

January 20, 2019  
**ORDER OF WORSHIP**  
*Second Sunday After Epiphany*

**Gathering**

*As the congregation gathers, please take a moment to speak to people sitting around you whom you may not know. Hebrews 13:2 (KJV) says, "Be not forgetful to entertain strangers; for thereby some have entertained angels unaware."*

**Prelude**

Holly Slice, pianist

*As the prelude begins let us turn our thoughts and hearts to God in prayer and preparation for worship.*

*He is Lord, he is Lord!  
He is risen from the dead and he is Lord!  
Every knee shall bow, every tongue confess  
that Jesus Christ is Lord.*

**Greeting**

\* **Opening Hymn**

UM Hymnal, Pg. 732

*Come, We That Love the Lords*

\* **Responsive Reading ~ Psalm 36:5-10**

Your steadfast love, O Lord, extends to the heavens,  
your faithfulness to the clouds.

**Your righteousness is like the mighty mountains,  
your judgments are like the great deep;  
O Lord, humans and animals you save!**

O God, how precious is your steadfast love!

All people may take refuge in the shadow of your wings.

**They feast on the abundance of your house,  
and you give them drink from the river of your delights.**

For with you is the fountain of life;  
in your light do we see light.

**O continue your steadfast love to those who know you,  
and your salvation to the upright of heart!**

\* **Gloria Patri**, UM Hymnal, No.70

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**Pastoral Prayer**

Minister: The Lord be with you.

**People: *And also with you.***

Minister: Let us pray.

**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.*

**Offertory** *I Love You, O My Lord Most High* Anthony Giamanco  
Spell Chapel Quartet

**Presentation of Tithes, Gifts & Offerings**

\* **Doxology**

UM Hymnal, Pg. 95

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

**The Scripture Lesson**

Minister: The word of God for the people of God.

**People: *Thanks be to God.***

\* **Hymn of Preparation**

UM Hymnal No. 393

*Spirit of the Living God*

**Sermon**

"Neighbor: You"

Rev. Narcie Jeter

\* **Hymn of Dedication**

UM Hymnal, Pg. 536

*Precious Name*

\* **Benediction**

\* **Postlude**

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\* Please stand

*The Altar Flowers today are given to the Glory of God.*

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

### **Camp Meetings Continue**

Bethany is holding a series of Camp Meetings that continues through January. Worship services during Camp Meetings are informal and less ceremonial than usual, so lose the tie and come as you are on Camp Meeting Sundays.

### **Bethany Memorial Garden Meeting**

There will be an informational meeting today about the Bethany Memorial Garden that we are building. It will be at 2 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall. We will have drawings of how the Columbarium will look, stone samples, pricing and contracts if you would like to purchase. If you are interested in this, please join us for this presentation. If you cannot attend, please call Emily Vick at 843.873.1230 and she will be happy to meet with you.

### **Global Missions Ecuador 2019 Meeting**

We are having an informational and planning meeting for the 2019 Ecuador Mission Trip today at 10 a.m. in the Conference Room. We suggest anyone that is interested in going or considering the possibility of joining us on this Mission Trip to attend.

### **Bethany NOW**

Join us for Bethany NOW Wednesday night activities. We have a class for everyone! NOW begins with a meal in the Fellowship Hall at 5 P.M. Children classes begin at 6 p.m. and adult classes at 6:15 p.m. The meal for this week is crispy cod, broccoli with butter parmesan sauce, rolls and butter and salad bar. There will also be a special kid's meal available. The Sunday school class that is hosting is Searchers.

*Meals are \$7 for Adults, \$5 for Seniors & \$4 for Children, with a family maximum of \$20 (2 parents and children under 12 that live in the same household).*

### **Bethany's Blessing Box**

The Bethany Blessing Box is located in front of the playground beside the Gazebo. Donated items are needed to keep it stocked. Please prayerfully consider donating any of the following items: Peanut butter, cereal, beans, chili, rice, tuna, mac and cheese, canned soups, stews, canned meats, jerky, apple sauce, Chef Boyardee, Vienna sausages, pop top food items. Please check expiration dates. Items can be placed directly in the Blessing Box or in the red plastic bin located by the downstairs entrance door (across from Welcome desk). Thank you for being a blessing!

### **Church Office Closed Tomorrow**

The church office will be closed tomorrow, Jan. 21 in observance of Martin Luther King Jr., Day. The office will reopen on Jan. 22 at 8:30 a.m.



## ***Bethany United Methodist Church Spell Chapel ~ 8 o'clock a.m.***

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