

Good Morning!

We are very glad you have joined us for worship. We gather to support one another, find the joy of being in community, experience the love of Jesus the Christ, and to glorify the Lord our God.

Please record your attendance or request information, by completing the "tear-off" section of this bulletin and placing it in the offering plate.

Welcome to Worship

Entrance

Announcements

Community Joys & Concerns

Prelude - *acolyte lights candles on altar*

*Call to Worship

One: The voice of God is over the waters;

All: over the mighty waters, God speaks with creative power.

One: The voice of God breaks the cedars;

All: over the cedars, fire, wilderness, and forest, God speaks with authority.

One: Enthroned forever, may God bless the people with strength and peace!

All: Bless us with strength and peace.

One: Let us say, "Glory!"

All: Glory, glory, glory, God!

One: Come, Let us worship.

*Opening Hymn

"Wash, O God, Our Sons and Daughters" UMH 605

Confession and Pardon

O holy and merciful God, we confess that we have not been obedient to your laws, nor been willing to seek and to do your perfect will. We have not loved you with all our heart and mind and soul and strength, neither have we loved our neighbors as ourselves. You have called to us in the need of our sisters and brothers, and we have passed unheeding on our way. In the pride of our hearts, and our unwillingness to repent, we have turned away from the cross of Christ, and have grieved your Holy Spirit.

All offer prayers of confession in silence.

May almighty God, who caused light to shine out of darkness, shine in our hearts, cleansing us from all our sins, and restoring us to the light of the knowledge of God's glory, in the face of Jesus Christ, our Savior. Amen.

Opening Prayer

God of glory, open our hearts to receive Jesus, your greatest gift of love, again today. As we hear your voice and claim Jesus as your holy child, remind us that we too are claimed as children of God. Amen.

Special Music

Spirit Bells of Gum Spring UMC

Proclamation of the Word

Prayer for Illumination (liturgist only)

Holy Spirit, open us to your possibilities and your promises. Help us hear, with fresh ears, the story of God's definitive revelation in Jesus. May God's voice speak to our hearts, dispel our fear, and call us by name. Amen.

Reading of the Gospel

Matthew 3:1-17

NT pp. 2-3

Singing Alleluia

Message

Acts 8:14-17

Class 5 Rapids of Baptism

NT p. 126

Response to the Word

Remembering Your Baptism

UMH p. 50

*Hymn of Response

"When Jesus Came to Jordan"

UMH 252

Prayers of the People

Offering

*Doxology & Prayer

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!

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.

Sending Forth

*Sending Hymn

"Baptized In Water"

TFWS 2248

*Benediction

*Benediction Response

Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost; as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen. Amen.

*Postlude

UMH - United Methodist Hymnal found in your pew rack

NT - New Testament, toward the back of the Bible

OT - Old Testament, toward the beginning of the Bible

*Please stand as able

Nursery available for children 3 and under.

Serving In Worship

January 13, 2019

Greeter-Dicky & Betty
Acolyte-Wyatt Amos
Liturgist-Justin Hare
Nursery-Maggie & Brettany
Flowers-
Open/Close-Tim Etheredge

January 20, 2019

Greeter-Steve & Elaine
Acolyte-Addyson
Liturgist-Joanna Etheredge
Nursery-Stephanie
Flowers-
Open/Close-Betty A

Ministry Participation

Attendance January 6, 2019

Sunday School-36 Small Groups-1
Worship-59 Active In Mission- 2
Online- 30

Giving January 6, 2019

Regular Offering Received - \$3607.00

Joys & Concerns

Mabel Clark
Marilyn Gooch
Alice Poindexter
OP Martin
Louise Tudor
Gladys Stanley
Carol Van Goor
Margaret Talley
Otto Williams
Russell Williams
Jacob Michael Stanley
Janice Tate

Ann Dickerson
Junior Alexander
Pat Latham
Ann Parker
Ricky Spence family at his death
Barry Hare, Justin, James Blake,
Mason, Addyson and family at
the loss of Robin.
Becky Levy, Kathy Martin and the
family of Bernice Jennings at her
death.



Birthdays & Anniversaries

Birthdays

Lizzy Teague 3-Jan
Robert Adams 4-Jan
Dwight Atkinson 9-Jan
Tim Etheredge 16-Jan
Cristal Hall 17-Jan
Lisa Atkinson 18-Jan
Emily Joyner 20-Jan
Sonny Atkinson 24-Jan
Reina Rice 27-Jan

Anniversaries

Cecil & Beverly Walsh Jan. 20
Fred & Pat Martin Jan. 24

Enon...Sowing, Watering, Tending Please complete needed sections of this card and place in the offering plate.

Name: _____

Birth date: _____

Address: _____

City, State, Zip: _____

Phone: (h) _____ (c) _____

Email address: _____

_____ I am a first time guest

_____ I am a member

_____ I am a regular attendee

_____ I would like to be a member

