

**SUNSET DRIVE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH**

Morning Worship: 10:00 am January 20, 2019

**EPIPHANY**

***Entering into Our Worship Together***

PRELUDE  
ENTRANCE OF THE LIGHT  
GREETING

Let Us Be In An Attitude of Prayer

\*GATHERING HYMN "Come!, Come!, Everybody Worship" TFWS Hymnal #2271  
(stanza 1,5)

\*CALL TO WORSHIP

Leader: In mystery and grandeur  
**People: we see the face of God.**  
Leader: In earthiness and ordinary  
**People: we know the love of Christ.**  
Leader: In heights, in depths, in life and death  
**People: the Spirit of God is moving among us.**  
**All: Let us worship God together.**

\*HYMN OF PRAISE "Come Thou Almighty King" Hymnal #61

JOYS AND CONCERNS OF THE CONGREGATION

MORNING PRAYER

**Radiant God, light for all people and all places, by the guidance of a star you led the Magi to worship the Christ Child. By the light of faith lead us to worship you in peace and love, and guide us in your way. We pray in the name of Christ, light of the world. Amen.**

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.**

\*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH From the United Church of Canada Hymnal # 883

SPECIAL MUSIC

Jayden Skates

***Response and Offerings***

OFFERTORY

\*OFFERTORY RESPONSE

**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.**

\*PRAYER OF DEDICATION

CHILDREN'S TIME AT THE ALTAR

(Children's Church is offered for children ages 4-11 years old)  
(Our nursery is available for children from birth to 3 years old)

Steve Phillips

**Proclamation of God's Word**

OLD TESTAMENT LESSON

Psalm 29 (*Responsively*)  
Pew Bible, pg 761

\*CENTERING HYMN

"Breathe On Me, Breath of God"

Hymnal #420

NEW TESTAMENT LESSON

Luke 3:15-17; 21-22  
Pew Bible, pg 81

SERMON

"A Gift and Gifts"

Pastor Murphy

**Sending Forth**

\*SENDING HYMN

"O Spirit of the Living God!"

Hymnal #539

\*BENEDICTION

**Eternal Light, shine into our hearts.  
Eternal Goodness, deliver us from evil.  
Eternal Power, be our support.  
Go with us and help us to always seek your face.  
In the name of the One whose holy presence is our salvation. Amen.**

POSTLUDE

Our Acolytes lead us out as we go forth to serve.

### Prayer Concerns

*(Prayer requests must be received in the office at 540-896-3970 or office@sunsetdriveumc.com by Thursday at 10am to be included. Names stay on for **two weeks.**)*

#### Our Church Family ...

Merteen Arbogast  
George Hadley  
Tara Langston  
Doug Wager

#### Our Extended Family ...

Angie Coffman and Family  
Herma Gnagey (Shelia Proctor)  
Jean Thomas and Family

#### Prayer for Our Military Family.....

Will Freds: U.S Army (son in law of CW and Peggy Grandle)  
Mark Hadley: U.S Navy (son of George and Janet Hadley)  
David Lee: U.S Army (grandson of Jane Garrett)  
Mark Long: U.S Navy (son of Dawn Long)  
Chris Mullenax: U.S Army Special Forces  
Tim Slutman, U.S Army (close friend of the Almquist family)



#### Staff

Pastor: Tom Murphy  
Secretary: Lisa Thacker  
Custodian: Angie Coffman  
Youth Coordinator: Lacey Roberts  
Music Director: Harlen Miller

Organist: Jaclyn Knight



**Congratulations** to *Lindsey White*, who was chosen as this week's "Burger King Student Athlete" of the week. WHSV did a story about her. She's a great athlete, student, and volunteer in the community. She's a pretty good usher for us too. Way to go Lindsey !!!!

# SUNSET DRIVE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

**Over 130 years of serving God and the Community**



**"Seeking to live our faith, growing in our discipleship, and reaching out to others."**

*Congratulations to Daniel and Deanna Straughn* on the arrival of their son *Kai Atlas*. Kia was born on Saturday, December 1<sup>st</sup>. We rejoice in this birth with grandmother Dee Dee Garrett and great grandmother Jane Garrett.



*Thank you* for the Christmas cards, get well cards, thoughts, and prayers sent my way.  
Penny Lohr



*Thank you* for the cards and get well wishes.  
Ann Grandle



**Additional Prayer Concerns**

**Our Church Family ...**

Wilton Thomas (Bev Thompson)

**Our Extended Family ...**

Justin Shipe (Bev Thompson)

Hadleigh Lewis (Bev Thompson)



*Administrative Council* meeting on Monday, January 21<sup>st</sup> at 7pm.

*February 2019 Newsletter Deadline:* Tuesday, January 22<sup>nd</sup>. Please have all information to church office.

*Prayer Shawl Ministry* will meet on Tuesday, January 22<sup>nd</sup>, from 1pm to 3pm. We supply the yarn, needles, and lessons. New members are welcome.

*Bible Study* on Wednesday, January 23<sup>rd</sup>, at 6:30pm in the Faith Fellowship Class. We will study Paul's letter to the church in Rome. If you haven't attended previously it is easy to catch up as we study together. Don't put it off... join with us and learn from the Word!

*Music with Harlen* on Wednesday, January 23<sup>rd</sup>, at 7:30pm in the sanctuary.

*Sunset Ladies Lunch* will be on Tuesday, January 29<sup>th</sup>, at 11:30 am. Please bring a covered dish to share in some wonderful fellowship.

*Finance Committee* meeting on Thursday, January 31<sup>st</sup> at 6pm.



**Inclement Weather and Cancellation Notice**

Should it become necessary to cancel Sunday services or other activities during the week due to winter weather conditions, a cancellation notice will be posted through the following media: WHSV TV-3, the church website, and the church Facebook.



**Nursery Volunteers:**

Sunday, January 20<sup>th</sup> : Joanna Thompson and Volunteer

Sunday, January 27<sup>th</sup>: Volunteer

**Children's Church Leaders:**

Sunday, January 20<sup>th</sup> : Meghan Flora

Sunday, January 27<sup>th</sup> :Erica Kann

**January Sound System:**

Dale Cupp

**January Usher:**

Lindsey White



**Stewardship Report: January 6, 2019**

General Fund	\$ 2,603.96
Needed weekly to meet budget:	\$4,225.46
Restricted Funds	\$ 105.00

**Stewardship Report: January 13, 2019**

General Fund	\$ 1,090.00
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*Current financials are on the bulletin board for you to examine*



A *big thank-you* to all those who are out in the cold with shovels and tractors helping clear the church property and church family driveways and sidewalks. Your work is truly appreciated ! Good job "Snow Removal Committee" ! God bless all of you