

Welcome to Worship!

January 28, 2024

PRELUDE

GREETINGS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

Thank you for signing the attendance pads.

*CALL TO WORSHIP

Nathan Kinker, Liturgist

One: We worship today in the presence of the God
beyond knowing;

All: Yet whom we know.

One: We worship God who is beyond understanding;

All: Yet who understands us.

One: We worship God whose thoughts are not our thoughts;

All: Whose ways are not our ways;

One: In the presence of the Unknowing and the Knowing,
the Incomprehensible and the Comprehending,

All: We worship with all of our heart, soul, mind and strength.

Let us worship God!

SONG & PRAISE

Precious De La Rosa & Lilly Robinson

PRAYER OF THE DAY with 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**

CHILDREN'S STORY

Children ages 4 through 5th grade may exit for Children's
Church and go downstairs to the Old Fellowship Hall.

INVITATION to the OFFERING with "Doxology" No. 95

OFFERTORY PRAYER Liturgist

***HYMN** *We Three Kings* (stanzas 1,3,5) No. 254

SCRIPTURE READING: Psalm 41:1-2, Proverbs, 22:2,9 Liturgist

CHORAL ANTHEM

Choir

SCRIPTURE READING: Matthew 2:1-12

SERMON *Stuff Is Good, People Are Better*
Rev. Dr. Michael Linger

HYMN OF RESPONSE *Hymn of Promise* No. 707

BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE

SERMON NOTES:

NOTES & ANNOUNCEMENTS

ALL STARS 4 JESUS: Get back in the game and join All Stars 4 Jesus! We have exciting plans for the next few weeks. Come join us Wednesdays 5:30 p.m.-7:10 p.m. for choir, dinner, lessons and fun!

January 31- Lesson on the Woman at the Well

AHOY, MATEYS! The Young Disciples Sunday School Class will set sail on an engaging journey through the Bible beginning on Sunday, January 28. Young lads and lassies (Ages 4 years old - 5th grade) are invited to join us as we travel through the Holy Land and learn about the stories, cultures, people, and places of the Bible. You may even find some buried treasure along the way! We arrrgh so excited to see you each Sunday at 9:45 a.m..

--Captain Becky and First Mate Sarah

LENTEN STUDY: The Spiritual Formation Team has selected Tom Berlin's *The Third Day* as the study for Lent this year. The study will be offered in all four of the adult Sunday School classes beginning on February 25th and on Tuesday afternoon at 1:00 p.m. in the New Fellowship Hall beginning February 20th. This is a six weeks study. Books are being ordered and will be available. The cost will be approximately \$11.00. Please join in preparing your heart for Easter by joining one of these groups.

ECCHO NEEDS: Canned fruits and vegetables, cereal, mac and cheese, spaghetti, pinto beans, canned pasta, soup, and household items such as toilet paper, bar soap, shampoo, and toothpaste.

We especially need financial support to continue to purchase additional commodities. Donations may be placed in the ECCHO Closet in the Narthex.

PRAYER CONCERNS

Phyllis Argabrite
Eloise Baumgardner
Teresa Blake
Sandy Boggess
Dana Godfrey
Amy Herrenkohl
Mary Howard
Fred Huff
Monica Jackson
Virginia Keefer
Brenda Morning
Keith Ross
Chris Roy
Lois Silling
Karen Turman
Doris Wooten

THIS WEEK AT OUR CHURCH

SUNDAY-28

Sunday School: 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship: 10:45 a.m.
BCCL Meeting 4:00 p.m.
NO SWAG (Youth)

MONDAY-29

Scouts 6:30 p.m.

TUESDAY-30

Bible Study 1:00p.m.

WEDNESDAY-31

All Stars 4 Jesus 5:30p.m.
Bible Study 5:30 p.m.
Choir 7:00 p.m.

WEEKLY REPORT – January 21, 2024

GIVING

Needed per Week: \$8,039.15
Received: \$2,139.60

ATTENDANCE

Present: 86
Online Views: 13

Monthly financial statements available upon request.



FRIENDS AND FAMILY IN OUR PRAYERS

Paul Bock (Friend of Amy Jarvis)
John and Jill Chapman (Friend of Dick & Louetta Jimison)
Cathy Drazenovich (Friend of Karen Canfield)
Greg & Janet Fisher (Friends of Kay Ratcliff)
Connie Foster (Sister-in-law of Connie Gesner)
Darrell & Connie Shull (Parents of Rick Shull)
Kimberly Westerfield (Daughter of Jim & Nancy Allman)
Nancy Underwood (Friend of Karen Canfield)

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UPCOMING EVENTS

FEBRUARY

4-Winter Jam (SWAG)
5-Trustees Meeting
8-Finance Meeting
14-Ash Wednesday
12-Administrative Council Meeting
20-Lenten Study Begins

CHURCH STAFF

Pastor: Rev. Greg Markins
Secretary: Lisa Rhoades
Youth Director: Ashlee Gallion
Music Minister: Johnna Adkins
Pianist: Lynette Call
Organist: Becky Chenoweth
Custodian: Rick Shull
Pastor Emeritus: Rev. Ralph Sager

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WELCOME

to Steele Memorial
United Methodist Church

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BREAKTHROUGH PRAYER

Almighty God, break through and open doors to your new hopes, dreams, and possibilities for Steele Memorial and in our individual lives, and as you do, we will surrender and faithfully follow Christ onto the open road adventure of your new and unknow future. (Ephesians 3:20) Amen.

JOY

Now the God of hope
fill you with all JOY
and peace in believing.

ROMANS 15:13, KJV