

BENSON MEMORIAL UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

First Sunday after the Epiphany

Baptism of the Lord

January 10, 2010

ENTRANCE AND PRAISE

GATHERING

Trinity Chimes *Gathered by God in worship- "Father, Son, and Holy Spirit"*

Prelude

Bringing in the Light of Christ

8:45 a.m. Acolyte – Lindsay

Lehman

11:00 a.m. Acolyte – Abby

Nichols

Welcome

Please pass the Friendship Pads at this time.

Introit

"We Sing to You, O God"

arr.

Darwall

***CALL TO WORSHIP**

8:45 a.m. Lay Reader – Ruth

Watson

11:00 a.m. Lay Reader – Phil

Darbee

Give to the Lord God the glory of His name!

Worship the Lord God in holy array!!

The glory of God thunders!

The voice of the Lord is upon many waters!

God is powerful, and full of majesty!

Let us praise the name of the Lord! *(From Psalm 29)*

***HYMN**

"Baptized In Water"

2248

***PASSING OF THE PEACE**

RECEPTION INTO THE CHURCH - Ethan and Erin Brady

38

TIME WITH CHILDREN

"Holy Bath!"

PROCLAMATION AND RESPONSE

ANTHEM

"The Gift of Love"

arr.

Hopson

SHARED WITNESS AND PRAYERS

Prayer Requests and Prayers of the People, Lord's Prayer

895

OFFERTORY

"Lord, Here Am I"

Beck

Duet: Sam Fransen and Randy Hallman

DOXOLOGY
2036

"Give Thanks"

Give thanks with a grateful heart, give thanks to the Holy One, give thanks because he's given Jesus Christ his Son. And now let the weak say, "I am strong"; let the poor say, "I am rich because of what the Lord has done for us." Give thanks!

*HYMN
622
- 3

"There Is a Fountain Filled with Blood"

Verses 1

SCRIPTURE LESSON
22

Luke 3:15-18, 21-

SERMON
Williams

"Beneath the Flood"

Rev. Skip

SENDING FORTH INTO GOD'S WORLD

*HYMN
188

"Christ Is the World's Light"

*TAKING THE LIGHT OF CHRIST INTO THE WORLD

*A SENDING FORTH

*Benediction

*Choral Benediction Response "Seven-Fold Amen"

Lutkin

*Trinity Chimes

*Postlude

*(*Please stand as you are able)*

WONDERFUL WEDNESDAY reservation slips can be filled out and placed in offering plates.

CONCERNS

Prayer Concerns: Mary Alice Brown, Becky Clegg, Elsie Gabriel, Cindy Grau, Fred and Bettye Greger, Bill Kirven, Walter and Charlie Lackey, Charles McAdams, Elaine McBride, Allen Till, Bob and Gracie Walker, Camille Yorkey,

Service men and women serving our country. For Prayer Concern Requests, please complete the Prayer Request Card in the Pew Book Racks or contact the church office 787-0789. Names on the Prayer Concern List will remain two weeks unless advised otherwise.

The Flowers on the altar are given by John and Susan Siphers to the glory of God and in honor of Leslie for her Twenty-First Birthday.

Last Week's Attendance: Sunday School: 157 Worship Service: 271

OPPORTUNITIES FOR THE WEEK OF JANUARY 10 - 16, 2010

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| <p>Sunday, January 10
 8:45 a.m. Worship
 9:45 a.m. Sunday School
 11:00 a.m. Worship
 12:00 p.m. Fr. Af. Worship – Rooms 202/203
 1:00 p.m. – 2:00 p.m. Boy Scout Court of Honor - Sanctuary
 1:00 – 5:00 p.m. Boy Scout Court of Honor – FH
 2:00 p.m. Praise Band – YC
 3:00 p.m. Chancel Chimes
 4:00 p.m. UMYF – YC
 4:30 p.m. Children's Chimes
 4:30 p.m. Children's Council – CR
 5:00 p.m. Carol Choir
 6:30 p.m. Another Level – Oliver Twist</p> <p>Monday, January 11
 5:00 p.m. Dance Class – FH
 5:30 p.m. Instrumental Ensemble – Sanctuary
 6:30 p.m. Women's Retreat Planning Committee – CR
 6:30 p.m. Girl Scouts – Room 111
 7:00 p.m. Boy Scouts</p> | <p>Tuesday, January 12
 10:00 a.m. Bible Study – CR
 4:00 p.m. Voices Together – Room 203
 5:00 p.m. Dance Class – FH
 6:30 p.m. Trustees – Room 202
 6:30 p.m. Staff Parish - CR</p> <p>Wednesday, January 13
 6:45 a.m. Men's Bible Study-CR
 4:00 p.m. Voices Together – Room 202/203
 5:00 p.m. Dance – YC
 5:30 p.m. Wonderful Wednesday – FH
 6:30 p.m. Divorce Care – CR
 6:30 p.m. Cub Scouts Tiger Den – Room 113
 6:30 p.m. Women's Bible Study – Room 202</p> <p>Thursday, January 14
 6:00 p.m. Girl Scouts – Room 111
 7:00 p.m. High School Bible Study – Boone's Home
 7:30 p.m. Choir Practice</p> <p>Friday, January 15
 8:00 p.m. – 8: a.m. Saturday, Boy Scout OA Chapter Lock-In – FH
 6:30 p.m. Girl Scouts of Coastal Pines – Room 113</p> <p>Saturday, January 16
 9:00 a.m. Building Committee Sponsored Congregation Meeting with</p> |
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 Children's Choirs Director; Shannon Luxford, Preschool Director