

Sixth Sunday after Epiphany

February 17, 2019

CHIMING OF THE HOUR

11:00

ANNOUNCEMENTS AND PRAISES

OPENING PRAYER

Our hearts are lifted up toward God.

God created all that is!

We celebrate that great love of God.

God gifted us with God's only son, Jesus the Christ.

Rejoice and be glad today!

Our hearts and spirits praise God for all God's blessings.

Lord of light and hope, be with us this day as we have gathered to hear your word. Help us open our hearts to the commandments to love, even when loving is difficult. Give us the courage to be people who will commit their whole lives in your service. For we ask this in Jesus' Name. Amen.

Prelude

Choir

***OPENING HYMN** *The God of Abraham Praise* **No. 116**

***PSALTER** **Psalm 19** **No. 750**

PRAYER REQUESTS AND PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

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 that 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.

OFFERING OUR GIFTS TO GOD

DOXOLOGY **No. 95**

CHOIR ANTHEM

CHILDRENS' TIME

NT READING **Philippians 3:4-14**

*** HYMN** *God of the Ages* **No. 698**

OT LESSON **Exodus 20:1-21**

THE MESSAGE "Up on Sinai" **Rev. Garrett**

Modern Affirmation of Faith **No. 885**

CLOSING HYMN *O God Our Help in Ages Past* **No. 117**

The chancel rail is always open for prayer or for persons wishing to respond to God's grace.

BENEDICTION AND THE LIGHT LEADS US INTO THE WORLD

THE CHURCH SCATTERS TO WITNESS AND SERVE GOD!

* Please stand if you are able.

Staff

Pastor: Garrett Collins
Pianist: Janice Sizemore
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Prayer List

Members: Joe Beasley, Megan Brown, J.L. Duggins, Tilda Duggins, Gail Hawkins, Lib Hill, Mike Jones, Julie Sauvageau, Calvin Sizemore, Nathan Smith

Others: Gary Allen, Arlene Austin, Sally Bullins, Laura Clark, Tyler Escamia, Kathy Grantham, Ty Hall, Sue T. Hicks, Bart Kaiser, Brian Littler, Don Lockwood, Ricky Mabe, Don McCarson, Marie McHone, Jonathan Nichols, Denise Priddy, Patricia Richardson, Melinda Ring, Bentley Shelton, Sue Shoaf, Roxie Smith, Pam Slater, Wayne Stephens, Essie Tedder, Teresa Tyndall, Kevin Webb, and all our U.S. Troop Members and First Responders in harm's way.

Birthdays

Calvin Sizemore (17), Stephen Smith (17) Carolyn Ross (19),
Benny Slate (23)

Flowers

2/17/19- Jeanette Slate

Church Calendar

Sunday, Feb 17, 5:00 pm
Wednesday, Feb 20, 7:00 pm

Youth Group
Choir Practice

Announcements

Germanton Elem Volunteering: Anyone interested in tutoring local students, speak with Pastor Garrett.

Community Worship Service: Tonight, 6 pm, Fulp Moravian

Bible Study: Bible Study on the last 6 chapters of Luke; focusing primarily on the Passion Narrative and the meaning of it for our lives. We will be using, "Luke (N. T. Wright for Everyone Bible Study Guides)"
Monday, 12:30 at Stokesburg, 6:15 at Palmyra.

School Supplies: Join us through the months of January and February to provide supplies for schools in the area by leaving them in the narthex. Major needs are printer paper, tissues and Clorox wipes.

Non-Perishable Food Items: Needed for family in-need at South Stokes. Easy-to-microwave meals. Over 30 families helped!

Charge Movie Night: February 21st, 7:00 in the fellowship hall. We will be watching "Facing the Giants".

UMW 150-year Birthday Celebration: March 23, 10:00 am at Trinity UMC. All are invited to the celebration!

Palmyra UMC webpage: www.palmyra-umc.org