

TABERNACLE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH



7 Words that can Change Your Life



Listen to the words of the wise; apply your heart to these instructions.
For it is good to keep these sayings in your heart and always ready on your lips.
...so you will be able to trust in the Lord. Proverbs 22:17-19

SERVICE OF WORSHIP

for the glory of God * for the proclamation of the gospel * for the service of humanity

8th Sunday after Epiphany

March 3, 2019

GATHERING AND GREETING

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

Welcome to this time of worship! We invite you to record your presence on the pew pad found at the end of each pew. When all have registered, please return it so we may greet each other by name at the opening and close of the service.

PASSING OF THE PEACE

PRELUDE

(Use this quiet time to prepare your heart for the worship of Almighty God.)

*GREETING

Psalm 42:1-2, 11

As the deer longs for flowing streams;

So my soul longs for you, O God.

My soul thirsts for God, for the Living God.

O put your hope in God, for I will yet praise him, my Savior and my God.

*OPENING HYMN

Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise

Hymnal #103

*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH The Apostles' Creed

I believe in God, the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth;

And in Jesus Christ his only Son, our Lord; who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; the third day he rose from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and sitteth at the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.* **(this means universal)*

*GLORIA PATRI

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost; as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen. Amen.

A TIME OF PRAYER AND JOYFUL OFFERING

SHARING THE CONCERNS AND PRAYERS OF GOD'S PEOPLE

THE LORD'S PRAYER (unison)

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.

A TIME OF JOYFUL CELEBRATION AND GIVING

GIVING OF GOD'S TITHES AND OUR OFFERINGS

OFFERTORY

*THE DOXOLOGY

*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!*

OFFERTORY PRAYER

A TIME OF PROCLAIMING THE GOOD NEWS

SCRIPTURE LESSON Luke 10:38-42 pew Bible, pp. 903

TIME WITH GOD'S YOUNGEST CHILDREN

ANTHEM *Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah* Chancel Choir

SCRIPTURE LESSON Luke 4:1-13 pew Bible, pp. 892

PROCLAMATION 7 WORDS THAT CAN CHANGE YOUR LIFE: **NO**

[Today we begin our sermon series "7 Words That Can Change Your Life." These few simple words can help us navigate the complexities of life and experience the abundant life Jesus offers us.]

SENT FORTH, READY TO SERVE

*HYMN OF RESPONSE *Turn Your Eyes Upon Jesus (sing twice)* Hymnal #349

*BENEDICTION

*POSTLUDE

**Please stand as you are able.*

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WELCOME TO TABERNACLE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH!

THANK YOU FOR JOINING US TODAY! We're glad you're here. If you need a minister, or are searching for a church home, please speak with those around you or ask for our pastor, John Woods.

A NURSERY IS AVAILABLE FOR INFANTS THROUGH 5 YRS. OLD. Located in the Children's Wing, it is available during Sunday School and both Worship Service and is led by specially trained and vetted caregivers who will give exceptional attention to your child.

CHILDREN ARE IMPORTANT TO GOD AND TO US! It's vital for them to join us as we worship Jesus. To help, WORSHIP DETECTIVE KITS are available at the front entrance. Please return the bags to the stand after worship.

SERVANT-MINISTERS IN TODAY'S SERVICE

ACOLYTES: Mayson Eubank, Kaylee Keating

SOUND: Pete Cox

OFFERING COUNTERS: Freo Webster

CD DELIVERY: June Coyle

HOSPITALITY: 9:00 Ruby Archie, Bryan Newman, Gil Strader, Steve Swain, Dennis Sweeney

PLEASE REMEMBER THESE CHURCH FAMILY AND FRIENDS IN YOUR PRAYERS

Allix Bjurstrom, Averi Burke, Gail Causey, Bill Christopher, Joyce Ensley, Lacy Fogleman, Pat Foley, Lee Gilley, Sandra Goins, Sandra Greeson, Francis Harvell, Don Helms, Jane Lackey, Phyllis Love, Mack Jefferson, Shirley Johnson, Herb Jones, Allyson Josey, George & Kay Kiger Isaac Lanier, Caitlin Little, Joy Martin, Daniel Miller, Mary Morrell, Gary Patterson, Marsha Sarvis, Brandi Shaffer, Sarah Shaffer, Jewel Shepard, David Sherwood, Doris Sizemore, Nancy Steelman, Jeremy Timmone, Scottie Willis, Melissa Wood, Dicky Wrenn, Margaret Yarborough, Tommy Younts

PRAYER REQUESTS ADDED THIS WEEK: Marilyn Smith (hospital)

There are also numerous unspoken and unnamed prayers we hold before the Lord as well.

MISSIONARIES: Sandra Raasch (*Honduras*), Alger & Joyce Morris (*Cambodia*)

MILITARY: Jason "Caesar" Wolff, Joel Woods, Conner Worthington

SHUT-INS: Mary Claiborne (*Friend's Home West, #5102*), Bill Early (*Abbottswood, #B-315*), Nancy Fisher (*Abbottswood, #C-306*), Bill Jones (*1227 Ritters Lake Rd, Greensboro*), Martha Love (*Brighton Gardens, #260*), Meralyn Meadows (*The Laurels, #E-201*), Vernon & Jean Penry (*Abbottswood, #A-216*), Sandra Greeson (*Clapp's, #303-B*), Betty Varner (*Abbottswood, # C-124*), Frances Whitt

