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UCOM is still in need of **cereal**. Sara Mitchell 2/3(I haven't heard from UCOM this week.)

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- Under "where would you like to give", select the "wherever needed most" fund
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- Click "Give now"

This Week at Faith on Zoom

8:45–9:45 AM Sunday School in Wesley & on Zoom 2/28Sunday

The invitations will be sent out the day before the scheduled meeting.

If you would like to participate please call Susan Davis (904 607-1728) so she can send you the invitation and make arrangements to get you the book.

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Morning Worship on The Lord's Day First Sunday of Lent February 21, 2021 – 10:00AM

Gathering – Prelude

Announcements & Greeting:		Rev. Barry Andrews
Call to Wordship:	Sanctuary	2164
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The Apostle's Creed

I believe in God, the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth; And in Jesus Christ his only Son, our Lord; who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; the third day he rose 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 quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic** church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen

Welcome to Faith United Methodist Church!

We are so glad that you have joined us this morning. For those new or returning to the church, welcome home. God calls us all to Himself, and it's our conviction – we're here to prove it – that spiritually, Christianity is most fully lived out in the congregation of God's people. You figured out we're not all together, but we're working on this journey of faith and we are glad you have come along with us for the ride.

We continue to worship in the sanctuary following the CDC guidelines in addition to our other options. Drive-in church (tune in to FM 90.5), livestream on our website which is <u>www.faithumcjax.org</u> (www.youtube.com/watch?v=AvO4HMyTJMo) or on facebook at <u>https://www.facebook.com/faithumcjax</u>.

<u>Stewardship Week of</u>	
February 14, 2021	February Birthdays
General Fund \$1,779.21 Facilities Imp. Fund 175.00	Robert Schenavar 2/25
Hispanic Ministry 142.00	February Anniversaries
Cuban Church mission 30.00Trustees114.00	Albert & Dawn Lackey 2/26

Your assignment: Compose a poem no more than 24 lines in length. The poem must reflect upon the Passion and the Cross, painting a vivid picture of them in the mind of the reader. But more importantly, the poem must evoke all of the following emotions: pity, wonder, grief, humility, love and self-surrender. This entire array of sentiments must appear side by side without any of sense of incongruity or affectation.

And, of course, it all has to rhyme.

Sound difficult? To cover a spectrum of feelings that ranges from intense devotion to caustic self-loathing, and to manage it within the close confines of six brief stanzas without ever giving the reader a jolt is a task that would daunt the most inspired poets. Yet so seamlessly and (it seems) effortlessly does Isaac Watts (1674-1748) carry it off in **"Alas! and Did My Savior Bleed,"** that we hardly notice as we sing the hymn what a

tour-de-force is before us. Intense sorrow ("Alas! and did my Savior bleed? / and did my Sovereign die?") gives way

to self-reproach ("Would he devote that sacred head / for sinners such as I?"), which then yields to stunned marvel ("Amazing pity! Grace unknown! / and love beyond degree!"), which in turn blends into gratitude ("Thus might I hide my blushing face / while his dear cross appears; / dissolve my heart in thankfulness, / and melt mine eyes to tears.")