

**LAST SUNDAY AFTER EPIPHANY
Children's Sabbath**

February 22, 2009

10:50 AM

This is the 17th celebration of Children's Sabbath. Children's Sabbath is a time to rejoice in the gift of our children. It is also a time to recommit to love, nurture and support all of God's Children.

GATHERING FOR WORSHIP

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

WELCOME/MEDITATION

All are asked to complete the attendance register in the pew and pass it along to each person. Please indicate any prayer concerns also to be given to the ushers during the offering.

Prelude **Played by Kieran Magner and Clara Magner**

Opening Prayer **Sue Swadley**

***Hymn** *This Is the Day* **Page 657**

PROCLAMATION

Gospel Reading *Luke 10:25-37* **Libbie Runge**
Leader: This is the Word of God for the people of God **People: Thanks be to God.**

Act of Praise *God, Who Touches Earth With Beauty* **C. Hall**
Sunday School Choir

Children's Message **Jeannie Wermuth**

Witness **Beverly Kilgalen**

Prayers of the People **Pastor Charles**

The Lord's Prayer (Unison) **Elijah Wilson**

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.

***Hymn** *Jesus Loves Me* **Page 191**

Message *How do we help our neighbor?
Who is my neighbor?* **Children**

RESPONSE

Offertory Prayer (Unison) **Clara Magner**

Let us pray: **We thank you God for all you give us: family, friends and food. Help us to be your disciples and give to others in need. Amen.**

Offertory **Played by Seth Savage and Emory Magner**

***Doxology** **Page 95**
Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; praise God, all creatures here below; praise him above, ye heavenly host; praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

***Hymn** *We Are the Church* **Page 558**

***Benediction (Unison)** **Tristan Runge**

Let us pray: **The Lord bless you and keep you;
the Lord make his face to shine upon you, and be gracious unto you;
the Lord lift up his countenance upon you and give you peace. Amen.**

Numbers 6:24-26

***Postlude** *All Things Bright and Beautiful* **arr. Held**

***Please stand as you are able. Hearing devices are available (special loops for hearing aids). Large print bulletins are now available. Please see an usher for assistance.**

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 for the blessings. If you desire to join our church, please speak to Rev. Charles Swadley 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 of God and in honor of my birthday and in memory of my parents, Andre and Anice Mimbe by Grace Mimbe. The **Greeter** is Wes Fergusson. The **Acolytes** are Alexandria Smith-Scales and Emory Magner. **First Response Team:** Stony and Dale Creery.

The **Upper Room** devotional for March and April is now available for you to pick up. This devotional guide is available on the table in the hall across from the church office. A suggested donation of \$0.75 for small print and \$1.00 for large print is requested.

The bulletin cover was drawn by Tayler Bliss.

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We envision churches where all God's people are welcomed at table, nurtured and transformed to be Christ to others in the world

Jesus

welcomes

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