

First United Methodist Church January 17, 2010
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Second Sunday after the Epiphany
8:30 AM WORSHIP

HYMN SING (8:20) (Pick a favorite hymn to sing)

PRELUDE *Let Not Your Heart Be Troubled* Paxton

***CALL to WORSHIP** John 1:14
L: And the Word became flesh and lived among us,
P: and we have seen his glory, the glory as of a Father's only son, full of grace and truth.

***OPENING HYMN** UMH 732
Come, We That Love the Lord

***RITUAL of FRIENDSHIP and GREETING**

***OPENING PRAYER (Unison)**
O living Christ, you changed Cana's water into Festal wine. Transform our common worship into celebration, that we may taste your glory here and now and anticipate that heavenly banquet where we shall behold your face forever. Amen.

OLD TESTAMENT Isaiah 62:1-5

PSALTER *Psalm 36* UMH 771

CHILDREN'S WORD *Jesus Loves Me* UMH 191

***HYMN** *I Know Whom I Have Believed* UMH 714

***GOSPEL** John 2:1-11

SERMON Rev. James Persons
Surrounded by God's Grace

A PRAYER for the PEOPLE of HAITI
L: The seas roar, the earth shakes, buildings crumble, roofs topple and walls turn to dust.
P: Have mercy on the people of Haiti, O God.
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P: Give us compassion to weep with those who weep, O God.
L: People die, families mourn, mountains split, infrastructure and superstructure alike are gone.
ALL: Make us swift to help and persistent to rebuild, not just things and structures, but lives, O God: through Christ, the solid Rock. Amen. (GBOD, Ctr. for Worship Resourcing)

JOYS and CONCERNS

OPPORTUNITIES for MINISTRY

TITHES and OFFERINGS *It Is Well With My Soul*
(4% of the offering, plus loose change, will be given to the DWU Mission Team.)

***HYMN of SENDING** *Spirit of God* TFWS 2117

***BENEDICTION**

***CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE** UMH 666

POSTLUDE *Shalom to You* Held
God of Grace

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11:00 AM WORSHIP

SONGS OF PRAISE *Amazing Grace*
Shine, Jesus, Shine
Everlasting God

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INVOCATION and WORDS of WELCOME

CENTERING CHORUS TFWS 2226

Bind Us Together

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ANTHEM Chancel Choir
We Will Keep Our Faith Alive

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***SONG OF SENDING** *They'll Know We Are Christians*

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***CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE** *Shalom* UMH 666

POSTLUDE *Great Is the Lord*

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

RADIO BROADCAST (KORN 1490AM, 11 AM) is given in memory of Ellie and Paula, by Don & Judy Blumenberg.

1.10:10: Worship Attendance: 412;
Offering: \$9,471; Extra Giving: \$375
Jan. Mission Giving: \$600.75

PARTNERS IN FAITH #7 LDR: George & Pat Breidenbach

Greeters North Door South Door

(8:30 AM) Nick, Donnelle Hoffman Jean, Pat Wibben

(11:00 AM) Rich, Deb Platt George Breidenbach

Ushers - (8:30 AM) Garry Freier – Chr., Craig McManus, Ron LaFortune, Pete Jones, Dennis Zoss, Richard Naser, Jane & Al Palmquist, Mike Phinney **(11:00 AM)** Kerry Morgan – Chr., AJ & Cindy Bierman, Russ McCormick, Mike Bathke, Jack Smith, Nick Hoffman, Tim Mullican

Acolytes – (8:30 AM) Jack Powers, Walker Somerville

(11:00 AM) Caleb Larson, Ross Yeo

Cookie Providers – Natalie Wilson, Tom Zard, Casey Zoss, Jackie Hess, Donnelle Hoffman

Johnson Lounge Host – Pat, George Breidenbach

The Council of Bishops has called for immediate offerings to be taken for the **RELIEF EFFORTS IN HAITI**. Working through United Methodist Committee on Relief (UMCOR), every penny of your contribution will go directly to the relief effort. The **envelopes inserted in the bulletin** are for this special offering – even if they say something else.

Please continue to put an extra dollar or two in the offering each Sunday. The extra paper money goes towards church expenses. It DOES make a difference! Thank you!

