

SUNSET DRIVE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

Morning Worship: 10:00 am March 3, 2019

EIGHTH SUNDAY after 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
(vss.3,5)

*CALL TO WORSHIP

Leader: Grace to you and peace from God our Father and the Lord Jesus Christ.

People: And also to you.

Leader: Lift up your hearts.

People: We lift them up to the Lord.

Leader: In the name of the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit,

All: We worship the One who is our help in ages past, our hope for years to come!

*HYMN OF PRAISE "We Have Come at Christ's Own Bidding" TFWS Hymnal #2103

JOYS AND CONCERNS OF THE CONGREGATION

MORNING PRAYER

Almighty and everlasting God, the Lord of Easter, the Author of Life, you can banish all affliction both of soul and body. Pray and show forth your power on us this day as we worship you. May your power be upon us individually and collectively as we honor and praise you. By your mercy restore us afresh that we may serve you in holiness of living, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Draw near to us and grant us peace. 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.

SPECIAL MUSIC

Response and Offerings

*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH Romans 8:35, 37-39 Hymnal #887

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)

Proclamation of God's Word

OLD TESTAMENT LESSON Psalms 133, Hymnal pg 850
Responsive Reading

*CENTERING HYMN "Christ, Whose Glory Fills the Skies" Hymnal #173

NEW TESTAMENT LESSON John 17:1-6;20-23

SERMON " All for One: One for All! " Pastor Murphy

Our Response to God's Word

A SERVICE OF HEALING AND COMMUNION pg. #12
(served at the altar)

Sending Forth

*SENDING HYMN "Shine Jesus, Shine" TFWS Hymnal #2173

*BENEDICTION

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 ...

Pastor Tom and Dreanna,
Pastor David Burroughs ,

Our Extended Family ...

Butch Bowman (Bev Thompson)
Orville and Bonnie Collins (Lisa Thacker)
Lorrie Murphy (Bev Thompson)
Mike Shirkey (Sandy Cupp)
Harold Thacker (Lisa Thacker)

Prayers for Our Military Families.....

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

March Usher: Jacob Gilley

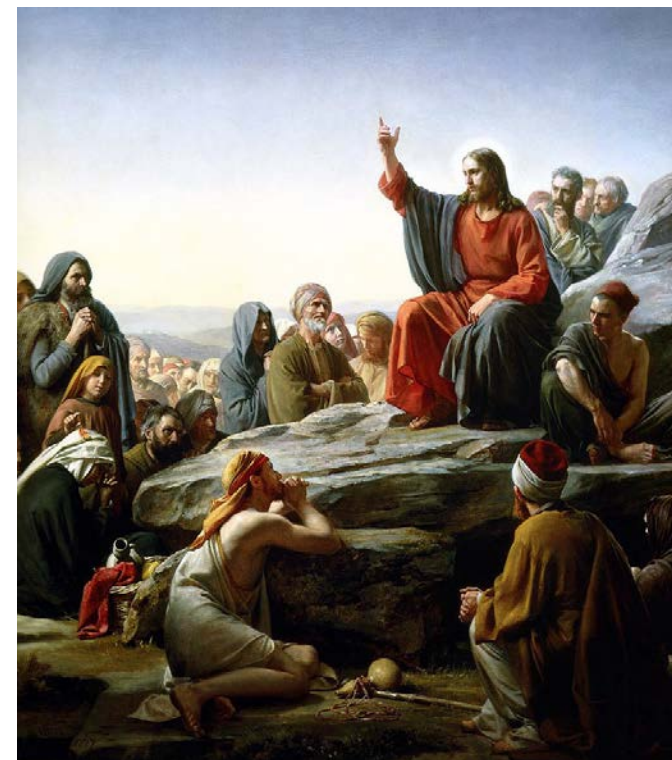


Inclement Weather and Cancellation Notice

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.

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Over 130 years of serving God and the Community



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

VBS Meeting TODAY after worship service (11 am).

Transition Team Meeting TODAY at 6pm. All members encouraged to attend.

Ash Wednesday Service on Wednesday, March 6th at 7pm.

UMM Community Breakfast on Saturday, March 9th, from 7:30am to 9am. Meal includes-Turner ham, bacon, pancakes, sausage gravy, scrambled eggs, hot and cold drinks. Donations to be used for United Methodist Men’s projects. The breakfast is opened to the community, so spread the word.

Daylight Savings Time begins- Sunday, March 10th. Remember to Spring forward.

Prayer Shawl Ministry will meet on Tuesday, March 12th, from 1pm to 3pm. We supply the yarn, needles, and lessons. New members are welcome.

Bible Study of Romans is completed. On Wednesday, March 13th, our Lenten study of "Made for A Miracle" by Mike Slaughter will begin. It will comprise of 6 session each Wednesday night at **6pm**. We encourage you to come as you prepare your hearts and minds.

Every Soul Women's Worship Day is at Broadway High School on Saturday, March 23rd. It's free, but you need a ticket. See Donna Belle if you need more information. It's a wonderful day of praise, worship, fellowship and inspirational speakers.

The *Ladies' Ministry* is planning their annual yard/bake sale. The sale has tentatively been set for Saturday, April 27th. Remember us as you start your spring cleaning. No clothing items, but all else is appreciated.

The Lions Clubs "*Recycle for Sight*" program collects, sorts and distributes donations of used eyeglasses to people in need. There is a drop-off box in the narthex if you would like to donate any used glasses that you have. All donations are greatly appreciated

Stewardship Report: February 24, 2019

Church School Last Sunday	54
Worship Last Sunday	90
General Fund	\$ 2,234.17
Needed weekly to meet budget:	\$4,225.46
Restricted Funds	\$ 289.00

Current financials are on the bulletin board for you to examine.



Sunset Drive Lenten Activities

Theme: "Return to Me"

Preaching Series:

Ash Wednesday - March 6, "With All Your Heart, Return to Me"

First Sunday in Lent - March 10, "God's Generous Heart"

Second Sunday in Lent - March 17, "Imitating"

Third Sunday in Lent - March 24, "Repenting"

Fourth Sunday in Lent - March 31, "Coming Together"

Fifth Sunday in Lent - April 7, "Making A New Thing"

Palm Sunday, April 14, "Preparing"

HOLY WEEK

Maundy Thursday

Good Friday

April 18th at 7pm

April 19th at 7pm

EASTER SUNDAY

Sunday, April 21st

Sunrise on the Mountain Top at the Grandle's cabin 6:00 am.

EASTER SUNDAY WORSHIP IN CHURCH

Sunday, April 21st at 10am