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## United Methodist Church of Vista

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### Bulletin

**January 22, 2017**  
**3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday After the Epiphany**  
**8:45 am**

#### **Thought for the day**

“Returning hate for hate multiplies hate, adding deeper darkness to a night already devoid of stars. Darkness cannot drive out darkness; only light can do that. Hate cannot drive out hate, only love can do that.”

**-Martin Luther King Jr., Strength to Love**

#### **\*Gathering Songs**

“Gather Us In” FWS 2236, Vs. 1-2, 4

“Here I Am to Worship” W&S 3177

#### **Welcome and Announcements**

Rev. Dr. Leigh Ann Shaw

Rev. Frank Hallock

#### **Welcoming New Members**

*The Chappell family*

*The Pierce family*

*Please open the hymnal to page 33.*

#### **\*Call to Worship**

**To those who dwell in gloom and despair, God’s glorious presence has appeared.**

God is indeed our light and our salvation.

**We will follow, unafraid, where God and Jesus lead us.**

Let us worship our God of light and promise.

**Let us celebrate the hope and joy of our salvation.**

#### **\*Song of Joy**

“I Will Call Upon the Lord” FWS 2002

#### **Scripture**

*1 Corinthians 1:10-18 in the New Testament*

Leader: For the Word of God in scripture,

For the Word of God among us.

For the Word of God within us,

**People: Praise be to God.**

#### **Sacrament of Baptism**

*Alfred Charles Dominic Chappell*

#### **Time with Children**

Following this, the children are escorted to a time of activity and learning. Please pick them up in their classrooms following the service.



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### **\*Song Before Prayer**

*“One Thing Have I Desired”*

### **Community Prayer**

God of our light and our salvation, sometimes we prefer to live in darkness, embracing the safety and anonymity of the shadows; sometimes we delight in our divisions, believing we are better than others; sometimes the yoke of our calling feels too heavy, and we seek to slip out from under the bar across our shoulders. Forgive our fear. Forgive our aversion to the light. Forgive our unresponsiveness to your call. Forgive our willful blindness and deafness to the Way. Help us know deep in our souls that you are our light and our salvation, our joy and our wonder, our very life. Hear us as we cry aloud in our need. Amen.

### **Silent Prayer**

### **Pastoral Prayer**

### **The Lord’s Prayer**

Our Father who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name, thy kingdom come, thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil, for thine is the kingdom, and the power and the glory forever. Amen.

### **Special Music**

Praise Band

### **Scripture**

*Matthew 4:12-23 in the New Testament*

Leader: For the Word of God in scripture,  
For the Word of God among us.  
For the Word of God within us,

**People: Praise be to God.**

### **Message**

*“Who Has Got the Time”*

Rev. Dr. Leigh Ann Shaw

### **Offering our Gifts**

### **Song of Blessing (Doxology)**

*“Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow”*

### **Offertory Prayer**

What can we offer in thanksgiving for the gift of light and life and love we have received from you and from your beloved community here on earth? We offer our all: our resources, our energy, our time, our very selves to answer your call and to follow without fear. Amen.

### **Song of Sending**

*“I’ve Got Peace Like a River” FWS 2145*

### **Benediction**



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<b>Lay Leaders</b>	<b>Rollin Grider/Lynda Mounts</b>
<b>Pastor</b>	<b>Rev. Dr. Leigh Ann Shaw</b>
<b>Associate Pastor of Music and Visitation</b>	<b>Rev. Frank Hallock</b>
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### ***This Sunday...***

\*Liturgist: Lyn Berry; Acolyte(s): Stella and Grace; Video Tech: Jake Henselmeier and Sound Tech: Lynda Mounts.

\*Unless otherwise noted, scripture is from the New Revised Standard Version of the Bible.

### **Next Sunday...**

United Methodist Women Sunday

Guest preacher: Rev. Bill Jenkins

Video Tech: Barbara Mitchell

Sound Tech: Trent Hamlin

Liturgist: TBA

Acolyte(s): Kendall and Taylor

***Flowers are given by:***

***The family of Alline Piercy***

***in honor of her 96<sup>th</sup> birthday.***