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Sermon Notes

Steps for the Narrow Way "Harness Momentum"

Luke 8:16-18 (p. 731)

To find notes and discussion questions on this week's and previous week's sermons, click on the QR code to the right or go to firstprotestant.com/sermon-study/.
New material posted weekly, at noon on Monday.



Prelude
"O Sacred Head, Once Wounded" by J. Kuhnau - Kirsten Boyd, organ

Welcome - Pastor Andrew Keuer

Scriptural Call to Worship - Luke 13:22-24

Call to Worship
Wilt Thou Forgive (Prayer of John Donne) by W.B. Roberts
FPC Sanctuary Choir

***Hymn** "Lord, Who Throughout These Forty Days"
Lyrics printed on opposite

***Apostles' Creed**
I believe in God the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth, and in Jesus Christ, His only begotten Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead and buried. He descended into hell; the third day He rose again from the dead; He ascended into heaven, and sitteth at the right hand of God the Father, Almighty; from thence he shall come to judge the living and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the One Holy Universal Christian Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body and life everlasting. Amen

Gloria Patri "Kyrie" by M. Maher
The congregation should sing along on the words
Kyrie Eleison, Lord Have Mercy & Christe Eleison, Christ Have Mercy

Service of Prayer and Lord's Prayer - Kai Burroughs
Using debts and debtors

Hymn (#518) "All Praise to Thee, My God"
Scripture Reading - Luke 8:16-18 (p.731) - Dustin Williams

Anthem
"Behold the Lamb of God" from Messiah by G.F. Handel
FPC Sanctuary Choir

Message Steps for the Narrow Way "Harness Momentum"
Rev. Dr. Andrew Keuer

Offertory
"Create in Me a Clean Heart, O God" by C. Mueller
Michael Lee-Kapsalis, tenor

*** Doxology (#382)**
*** Prayer of Thanksgiving**
***Hymn (#513)** "God, Whose Giving Knows No Ending"

Blessing

Postlude

** Denotes to please stand, if able*

"Lord, Who Throughout These Forty Days"

1. Lord, who throughout these forty days. For us didst fast and pray, Teach us with Thee to mourn our sins, and close by Thee to stay.
2. As Thou with Satan didst contend, And didst the victory win, O give us strength in Thee to fight, In Thee to conquer sin.
3. As Thou didst hunger bear, and thirst, so teach us, gracious Lord, To die to self, and chiefly live, by Thy most holy Word.
4. And through these days of penitence, and through Thy passiontide, Yea, evermore in life and death, Jesus, with us abide.
5. Abide with us, that so, this life of suffering over past, An Easter of unending joy we may attain at last.

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P R E S E N T S
Easter Egg Hunt on the Lawn

A family fun charity event Saturday, April 12, 2025, 10 am

A FREE age leveled Easter egg hunt

First Protestant Church
172 W Coll St, New Braunfels, TX 78130

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 providing debt free access to skills and capital
 for female entrepreneurs under the poverty line
 to start their own businesses in Uganda.

The event will go live on April 12th at 10 am



PALM SUNDAY
APRIL 13TH
BRUNCH & PALM WALK

The whole family is invited
 to join us for brunch and
 our Palm Walk at 10:30am
 with a real Donkey!



Palm procession
 at the start of
 each service
 9:30 am & 11:00 am



Good Friday - April 18, 2025
Schumann Hall - 6:30 pm
Join us for a Passover Meal

Commemorating "The Lord's Supper", the New Covenant
 with Jesus Christ being the sacrificial lamb for humanity.

& Crosswalk

The flowering of the cross represents the
 transition from Good Friday to Easter, from
 meditation on Jesus' death to joyful celebration
 of his resurrection. The ceremony transforms a
 barren cross, a reminder of Jesus' death, into an
 Easter symbol. Covered with fresh, living flowers,



Sunday School

Sundays, 9:30am Adult Sunday School Classes

The River Rats! (Heritage House, 1st floor) - Rodney Fischer

Sundays, 9:30am Youth Sunday School Classes

Middle School (Bormann Room) Jodi Butler

High School (Bormann Room) Adam Burroughs

Sundays, 11:00am Adult Sunday School Classes

Faithful Servants (Heritage House upstairs) – Lynn Herr

Legacy Builders (Heritage House main level) – Celeste Salge

Kingdom Seekers/C.A.L.M. Class (Heritage House upstairs)

Wayne Wise, Chris and Kristi Beabout

Young Family Class (Heritage House) - Dustin Williams and Nick Allen

Mid Week Groups

Band of Brothers (B.o.B.s) – Chris Beabout - 830-560-0262

The B.o.B's meet on the 1st and 3rd Tuesday of each month. Open to men
 of all ages, 6:30-8:00PM in the Well at FPC. No bible experience necessary.
 Please join us.

