
Subject: Pastor's Weekly Email

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Beloved.

The First Sunday in Lent begins with: *Jesus, full of the Holy Spirit, returned from the Jordan [where he had been baptized] and was led by the Spirit in the wilderness, where for forty days he was tempted by the devil.* God needed to know from the start who Jesus would be working for. And, Jesus needed self-knowledge at the outset of his ministry. The sermon title is *Can I Entice You...?* There'll be some interaction at the beginning of the sermon where there will be some questions, and your spoken response (hopefully!) will be, **Get behind me, Satan!***😈

The music for Sunday highlights African-American composers in honor of Black History Month. We'll hear Duke Ellington's *Come Sunday* sung by Paul Shimer, and the offertory will be *Ain't Got Time to Die*. Our hymns will be *Woke Up This Morning (with my mind stayed on Jesus)*, *I'm So Glad Jesus Lifted Me*, and *I Shall Not Be Moved*. While not written by an African-American composer, we will most appropriately have the Little Bells thrill us with *How Great Thou Art*.

See you Come Sunday! Are you prepared to face **temptation**?

February 14 Scripture: Luke 4:1-13

<http://bible.oremus.org/?ql=228286031>

Happy Valentine's Day!💕🏡,
Rev. Suz, Interim Senior Pastor

Reminder..

Lenten Bible Study, tonight at 6:30 PM in the Library followed by **Line Dancing** at 7:30 PM in Fellowship Hall

Pairs and Spares, Game Night, tomorrow, Saturday, February 13, 5 PM in Fellowship Hall
*Isaiah 14:12-17 How you are fallen from heaven, O Day Star, son of Dawn! How you are cut down to the ground, you who laid the nations low! You said in your heart, 'I will ascend to heaven; I will raise my throne above the stars of God; I will sit on the mount of assembly on the heights of Zaphon; I will ascend to the tops of the clouds, I will make myself like the Most High.' But you are brought down to Sheol, to the depths of the Pit. Those who see you will stare at you, and ponder over you: 'Is this the man who made the earth tremble, who shook kingdoms, who made the world like a desert and overthrew its cities, who would not let his prisoners go home?'



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