ANNUAL BOY SCOUT SPAGHETTI FEED, today., Jan. 17, 11 am-1 pm in the church dining room. Menu: spaghetti with meat sauce, salad, garlic bread and dessert. Tickets are available from Troop 75 Scouts or at the door. Cost: Adults - \$5, kids 7-12 yrs. - \$3, under 6 are free. Proceeds go to summer camp.

MIDDLE SCHOOL & SR. HIGH YOUTH are selling FAIR-TRADE coffees, teas, chocolates, and cocoas. Flag down one of our youth in 6-12th grade and make a purchase. Proceeds will fund our Mission Trips in 2010 and other youth outings.

WANDERERS ADULTS CLASS will study Adam Hamilton's "*Christianity and World Religions*" beginning Sun., Jan. 17 at 9:45 am. This video-based study examines Christianity and four other major world religions: Hinduism, Buddhism, Islam and Judaism. No book is necessary.

UNITED METHODIST MEN organizational meeting will be a chili lunch on Sun., Jan. 24, in the dining room, following the 11:00 am service. **ALL** men interested in being a part of this organization and those who plan to attend the lunch, should RSVP to james@mitchellfumc.org or call 996.7721.

CROP WALK – There will be an organizational meeting for the CROP walk on Tues., Jan. 26, at noon, in Room 101. This program helps fight hunger locally and globally. The walk will take place in April. Contact Ron at dakotapasque@yahoo.com for more info.

UPCOMING STUDY – *Making Love Last a Lifetime*, an 8 wk. study, explores the topics of love, marriage and sex. Classes begin Tues., Jan. 26, 6:30 pm, in the classroom at the back of the sanctuary. Cost is \$12 per family.

MITCHELL AREA FOOD PANTRY – February is our month to collect items for the pantry. Cash donations may be mailed to Mitchell Area Food Pantry, PO Box 815, Mitchell. Totes will be at both doors during the month of February for your convenience.

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

TODAY
8:30 AM Traditional Worship Service
9:30 AM Coffee Fellowship in Johnson Lounge
9:45 AM Sunday School classes

11:00 AM Blended Worship aired on 1490AM
11 AM-1 PM Boy Scout Spaghetti Feed in DR
NOON Mitchell Area Singles in basement
6:00 PM 8th Grade Confirmation
7:15 PM 9th Grade Confirmation
MONDAY
9:30 AM Church Staff
1:30 PM Prayer Shawl Ministry
5:15 PM Outreach Committee
5:30 PM Hospitality Committee
7:00 PM A.B.L.E. Support Group for Parents
Who Have Suffered the Loss of a Child

TUESDAY

9:30 AM Tuesday Quilters
3:30 PM 3-5th Grade Bells
6:30 PM Financial Peace University – Rm 101

WEDNESDAY

9:30 AM Parent's Day Out
6:30 PM Chancel Choir
6:30 PM Middle School Youth
7:00 PM Middle School/Sr High Worship
7:00 PM Memorial Committee
7:30 PM Sr. High Youth
7:30 PM Praise Band

SATURDAY

9:00 AM Circuit Ringers

UPCOMING EVENTS

Sun., Jan. 24 Baby Recognition Sunday
Tues., Jan. 26 *Making Love Last a Lifetime* class begins at 6:30 pm
Sun., Jan. 31 Reception of New Members
Both services given by DWU
Worship Team

Pastors	Rev. James Persons, Pastor Andy Bartel
Video Tech	Julie Fritzeimer
Sound Tech	David Kirkpatrick
Sunday Support Staff	John Claggett
Organist/Chancel Choir accompanist	Lorna Braught
Chancel Choir Director	Angella Buenzow
Praise Band	Trish Bush, Nicole Chenoweth, John Claggett, Scott/Marilyn Jansen, Chris Jones, Amy Moore, Curt/Laurel Talley, Nancy Theeler, Deb Wilson
Treasurer	Elaine Barta
Visitation Pastor	Rev. Donna McLaird
Director of Children's Ministries	Carolyn Knight
Office Manager/Secretary	Short Larson, Irma DeSmet
Facility Manager	Keith Olsen