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Bulletin

January 29, 2017
4th Sunday After the Epiphany
United Methodist Women Sunday
8:45 am

Thought for the day

"There can be no keener revelation of a society's soul than the way in which it treats its children."

- Nelson Mandela

***Gathering Songs**

"Blessed Be the Name of the Lord" FWS 2034

"He Has Made Me Glad" FWS 2270

Welcome and Announcements

Rev. Dr. Leigh Ann Shaw

Rev. Frank Hallock

***Call to Worship**

The sinners, the saints; the broken, the whole,

We all come seeking the One who offers grace and hope.

The doubters, the devout; the wonderers, the wanderers,

We all seek to follow the One who works for justice and hope for all of God's people.

The hesitant, the heroic; the grandparents, the little children,

We all listen for the songs of joy all creation sings to the One who gives life and peace.

Come one come all, to worship and renew.

We come into the presence of the Lord.

***Song of Joy**

"Open the Eyes of My Heart" W&S 3008

UMW MOMENT

SPECIAL MISSION RECOGNITION

Scripture

1 Corinthians 1:26-31 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.

Special Music

"Polonaise in G Minor" (J.S. Bach)

Julie Tran, Harpsichord

Blakeslee Chimes

"Into My Heart"

Ringers and Singers



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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.

*Song Before Prayer

“In His Time” FWS 2203

Community Prayer

Loving God, we come together as your people searching for sacred space, longing to be cherished, craving a real connection. In this hour of worship let thankfulness sink deep and joy spring up. Make us mindful of those whose lives are full of hopelessness and despair, and empower us to be the people of love who can and will bring hope and comfort. We lift our hearts and souls and minds to you. O Lord, whose only wish for us is to live in union with you and with each other in such a way that the Kingdom of Heaven is made present here and now. We ask it all in the name of Christ. 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

“Grace Flows Down”

Praise Band

Scripture

Matthew 25:33-46 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

“Dancing with the Holy Spirit”

Rev. Bill Jenkins, Guest Speaker

Offering our Gifts

Song of Blessing (Doxology)

“Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow”

Offertory Prayer

Lord, we thank you that we can always trust in You. You are an abundant God and out of Your great mercy you have given us so much. We bring this offering today out of your abundant giving to us. Please take it and bless it, and extend and multiply its reach and influence we pray. May our giving be a great blessing. Amen.



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Song of Sending

“May You Run and Not Be Weary”

FWS 2281

Benediction

At this time, you may join hands for the Benediction.

**Please stand if you are able.*



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This Sunday...

*Liturgist: Margene Haase; Acolyte(s): Kendall and Tylor; Video Tech: Barbara Mitchell and Sound Tech: Trent Hamlin. *Unless otherwise noted, scripture is from the New Revised Standard Version of the Bible.

Next Sunday...

Video Tech: Billy Stempson
Sound Tech: Suzanne McMurchie
Liturgist: Laurie Clarke
Acolyte(s): Grace and Gracie

Flowers are given by:

Marlene and Marvin Philippi in celebration of their 66th wedding anniversary and in honor of the United Methodist Women of Vista.