



March 12, 2026

Contact the VSUMC Church Office at: 217-222-7468 or office@vsumc.org

Calendar of Events

- Sunday, March 15th
Fourth Sunday of Lent

9 am — Worship Service

10:15 am — Sunday School

11 am — Connection Worship

6:30 pm — Lenten Service
at Sunset Home

- Monday, March 16th

9:00 am — Care team

3:00 pm - Lenten Study

4:30 pm — Vacation Bible
School Meeting

5:30 pm — Evangelism
Community Care & Fun and
Fellowship

- Tuesday, March 17th
Happy St. Patrick's Day

9:00 am — Quilters

- Wednesday, March 18th

4:45 pm — Praise Team

5:00 pm — Lenten Study

6pm — Bell Choir

7:00 pm — Chancel Choir

- Sunday, March 22nd
Fifth Sunday of Lent

9 am — Worship Service

10:15 am — Sunday School

11 am — Connection Worship

6:30 pm — Lenten Service
at Union UMC

Sunday Worship:

Sermon Title: Who Sinned?

Scripture: John 9: 1 – 41

Lenten Study

Wednesdays at 5 pm

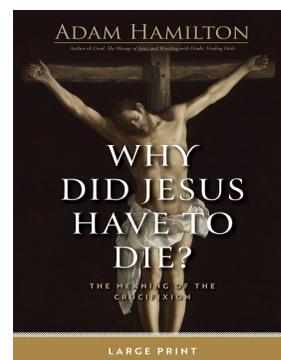
Mondays at 3pm

Book & Video study.

Why Did Jesus Have to Die?

by Adam Hamilton.

Books are \$20.00



Donations Needed

Can you help?

We need individually wrapped candy as well as small toys and games (balls, bubbles, jump ropes, chalk).

Please consider donating.

We will have a One Minute Mission between services on March 29, 2026 to fill the Easter Eggs and get them ready for the hunt!



Lent – Easter Offering

Our offering this year will be split three ways:

SLEEP IN HEAVENLY PEACE

Offering will go towards the Sleep in Heavenly Peace bed build. Which will be held in October.

UNMET NEEDS

We help people in the Quincy area through our participation in this organization.

SHEPHERDS FUND

This fund is used solely to assist those in our congregation or connected to our congregation with need that might arise.



March Birthdays

3	Brian Barnes
3	Don Larson
3	Breanne Rischar
4	Jana Priepot
7	Alyssa Livesay
10	Ava Barnes
10	Samantha Barnes
10	Mary Schardon
11	Brad Billings
15	Todd Buckley
16	Bonnie Billings
18	Cinda Barnes
18	Candy Scott
22	Jennifer Brown
24	John Staff
31	Carolyn Brown

March

Anniversaries

24	Ryan & Carla Fierge
30	Terry & Jana Priepot

**Sunday
March
15th**

9 am Greeters

9 am Ushers

Alan & Judy
VanDeBoe

11 am Ushers

Justin & Nathalie
Messan

Gathering Place Host

Suzi Duker



Labyrinth



The Labyrinth will be available in the church Fellowship Hall starting Friday March 28th until after Easter. You may walk the Labyrinth anytime the Church building is open. A reminder, Church Offices are closed Good Friday.

Palm Sunday: 8 am—12 pm

Monday: 8 am—2 pm Wednesday: All Day

Tuesday: 8 am—2 pm Thursday: 8 am—2 pm

A Thank You from Elanor Dennis

Thank you, thank you, thank you, for my 100th Birthday Party.

From the song. “ Happy Birthday To You” to the pink cake, gifts, bouquets of flowers, phone calls and framed pictures for my gallery.

I really appreciate their efforts and I am ready for another 100.
Eleanor Dennis

A Thank You from Loretta Hyslop

Thanks to our church family, for being there for myself and Harold during our difficult time. We do appreciated the cards, calls, visits, good foods. Special thanks to the WOW team, and the UWF, and sewing group for your donations. Through church and family you made it possible for us to receive a back door ramp so I can get to appointments and hopefully to some church things soon. I still have a long road ahead and doing my best to be patient. With grateful hearts we thank you.
Loretta & Harold Hyslop

**2026 Lent Services
The Road to Galvary**

Date:	Time:	Preaching:	Location:
February 22	6:30 pm	Marty Pressey	Bethel AME
March 1	6:30 pm	Rachel Stockle	First Baptist
March 8	6:30 pm	Orville Jones	Melrose Chapel UMC
March 15	6:30 pm	Kyle Frink	Sunset Home
March 22	6:30 pm	Tara Hayes	Union UMC
March 29	6:30 pm	Carl Terry	Vermont Street UMC

Flower of the Month—March

March Flowers are Daffodils



If you have prayer requests that you would like to have lifted on **Sunday** mornings during worship, please send them to Pastor Rachel at pastor@vsumc.org or 222-7468 by the day before, Saturdays at noon.