Tuesday AM Women's Bible Study - Kaye Polston 214-616-9608

The Women's Bible Study is a diverse group of all ages and denominations.
 We meet every Tues. morning at 10 am in the church office. We welcome
 all women to join as we seek to expand our faith and knowledge.

Tuesday Evening Women's Bible Study - Sue Saur 830-708-0302

Resumes Jan 14th - 7:00 pm. Studying The Cross in Four Words, by Kevin DeYoung.
 (Book is available on Amazon) Text 830-708-0302 for more information.

Flying Fingers (Heritage House) - Sally Voges 830-708-8707

Wednesday mornings at 9:00 for a time of sewing, quilting, fellowship & more!
 Contact Sally Voges for more info.

Home Groups

Susan and Tim Thomas - Wednesdays, 6:30 pm timcthomas84@gmail.com

Today



Altar Flowers are placed in honor of
Tina Lindeman's Birthday on March 28th.
given by her family.

This week's radio broadcast is sponsored by
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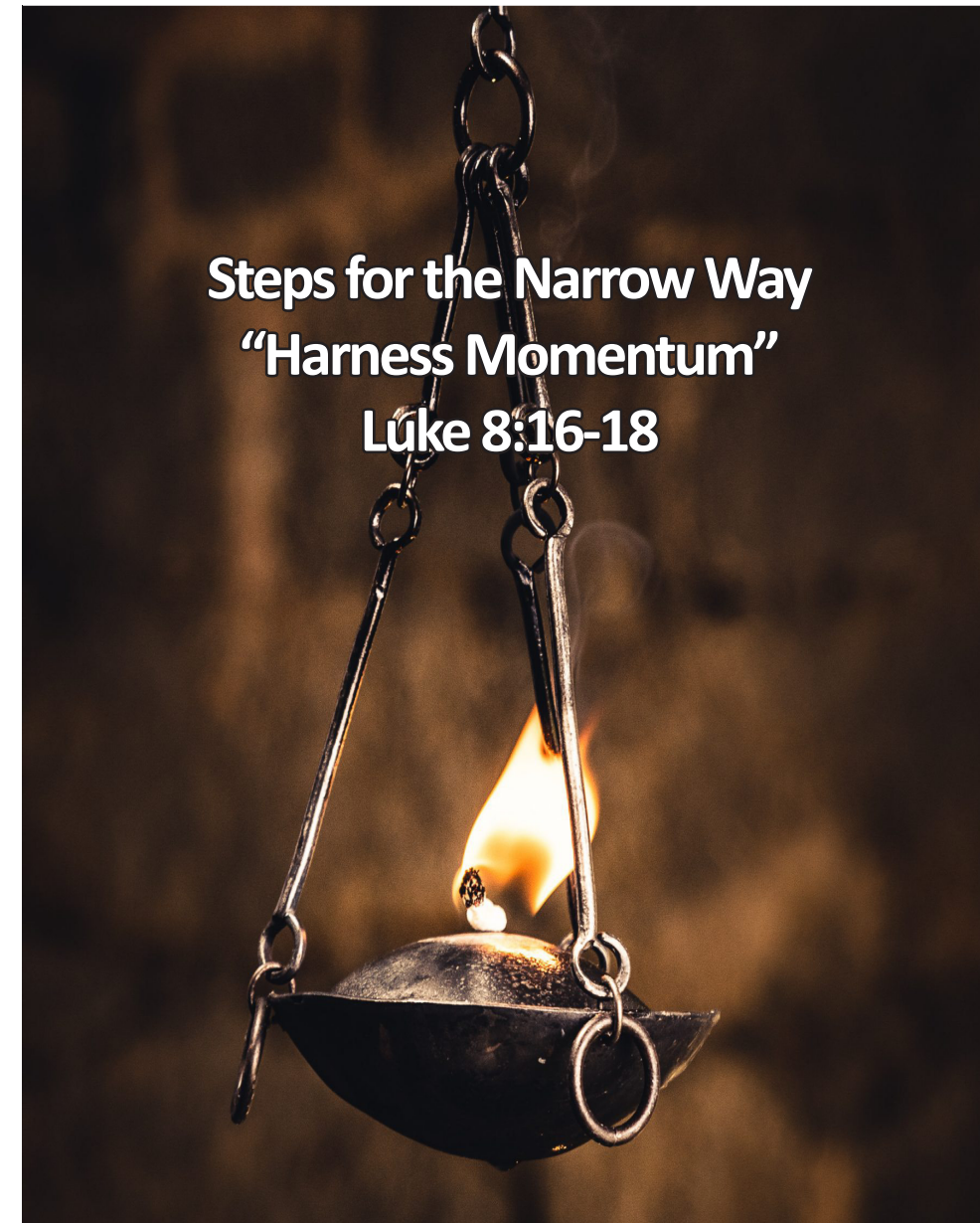
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March 23, 2025
First Service - 9:30am
Third Sunday in Lent



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