

ORDER OF WORSHIP

10:00 A.M. 5th Sunday after Epiphany February 4, 2018

GATHERING

Please fill out the tear off **attendance card** on the announcements page.

PRELUDE

BRINGING IN THE LIGHT

WELCOME and ANNOUNCEMENTS

Karl Voigt

GREET ONE ANOTHER

***CALL TO WORSHIP**

Praise the Lord! For it is good to sing praises to our God!

He heals the brokenhearted and binds up their wounds.

Great is our Lord, and abundant in power!

His understanding is beyond measure.

The Lord lifts up the humble, but he casts the wicked to the ground.

The Lord takes pleasure in those who fear him, in those who hope in his steadfast love.

Psalm 147

***OPENING SONGS**

“O For a Thousand Tongues to Sing”

“I Will Rise”

Praise Team

UMH 57

***OPENING PRAYER**

Glorious God, from the very beginning you blessed your creation. You have loved and shielded your people through all the joys and trials of life. We come to you this day, rejoicing in the many blessings you have given to us. We open our hearts again to hear your word for us and to gather strength and joy for service in your world. Be with us and bless us again, in your Son, Jesus’ name, we pray. AMEN.

***AFFIRMATION OF FAITH**

“The Nicene Creed”

UMH 880

OLD TESTAMENT READING

Isaiah 40:21-31

GIVING OF GOD’S TITHES AND OUR OFFERINGS

Prayer of Dedication

Offertory

*Doxology

“Turn Your Eyes Upon Jesus”

Chancel Choir

UMH 95

CHILDREN ARE DISMISSED TO SUNDAY SCHOOL

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

RESPONSE TO PRAYER

“Seek Ye First”

UMH 405

NEW TESTAMENT READING

1 Corinthians 9:16-23

SERMON

“So, Who Are You Talking To?”

Karl Voigt

***CLOSING SONG**

“Shout to the North”

***BENEDICTION**

Karl Voigt

(* All who are able, please stand

UMH - The United Methodist Hymnal

TFWS - The Faith We Sing

THOSE ASSISTING IN TODAY’S SERVICE

Liturgist: Kim Etherington

Greeters: Arneal Kart and Suzette Rawling

Ushers: Dick Dowdell, Bob Mix, D. Stidham, Bob Storey

Media/Audio: Tom Etherington and Faye Storey

Music led by: Nick and Ellen Despres and Praise Team

*****Nursery is available from 8:30am until 11:30am.***

UPCOMING EVENTS

This Week

Tuesday, February 6

5:00pm Counseling Network Farr Hall
6:30pm Cub Scouts Ryan Edu. Bldg.

Wednesday, February 7

10:00am Brunch Bunch Rutherford Room
6:00pm Wednesday Night Dinner Farr Hall
6:30pm Children's Choir Sanctuary
6:30pm Handbells Bells Room
6:45pm Small Group Youth Room
7:00pm Pastor's Bible Study Rutherford Room
7:30pm Chancel Choir Sanctuary

Thursday, February 8

5:00pm Counseling Network Rutherford Room
6:00pm Krafty Kritters Youth Room

Friday, February 9

OFFICE CLOSED

Saturday, February 10

9:00am Clothes Closet Volunteering
4:00pm Eagle Scout Ceremony Sanctuary/
Farr Hall

Next Week

Sunday, February 11

8:45am Sunday School Classes
for Adults Ryan Ed. Bldg.
9:00am Praise Team Rehearsal Sanctuary
9:30 am Coffee & Friends Farr Hall
10:00am Worship Sanctuary

Monday, February 12

10:00am Hope Circle
7:00pm Finance Mtg. Ryan Edu. Bldg.

Tuesday, February 13

5:00pm Counseling Network Farr Hall
6:30pm Cub Scouts Ryan Edu. Bldg.
7:00pm Trustees Meeting Ryan Edu. Bldg.

Wednesday, February 14

10:00am Brunch Bunch Rutherford Room
7:00pm Ash Wednesday Service Sanctuary

Thursday, February 15

5:00pm Counseling Network Rutherford Room
6:00pm Krafty Kritters Youth Room

Friday, February 16

OFFICE CLOSED

Saturday, February 17

8:00am United Methodist Men



**I have
become
all things
to
all people,
that
I might by
all means
save
some.**



1 Corinthians 9.22

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