

FIFTH SUNDAY AFTER THE EPIPHANY

February 5, 2012

10:50 AM

GATHERING FOR WORSHIP

Nursery care for infants and toddlers is available in the Educational Wing.

WELCOME/ANNOUNCEMENTS/PASSING OF THE PEACE/MEDITATION

All are asked to complete the attendance register in the pew and pass it along to each person. Please take a moment and fill out the prayer cards located in the pew rack and put them in the offering plate.

Prelude *My Faith Looks Up to Thee* **Herbek**

***Call to Worship**

We are a people created to sing praise to God.

We praise the God who gives rivers in the desert.

We worship the God who has said, "Yes!" to humanity in Jesus Christ.

We give thanks to the God who gives the Spirit in our hearts.

Glory be to God, Creator, Christ, and Spirit, giver of all good gifts.

***Hymn** *O For a Thousand Tongues to Sing* **UMH Page 57**

Invitation **UMH Page 12**

Confession and Pardon

Moment of Silence

Words of Assurance

PROCLAMATION

Scripture Reading *Isaiah 40:28-31* **O.T. Page 668**

Leader: This is the word of God for the people of God. **People: Thanks be to God.**

Children's Time *What's In The Basket?* **Rev. Rita**

Children's Church (Children age 4 through 1st grade may go to the Children's Church Room)

Junior Church (Children grades 2 through grade 5 may go to the Junior Church Room)

Prayers of the People

***Hymn** *Lord of the Dance* **UMH 261**

Scripture Reading *Mark 1:29-39* **N. T. Page 35**

Leader: This is the word of God for the people of God. **People: Thanks be to God.**

Message *"What Do We Expect?"* **Rev. Rita Callis**

RESPONSE

Offertory Prayer (Unison)

Let us pray: **With these gifts we give thanks for release from slavery to the world's agenda. In awe and wonder we commit ourselves anew to the ministry of hope and healing that Jesus lived on earth. Use our offerings to extend Christ's mission where we cannot go, and to support this congregation in our efforts to be faithful where we are. Amen.**

Offertory Anthem *We Lift Up Our Hearts and Voices* **Kauffmann**
Trumpet – Brenner Pugh

***Doxology** **UMH Page 94**

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; praise God, all creatures here below. Alleluia! Alleluia! Praise God, the source of all our gifts! Praise Jesus Christ, whose power uplifts! Praise the Spirit, Holy Spirit. Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

Presentation of the Communion Elements **Jeff and Diane Huey**

THANKSGIVING AND COMMUNION

The Great Thanksgiving **UMH Page 18**

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.

Sharing of the Bread and Cup

(By intinction. Come forward, receive the bread and dip into the cup.)

SENDING FORTH

***Hymn** *We've a Story to Tell to the Nations* **UMH Page 569**

***Commission and Benediction**

God sends us forth with clear directions to take good news to all the world.

As we have received God's love and care, we want to pass it on.

We are not bound by the expectations of others, but claim our freedom in Christ.

We will live the good news of God's love wherever we go, in all that we do.

The grace and peace of God go with you, lifting you up and granting new life.

We do all for the sake of the gospel, that we may share in its blessing.

***Benediction Response** **Chancel Choir**

***Postlude** *The Rejoicing* **Handel**

Welcome! We are so pleased that you have chosen to worship with us on this day. Your presence is an encouragement and inspiration to us. Let us celebrate our faith and offer our thanks and praise to God as we gather. If you desire to unite in membership with this church, please contact Rev. Rita Callis or Rev. Bruce Lake. Membership occurs with Profession of Faith or a Letter of Transfer from another United Methodist Church or other Christian Church.

The **Flowers** on the altar are given to the glory and honor of God. **Participating in the worship service** are Rev. Nancy Robinson and Chris White, Co-Vice Chair of the Church Council. The **Greeters** are Ned and Brenda Custis. The **Outside Greeter** is Sowmya Prathipati. **First Response Team:** Gloria Wszolek.

Hearing devices are available (special loops for hearing aids). Please sign the notebook when using the hearing assistance devices. Large print bulletins are now available. *Please stand as you are able whenever you see this symbol. All **bold type** indicates congregational participation. As we worship, we are using the red United Methodist Hymnal (UMH) and the black The Faith We Sing (TFWS). We do ask that you turn off all electronic equipment, including cell phones, as a courtesy to others. Nursery care for infants-preschoolers is available at the 10:50 AM Service, in the educational wing. Please see an usher for assistance.

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