

Fourth Sunday after the Epiphany
February 3, 2013 +8:30 A.M. +++11:00 A.M.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

PRELUDE "Amazing Grace" 19th cent. USA melody
 Boy Scout Trombone/Baritone Quartet
 (Ian Marker, Nathan Hinderer, Ben Hursh, Darin Hinderer)

***HYMN OF INTENTION** "Here I Am, Lord" (HERE I AM, LORD) No. 593

***CALL TO WORSHIP**

Leader: Followers of Christ are called to live in light of the Law of Love. Let us commit ourselves to the law of love in light of the birth, life, death and resurrection of Jesus.

SCOUT: Scouts are called to conduct themselves in light of character traits which reflect the Law of Love and are celebrated in the Scout Law.

SCOUT: A SCOUT IS TRUSTWORTHY

SCOUT: This is how one should regard us, as servants of Christ and stewards of the mysteries of God. Moreover, it is required of stewards that they be found trustworthy. (1 Corinthians 4:1-2)

Congregation: A Christian is called to be Trustworthy.

SCOUT: A SCOUT IS LOYAL.

SCOUT: But Ruth said, "Do not press me to leave you or to turn back from following you! Where you go, I will go; Where you lodge, I will lodge; your people shall be my people, and your God my God. (Ruth 1:6)

Congregation: A Christian is called to be loyal.

SCOUT: A SCOUT IS HELPFUL.

SCOUT: I will instruct you and teach you in the way you shall go: I will guide you with My eye. (Psalm 32:8)

Congregation: A Christian is called to be helpful.

SCOUT: A SCOUT IS FRIENDLY.

SCOUT: With friendliness, accept the message planted in you (James 1:21)

Congregation: A Christian is called to be friendly.

SCOUT: A SCOUT IS COURTEOUS.

SCOUT: Judge not, and you will not be judged; condemn not, and you will not be condemned; forgive, and you will be forgiven (Luke 6:37)

Congregation: A Christian is called to be courteous.

SCOUT: A SCOUT IS KIND.

SCOUT: Love is patient, love is kind. It does not envy, it does not boast, it is not proud. (1 Corinthians 13:4)

Congregation: A Christian is called to be kind.

SCOUT: A SCOUT IS OBEDIENT.

SCOUT: Obey my voice, and I will be your God, and ye shall be my people: and walk ye in all the ways that I have commanded you, that it may be well unto you (Jeremiah 7:23)

Congregation: A Christian is called to be obedient.

SCOUT: A SCOUT IS CHEERFUL.

SCOUT: A cheerful heart is good medicine. (Proverbs 17:22)

Congregation: A Christian is called to be cheerful.

SCOUT: A SCOUT IS THRIFTY.

SCOUT: As generous distributors of God's manifold grace, put your gifts at the service of one another, each on the measure he has received. (1 Peter 4:10)

Congregation: A Christian is called to be thrifty.

SCOUT: A SCOUT IS BRAVE.

SCOUT: Keep alert, stand firm in your faith, be courageous, be strong (1 Corinthians 16:13)

Congregation: A Christian is called to be brave.

SCOUT: A SCOUT IS CLEAN.

SCOUT: Since we have these promises, beloved, let us cleanse ourselves from every defilement of body and of spirit, making holiness perfect in the fear of God. (2 Corinthians 7:1)

Congregation: A Christian is called to be clean.

SCOUT: A SCOUT IS REVERENT.

SCOUT: Let us offer to God acceptable worship, with reverence and awe (Hebrews 12:28)

Congregation: A Christian is called to be reverent.

Leader: Let us then commit ourselves to the Law of Love known fully in Jesus the Christ this day and always.

+++At this time children in preschool-grade 5 are dismissed with their teachers in the front of the Sanctuary to attend Sunday School.

OFFERING

OFFERTORY +"At the Table of the World" Carl Johengen

Clinton Owens, Tenor; Steve Moore, Accompanist

+++ "Lord, I Stretch My Hands to You" Jay Althouse

Chancel Choir William Kaiser, Director

***DOXOLOGY** No. 94

"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!"

SHARING OF JOYS & CONCERNS

SILENT PRAYER, PASTORAL PRAYER, AND THE LORD'S PRAYER

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
 glory forever. Amen.

HYMN OF CENTERING "You are Mine"

You Are Mine



1. — I will come to you in the si - lence, —
 2. — I am hope for all who are hope-less, —
 3. — I am strength for all the de - spair-ing, —
 4. I am the Word that leads all to free - dom, I

I will lift you from all your fear.
 I am eyes for all who long to see. In the
 heal - ing for the ones who dwell in shame.
 am the peace the world can - not give.

You will hear my voice, I claim you as my choice, be
 shad - ows of the night, I will be your light,
 All the blind will see, the lame will all run free, and
 I will call your name, em - brac - ing all your pain, stand
 still and know I am here.

me. Do not be a - fraid, I am
 name. live!
 with you. I have called you each by name.

Come and fol - low me, I will bring you home; I
 love you and you are mine.

