

SANCTUARY SERVICE OF WORSHIP
Last Sunday after Epiphany
February 19, 2012

THE OPENING VOLUNTARY *A Light for a Dark World* arr. White
THE GREETING
THE HYMN *This Little Light of Mine* 585
THE 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.**

THE ATTENDANCE REGISTRATION & OPPORTUNITIES
THE OFFERTORY PRAYER
THE RECEIVING OF TITHES AND OFFERING
THE OFFERTORY *This Little Light of Mine* arr. Labenske
THE DOXOLOGY
*Praise God from whom all blessings flow.
Praise Him all creatures here below.
Praise Him above ye heavenly hosts.
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.*

THE PRAYER CONCERNS
THE PASTORAL 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 the glory.
Now and forever. Amen.**

THE GOSPEL LESSON Mark 9:2-9 Pew Bible NT Page 42
THE ANTHEM *Shine on Us* arr. Greer
THE CHILDREN'S TIME
THE HYMN *Open My Eyes, That I May See* 454
SCRIPTURE READING 2 Corinthians 4:3-6 Pew Bible NT Page 178
Reader: This is the word of God for the people of God.
People: Thanks be to God.
THE SERMON "Glory and Light"

THE INVITATION TO DISCIPLESHIP
THE HYMN *Turn Your Eyes Upon Jesus* 349
THE SENDING FORTH
THE CLOSING VOLUNTARY *Shine Down* Farrell

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WELCOME TO WORSHIP
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Thank you for worshipping with us today. We're glad you are here.

Sanctuary Worship: 8:30 a.m. and 11:00 a.m.
Coffee Fellowship: 9:30 a.m. Adult Meet & Greet – Moore Hall
Sunday School: 9:45 a.m.
Nursery: A nursery is available for all morning services for
ages birth through 36 months. A cry room is also
located at the rear of the sanctuary.
Children's Church: A Children's Church program is available for ages
3 – 1st grade following children's time.
Food Pantry There is a box located in the narthex for
non-perishable donations.

Senior Pastor: Rev. Rod Dickson-Rishel
Associate Pastor: Rev. Anna Fleming
Associate Pastor: Rev. Ben Barlow
Music Director: Mandy Long
Pianist: Jane Cockrell

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Tickled Pink
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**Sugar and spice and everything nice
That's what little girls are made of!**

*You are invited to a
Baby Shower
Honoring
Emily Barlow
Sunday, March 4th
2:00 - 4:00 p.m.
Heritage Hall*

Given by: Marsha Bishop, Amanda Wood & Lori Cripple

Mountain T.O.P. Friends Weekend: Join us for a great weekend at
Camp Cumberland Pines, Tennessee as we begin our 28th year of service
to the people of the Cumberland Plateau and the enrichment of our own
lives in the process. We'll leave Wednesday morning 2/29 and return
home Sunday 3/4. On Thursday, Friday and Saturday we'll be working
on four construction and renovation projects on camp facilities, to
prepare them for the 2,000 youth and adults who will be serving the
surrounding communities this summer in ways similar to the help we've
been receiving since Katrina. The fee for the weekend is \$125, and can
be paid when we arrive. Call John Armstrong, 547-6082 for more info &
to RSVP.

Educator Appreciation: As we gear up to show our appreciation to
educators in our community, we are asking something from you to make
it a success! Please take time to sign up to provide one or more of
following items for the brunch reception:

Donut holes (any flavor)
cheese cubes
grapes (any flavor)
strawberries
fresh pineapple cubed
Orange Juice
Apple Juice

Nurture News: The Nurture Committee is looking for volunteers
willing to drive church members unable to drive themselves to doctor's
appointments, to church, to do errands, etc. If you are interested in
occasionally providing this service, please contact Lucy Reagan at 822-
0988 or 365-2122.

Adult Small Groups will be launching the week of **March 4**. All are
invited to join! We will have information on all of our small group
opportunities during our 3 Sunday worship services beginning this
Sunday. If you are interested in hosting, leading, or feeding, please
contact Rev. Ben Barlow @ 806-2787 or Amanda Wood @ 547-9514 for
details.

