

## ORDER OF SERVICE

**Joys and Concerns** Bonita Kitts  
**Prayer**  
**Greeting One Another**

**Welcome and Announcements** Chuck Tilman  
**Prelude** Darrell McCune  
"Sing Your Praise to the Lord"

**\*Call to Worship** (\*Please stand if you are able)

L: This is the day the Lord has made!

**C: We come rejoicing and giving thanks.**

L: This is the day the Lord invites us to love and to live.

**C: We seek to dwell in God's love as we turn our hearts toward God.**

L: This is the day to worship our creator and redeemer.

**C: We worship the God of life. Amen.**

**\*Opening Songs** Darrell McCune

"One God and Father of Us All" TFWS #2240

"His Eye is on the Sparrow" TFWS #2146

**\*Opening Prayer**

**Holy Spirit, guide us as we walk in faith, and guard us against the powers that would draw us away from your love. Help us live according to your commandments, that we might live long in the land you have prepared for us. Prompt us to seek you with our whole heart and guide us to walk in your ways, that we may carry out the vows of the covenant we share. May our words and deeds bring life and faith to others as we hold fast to the gift of faith. Be near us each and every day, and bless us with your light, that our days may be filled with grace. In Christ's name we pray. Amen.**

**Children's Time** Paul Rayson

**Word Through Music** Noteworthy

"Amazing Grace, My Chains are Gone"

**\*Scripture Reading** Exodus 15:22-27

L: This is the Word of the Lord.

**C: Thanks be to God.**

**The Morning Message** Pastor Jay

"For passing the test of God"

**Giving of our Tithes and Offerings** Darrell McCune

"Ezekiel Saw the Wheel"

**\*Doxology**

**\*Prayer of Thanksgiving and Lord's Prayer** Pastor Jay

**\*Closing Song** UMH #520

"Nobody Knows the Trouble I See"

**\*Benediction and Response** UMH #666

"Shalom to You"

**Postlude** Darrell McCune

"Just A Closer Walk with Thee"

**Head Ushers:** Chuck Tilman

**Ushers:** Sara & Vic Mitchell, Arthur Miller

**Greeters:** UMW Evening Circle

**Nursery:** Regan Perry

**Exodus 15:22-27 New Revised Standard Version (NRSV)**

**Bitter Water Made Sweet**

**22 Then Moses ordered Israel to set out from the Red Sea, and they went into the wilderness of Shur. They went three days in the wilderness and found no water.**

**23 When they came to Marah, they could not drink the water of Marah because it was bitter. That is why it was called Marah.**

**24 And the people complained against Moses, saying, "What shall we drink?"**

**25 He cried out to the Lord; and the Lord showed him a piece of wood; he threw it into the water, and the water became sweet. There the Lord made for them a statute and an ordinance and there he put them to the test.**

**26 He said, "If you will listen carefully to the voice of the Lord your God, and do what is right in his sight, and give heed to his commandments and keep all his statutes, I will not bring upon you any of the diseases that I brought upon the Egyptians; for I am the Lord who heals you."**

**27 Then they came to Elim, where there were twelve springs of water and seventy palm trees; and they camped there by the water.**

**Birthdays**

2/17 April Jarboe

2/19 Marilyn Chappell, Pat Mourning

**Sunday, February 16th**

11:30am – 12:30pm Administrative Board Mtg.- Oxford Room

**Monday, February 17th**

5:15pm - 6:00pm Chair Yoga - Lg Dining Room

7:00pm - 8:00pm Hands of Glory Rehearsal - Sanctuary

**Tuesday, February 18th**

9:00am - 10:00pm Donuts and Devotions - First Cup

9:00am - 12:00pm Volunteers at Hope House

**Wednesday, February 19th**

10:00am - 11:00am Morning Circle Mtg. - Parlor

4:45pm - 5:30pm Junior Choir rehearsal - Sanctuary

5:30pm - 6:00pm Cherub Choir rehearsal - Parlor

6:30pm - 8:00pm Grief Share - Parlor

7:30pm - 8:30pm Boy Scouts - N room off gym

8:00pm - 8:30pm Praise Team rehearsal

8:30pm - 9:30pm Noteworthy rehearsal

**Thursday, February 20th**

4:15pm - 5:15pm Body Gospel Exercise Group - Oxford Room

6:30pm - 8:00pm Pastor Jay Bible Study - Lg Dining Room

**Friday, February 21st**

7:00pm - 12:00am Boy Scout Lock in - Lg Dining Room - Kitchen

**Saturday February 22nd**

12:00am - 10:00am Boy Scout Lock In

9:00am - 11:00am Volunteers at Hope House

**There will be an Ash Wednesday Service here on February 26th at 7:00pm.**

As of right now, we only have three people to give our Children’s Time. We could desperately use a few more! Anyone want to spend 5-10 minutes talking to the kids? They are awesome! Please let Cheryl in the office know.

If you like to work with computers, please consider joining the sound board team. We need a few more people so they can rotate Sundays.

The flower arrangement at the communion rail was given in loving memory of Lorraine Seckington by her family.

Our Administrative Board meeting is today directly after the service.

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Last week’s Attendance: 125  
Last week’s offering: \$ 4889.00

**Prayers and Concerns**

**Please contact church office.**

**Please pray for all our Servicemen & women**

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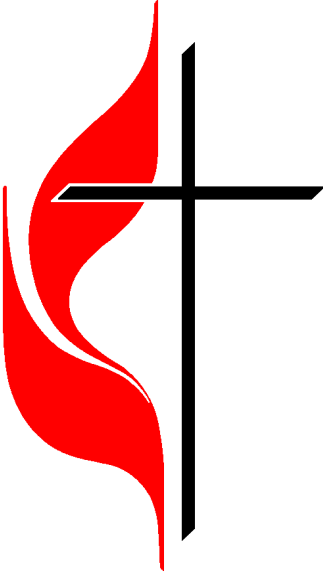
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**To add a name to the Prayer Chain list please contact:**  
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# CELEBRATION OF WORSHIP

FEBRUARY 16, 2020  
SIXTH SUNDAY AFTER THE EPIPHANY  
OUR VISION  
“LIVING AND SHARING IN THE GRACE OF GOD”



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