requests via email, subscribe at [cmalliance.org/pray](http://cmalliance.org/pray). Alliance ministries are supported by gifts to the Great Commission Fund.



# Easter Flowers

HONOR THOSE YOU LOVE THIS EASTER WITH A BEAUTIFUL FLOWER. ORDERS AND PAYMENT MAY BE PLACED IN AN OFFERING PLATE **BY MARCH 15**. SCAN THE QR CODE BELOW TO PAY ONLINE.

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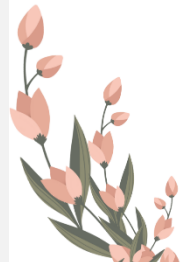
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# Holy Week

## Palm Sunday, March 29

9:00 AM Sunday School

10:30 AM Morning Worship

Noon - Missions Soup & Sandwich Luncheon (sign up)

No Sunday night groups

## Maundy Thursday, April 2

6:00 PM IN THE FIRESIDE ROOM

The Maundy Thursday Service is centered on a three-part remembrance of Jesus' Last Supper. We will share a Common Meal (Chicken, rolls & beverages provided; bring a side dish or dessert to share), celebrate Communion, and participate in a foot washing (bring a small towel.) This service is a blessed time in which we remember the sacrifice of our Lord.

## Good Friday, April 3

6:00 PM IN THE SANCTUARY

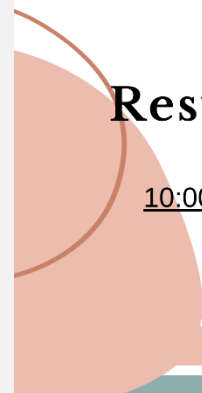
All are welcome to join us as we remember the depth of Jesus' love and sacrifice through this special service.

## Resurrection Sunday, April 5

No Sunday School

10:00 AM Morning Worship with Communion & Baptism

No Sunday night groups



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