

Our Service of Worship
Third Sunday after the Epiphany

10:55 am

January 22, 2012

* We invite those who are able, to stand during these acts of worship

Gathering Music
Announcements

Time of Welcoming

Persons may greet other members of the community with signs of reconciliation and love.
Please be seated as we begin worship.

Blest Be The Tie That Binds

Blest be the tie that binds our hearts in Christian love; the fellowship of kindred
minds is like to that above.

Opening Scripture
Chimes

Opening Voluntary

Andante in C

(Sonata, No.1, in C Minor, Op.27)

Marjorie Morgan, Organist
David Paxton

Lighting the Altar Candles

***Opening Hymn**

Trust and Obey

467

***Affirmation of Faith**

885

*** Gloria Patri**

70

Story for All Ages

Jesus Loves Me

Sarah Haas
191

Jesus loves me! This I know, for the Bible tells me so.
Little ones to him belong; they are weak, but he is strong.
Yes, Jesus loves me! Yes, Jesus loves me! Yes, Jesus loves me! The Bible tells me so.

Following this, all children through Kindergarten
Are invited to "Children's Church" time next door in our Education Building.
Parents may pick them up there following the worship service.

Prayer Sharing
Call to Prayer
Morning Prayer

The Offering
Offertory

Ave Verum (Jesu, Word of God)

Ushers
Marjorie Morgan, Organist
W.A. Mozart

***Doxology**

Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; praise him, 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!

Prayer for Illumination

Lord, open our hearts and minds

by the power of your Holy Spirit,

that, as the Scriptures are read

and your Word proclaimed,

we may hear with joy what you say to us today. Amen.

Gospel Lesson

Mark 1: 14-20
(pg. 42 NT)

Rev. Whitehead

Special Music

Ryan Tucker, solo

Old Testament Lesson

Jonah 3: 1-10
(pg. 1054 OT)

Rev. Tilk

Sermon

"A Light to the Nations"

Rev. Tilk

***Closing Hymn**

Jesus Calls Us

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***Benediction**

Postlude

Sortie

Marjorie Morgan, Organist
Fr. Durante

Worship Matters

We want to **remember and lift up in prayer** these folks: Ruth Barnes, Gene Cost, Hal Fletcher, Sr., Jo Ann Hamilton, Marian Hurst, Spurgeon Johnson, Mattie McMillan, Ralph & Rachel Perkins, Ray Walke, Michael Watson, Lillian Weaver. Also, those men and women serving in our military overseas.

Congratulations to Anita Burchnell on the recent birth of her great-granddaughter, **Nora Jael Marcarages** born on January 16, 2012 in Fayetteville, NC.

This service is being recorded to produce DVD's for shut-ins

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Communion will be served in Shelfer Chapel after the morning worship service.

Staff Parish Committee meeting will be **Tuesday, January 24** at **7pm** in the Pairs and Spares classroom.

Mark your calendar for “Youth Sunday” on **Sunday, January 29** at our morning worship service and also Hallelujah Night at Grace UMC, Hosford later that evening with cover dish supper at **6pm** and hymn sing to follow.

Reminder about Wednesday night activities: dinner at **5pm**; Bible study at **6pm**; Prayer service and/or choir practice at **7pm**.

Our Presence Last Week

Worship service	106
Sunday School	47

Our Stewardship Last Week

General Fund 2012	\$2,975.00
Plate offering	\$101.00
Sunday school	\$17.00
UMM	\$110.00
Youth	\$50.00
Children’s Home	\$10.00
Habitat for Humanity	\$10.00

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