Children's Ministry News: We will be meet at Big Play Family Fun
Center next Saturday, Feb. 25th, at 4:00 p.m. for an afternoon of goofy
golfing with our kids! We will eat dinner after at Hog Heaven BBQ.
Call Lori Cripple at 206-0185 to RSVP and for pricing information.

The 8th Annual
 Wesley Foundation of MGCCC-JD and USM-Gulf Coast
 Sampling Supper and Silent Auction
 Saturday, March 3, 2012
 FUMC Long Beach, 208 Pine Street, Long Beach
 Silent Auction 5:00pm, Dinner 6:00pm
 Tickets at the door: Adults \$10, Students \$5, 4 & under Free
 For Tickets: Janis Slade 209-5268 or Wesley4JD@aol.com

- Come Sample some of the best dishes on the Coast prepared by our local United Methodist churches! No one ever goes home hungry!!!
- Silent Auction - Come bid on the silent auction from 5-7 p.m. We need your donations for the silent auction of new and “nearly new” items. You can receive a donation receipt form if you request it.
- Entertainment - You'll be entertained by local church talent and youth!
- Silver Spatula Award - Vote for your favorite dish by placing Monetary donations in the Voting Cups. The church receiving the most donations will win the Silver Spatula for being the Seashore District church with the best cooks!!
- Tickets can be purchased from your church's Wesley Advisory Board Rep. If your church doesn't have a Rep., call Janis at the number above.
- Reserved Tables –You can reserve a table by purchasing 8 adult tickets by March 2nd. This is the only way to reserve a table.
- Church Donation Award – The church that has the most monetary donations turned in by March 2nd receives the Church Donation Award. With donation, please include the name of the church you want to receive credit toward the donation award.

All proceeds will be used for student scholarships and mission projects!!
 Donations are gladly accepted and may be sent to:
 MGCCC- JD Wesley or USM-Gulf Coast Wesley
 P. O. Box 7794, Gulfport, MS 39506

MOSAIC 2012 is just around the corner. Mark your calendars for June 28-July 1. MOSAIC will be taking on a new look and feel as we seek to transition from a student mission camp focused on home repair to a church-wide local mission saturation weekend. If you are interested in leading or serving in any way then you are invited to an informational meeting on Wednesday February 29 at 6:00pm in Heritage Hall.

Sunday

- 8:30 Sanctuary Morning Worship
- 9:45 Sunday School
- 11:00 Sanctuary Morning Worship
- 11:00 Worship @ The Well – Fleming Auditorium USM Gulf Park
- 3:30 Puppet Ministry
- 5:00 UMYF
- 5:00 Moms in Touch
- 6:00 Staff Parish Relations Committee Meeting

Monday

- 6:00 Boy Scouts – CLC
- 7:00 UMW Circle 1

Tuesday

OFFICE CLOSED

- 9:00 Bible Study
- 6:00 Boy Scouts - CLC

Wednesday

- 11:45 O.A.K.S. Luncheon
- 12:30 Moms In Touch
- 5:30 Youth Heart & Soul
- 6:00 Ash Wednesday Service

Thursday

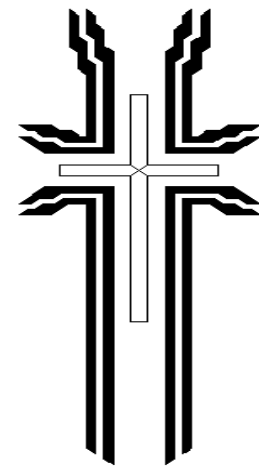
- 5:00 Bible Study – Good News class

Shine on Us
 arr. Greer

*Lord, let the light, light of Your face, shine on us.
 Lord, let Your light, light of Your face, shine on us.
 That we may be saved, That we may have life.
 To find our way in the darkest night.
 Let Your light shine on us.*

*Lord, let Your grace, grace from Your hand, fall on us.
 Lord, let Your grace, grace from Your hand, fall on us.
 That we may be saved, That we may have life.
 To find our way in the darkest night.
 Let Your grace fall on us.*

*Lord, let your love, love with no end, come over us.
 Lord, let Your love, love with no end, come over us.
 That we may be saved, That we may have life.
 To find our way in the darkest night.
 Let Your love come over us.
 Let Your grace fall on us.
 Let Your light shine on us. O Lord.*



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