HEBREW LESSON

Jeremiah 1:4-10 Pg.698 OT

SERMON

Grace In Action
 Rev. Steve Stultz Costello

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING PRAYER OF CONFESSION

WORDS OF ASSURANCE

SHARING OF THE BREAD AND CUP

+++SOLO "At the Table of the World" Carl Johengen
 Clinton Owens, Tenor; Steve Moore, Accompanist

+++AWARDS OF DISTINCTION PRESENTED BY SCOUTS

Awards Presented to Cameron Turner & Brandon Hinderer
 Adult Leadership Award Presentation
 Future Scout Scholarship Announcement

HYMN OF MISSION "How Great Thou Art" (HOW GREAT THOU ART) No. 77
 Boy Scout Instrumentalists and Vocalists; Steve Moore, Conducting
 (Andy Bennett, Graham Hess, Clinton Owens, Jackson Miles, Andrew Hoover)
 The congregation is invited to stand and join in singing the 4th verse

BENEDICTION

+CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE "Three-Fold Amen" No. 898
+++CHORAL RESPONSE "Three-Fold Amen" Robert C. Bennett

*ORGAN POSTLUDE "Hymn to Joy" Michael Burkhardt
*Please stand if you are able CCLI License #1596957

Next Sunday at Faith Church

UMW Sunday – Angie Scavuzzo, Guest Speaker
8:30am – Sue Hirschman, Kathy Schirra, Cindy Wilcox
11:00am – Carol/Cherub Choir

Join us In Sunday School!

Nursery (Infant – Age 2) – 8:30, 9:45, 11:00 AM in Room 18
Following the Children's Sermon, the following ages/grades will be invited to attend Sunday School:

Preschool (Ages 3-5) – 9:45 & 11:00 AM in Room 20

Grades K-2 – 9:45 & 11:00 AM in Room 6

Grades 3-5 – 9:45 & 11:00 AM in Room 8

Middle School Youth @ 11:00 AM in Youth Room

High School Youth @ 11:00 AM in the Youth Room

Adult Sunday School @ 9:45AM in the Conf Rm & W Parlor

Adult Sunday School @ 11:00 AM in Room 16

wednesday night faith connections

Wednesday, February 6— Join us for **dinner at 6pm**

followed by **programs for kids and adults at 6:30pm.**

Registration information is available at the church info center or the bulletin board in the Sunday School hallway or on our website. *Contact Kathy Schmucker, Director of Christian Education & Spiritual Formation. kschmucker@faithumchurch.org or 330.499.6040 x17*

Parent Resources, Acts of Grace devotions, and Bible Reading plans can be found in the literature racks in the Gathering Area & Family Life Center!

Ash Wednesday Services will be held at Faith UMC on February 13th @ 12:00pm and 7:00pm. The Labyrinth will be available in the Family Life Center from 10:00am to 8:30pm.

Join us Tuesday, February 5th for our First Tuesday Prayer Service. Guest Speaker: Betsy Douce.

Announcements can be found on the insert in your bulletin.

Worship Attendance Last Sunday:

<u>8:30</u>	<u>9:45</u>	<u>11:00</u>	<u>Total</u>
119	154	139	412

THIS WEEK AT FAITH CHURCH

Sunday

9:45 & 11
11:00 am
11:00 am
5:00 pm
6:00 pm

Monday

6:00 pm
6:30 pm
7:00 pm
7:00 pm
7:00 pm
7:00 pm

Tuesday

6:00 am
8:30 am
9:00 am
9:30 am
1:30 pm
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6:30 pm
7:00 pm

Wednesday

9:15 am
12:15 pm
5:00 pm
5:00 pm
6:00 pm
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6:30 pm
7:30 pm

Thursday

12:00 pm
2:00 pm
5:30 pm
6:30 pm
6:30 pm
6:30 pm
6:30 pm

Friday

Saturday

7:00 am

February 3

Sunday School for All Ages
Confirmation - RH
Welcome Crew Training, Conf. Room
Joy Unlimited Youth Choir - Choir Room
Refuge Youth Super Bowl Party, Stryker's

February 4

Cub Scout Committee Mtg, Rm 6
FFPS Committee, Rm 5
"Gospel of John" Study – W Parlor
Covenant Bible Study – Rm 16
Meditation Group - Rm 8
Men's Open Basketball - FLC

February 5

Men's Prayer Group - Balcony
First Tuesday Prayer Service - Chapel
Quilts to Share - Rms 5 & 6
Celebration Bells - Rm 8
UMW Board Meeting, Rm 5
Boy Scouts – RH/FLC
Women's Bible Study - W Parlor
Ministry Council – Wesley Hall

February 6

Women's Morning Study Group, West Parlor
Office Staff Meeting
Carol Choir, Choir Room
Cherub Choir, Rm 8
Wed Night Faith Connections Dinner, RH
Wednesday Night Faith Kids, RH/FLC
Wednesday Night Faith Parents, W Parlor
Sewing For Missions, RH
Chancel Choir

February 7

Library Volunteers
Prayer Shawl Ministry, Parlor
Small Group Ministry Team, Rm 8
Cub Scouts, Wesley Hall
"The Challenge of Jesus" Small Group, Rm 8
Stephen Ministry Training, Rm 16
Living Faith Meeting, Conf. Rm

February 8

February 9

Men's Life Study, Variety's

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BOY SCOUT SUNDAY

WELCOME!

Today is Boy Scout Sunday. We welcome all Scouts and their families with appreciation for all the good they do. Indeed, we welcome all who are here to worship our heavenly Father.

Co-Pastors: Rev. Steve and Cara Stultz Costello

Organist: William Kaiser

Communion Stewards: Boy Scouts

The altar flowers are given by Jamie & Brady Spence in memory of Jim and Carolyn Ketchum.

February 3, 2013

- Communion is available today in the Chapel. Guided meditation books are available. Please enter quietly.
- Large print copies of the order of worship and hearing aid devices are available from the ushers.
- Restrooms are located in the hallway off the Gathering Area.
- Find Sunday School for all ages & Childcare Info inside!
- Copies of the weekly Prayer List are available at the Information Station in the Gathering Area along with Jan/Feb Upper Room & Daily Bread devotionals.



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