Create in me a clean heart, O God, And renew a right spirit within me. Create in me a clean heart, O God, And renew a right spirit within me.

Cast me not away from thy presence, O Lord. Take not Thy Holy Spirit from me. Restore unto me the joy of Thy salvation And renew a right spirit within me.

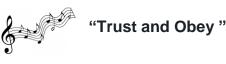
"Open Our Eyes" II-42

Open our eyes, Lord, we want to see Jesus; To reach out and touch Him and say that we love Him. Open our ears, Lord, and help us to listen. Open our eyes, Lord, we want to see Jesus.



Scripture 1: Psalm 51:1-12 (p.813)

Scripture 2: John 12:20-33 (p. 1532)



Faith and Engagement

No. 320 (Red Praise)

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Prayers of the Pastor and the People with Praise and Thanksgiving



share briefly names & situations to lift to God in prayer – we know God is more than able to hold all we offer & God knows the details! Lord in Your mercy...**Hear our prayer**

Blessing



"Halle, Halle, Halle-Iujah (X3) Hallelujah, Hal-Ie-Iu-jah!"

Prayer Concerns

Prayer person: Jean Schanbacher Prayer young person: Eve Golden Prayer theme for young adults: school/work All medical professionals, emergency responders & those serving in hospitals, nursing homes & care facilities Military folks & family - the USA & all those in leadership S-VE School Board members, administrators, teachers & others North Spencer Christian Academy Church Finances Food Cupboard United Methodist Church of Halsey Valley

Calendar

Monday -- 10AM Deacons Mtg Monday -- 6PM AA Wednesday -- 6AM Men's Bible Study Wednesday -- 11AM Adult Study Wednesday -- 6PM (Federated Church) Lenten Community Service Friday -- 11AM Women's Bible Study Friday -- Choir Friday -- Spencer Singers Friday -- Chair Yoga

Community Events:

Mon. 10AM Story Hour @ Spencer Library Wed. 4-5:30PM <u>Open Hearts Dinner @ Mckendree UMC</u> <u>**TAKE OUT ONLY</u>**

3rd Thurs. 10-11:30AM Mom-to-Mom group @ Inspire (57 E. Tioga St. Spencer)

3rd Fri. 11:30-12:30PM Sr. Social Hour @ Inspire RSVP @ 607-687-4120 INFO

**Candor Events: Home (candornychamber.org)

3/18: <u>6-7:15PM</u> Mental Health Hero Event @ SVE Middle School Library

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3/19: <u>12noon-9PM</u> Village of Spencer Elections (Spencer Municipal Building)

3/20: <u>4-6:30PM</u> Lions Club Winter Dinner (#3!)

3/21: <u>7PM</u> SVE HS presents "Once Upon a Mattress" (<u>INFO</u>, @HS Auditorium)

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3/23: <u>2-4PM</u> Spencer Library 3rd Annual TEA PARTY! (<u>INFO</u>; municipal room)

3/23: <u>5-7PM</u> N.Spencer Christian Academy Pancake Breakfast (INFO @721 Ithaca, Rd)

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Library happenings:

@ Spencer Library

 \underline{N} on-perishables are available in the front entryway to the library (if you'd like to donate - donations can be received during open hours)

*** Story Hour Mondays @ 10AM ***

Saturdays: 2nd & 4th Saturday - 11AM Garden Club Mtg

@ Van Etten Library (<u>LINK</u> for their website/hours/calendar) Hours: Mon: 1-5PM; Wed & Fri: 11AM-1PM & 2PM-5PM Fridays: <u>10AM Family Story time w/Emily</u> (all ages & caregivers welcome)

Mondays <u>2PM Meditation Mondays</u> (short, secular, beginners welcome)

Christ the King Fellowship Presbyterian **#love** March 10, 2024 – 11:00 AM



Welcome

Prelude "Be Thou My Vision"

arr by Gordon Young

Call to Worship (Cole Arthur Riley in Black Liturgies; Isaiah 40:31) Praise to the God who is well acquainted with the wilderness but will never abandon us to it. Amen. ...those who wait for the LORD shall renew their strength; they shall mount up with wings like eagles; they shall run and not be weary; they shall walk and not faint.



(The Doxology) ♪ Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; Praise *Him, all creatures here below; Praise *Him above, ye heavenly host; Praise Father, Son, andHoly Ghost. Amen (Blue Hymnal No. 592)



" Open My Eyes That I May See" No. 324 (Blue Hymnal)

Confession (from BCW: Litany of Penitence) ... Have mercy on us, O God. Have mercy on us, O God.



[silent prayer & reflection; let the Holy Spirit identify any sin that needs confessing - offer it to God &

let it go] Assurance of Pardon & Gloria Patri



Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost. As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen. Amen (Blue No. 579)

"Open My Eyes That I May See" Shirley Erena Murray

1 Open my eyes that I may see glimpses of truth thou hast for me. Place in my hands the wonderful key that shall unclasp and set me free. Silently now I wait for thee, ready, my God, thy will to see. Open my eyes, illumine me, Spirit divine!

2 Open my ears that I may hear voices of truth thou sendest clear, and while the wave notes fall on my ear, ev'rything false will disappear. Silently now I wait for thee, ready, my God, thy will to see. Open my ears, illumine me, Spirit divine!

3 Open my mouth and let me bear gladly the warm truth ev'rywhere. Open my heart and let me prepare love with thy children thus to share. Silently now I wait for thee, ready, my God, thy will to see. Open my mouth, illumine me, Spirit divine! <u>"Trust and Obey"</u> John H. Sammis
1. When we walk with the Lord in the light of His Word, What a glory He sheds on our way!
While we do His good will, He abides with us still, And with all who will trust and obey.

- *Refrain:* Trust and obey, for there's no other way To be happy in Jesus, but to trust and obey.
- 2. Not a shadow can rise, not a cloud in the skies, But His smile quickly drives it away; Not a doubt or a fear, not a sigh or a tear, Can abide while we trust and obey.
- Not a burden we bear, not a sorrow we share, But our toil He doth richly repay; Not a grief or a loss, not a frown or a cross, But is blessed if we trust and obey.
- But we never can prove the delights of His love Until all on the altar we lay; For the favor He shows, for the joy He bestows, Are for them who will trust and obey.
- Then in fellowship sweet we will sit at His feet, Or we'll walk by His side in the way; What He says we will do, where He sends we will go; Never fear, only trust and obey.