

January 7, 2018

First Sunday after the Epiphany

Union Cross Moravian Church

"A Christian Family seeking to reflect God's Love"

**Chimes
Micah Draper**

**Call to Worship
Roger Johnson**

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Sharing our Gifts with the Lord

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SERVICE of HOLY COMMUNION for EPIPHANY

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Faithful Christians, One and All

Blessing and Selecting of the Watchwords



Pastor: Rev. Russell Williams
Choir Director: Phyllis Long

Organist/Pianist: Janice Reich
Alice Linville

Today

Sunday School

Opening

Dwight Deal

Infant Nursery

Frances Brown

Dee McGee

Preschool Nursery

Teresa Sells

Tot Noel

Custodial Check

Dan Johnson

Brad Johnson

Greeters-Narthex

Connie and

Charles Leonard

Greeter-Vestibule

Dee McGee

Usher Captains

for January

David Kapp

John Woodard

Next Sunday

Sunday School

Opening

Paige Deal

Infant Nursery

Catherine Draper

Tony Draper

Preschool Nursery

Kim Greene

Emma Greene

Custodial Check

Brad Johnson

Karen Vaughn

Greeters-Narthex

Connie and

Charles Leonard

Greeter-Vestibule

Dee McGee

Usher Captains

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8:00 AM Praise Team Rehearsal

9:00 AM Contemporary Worship Service

9:45 AM Sunday School Opening

10:00 AM Sunday School Class

11:00 AM Worship Service

12:00 PM Confirmation Class

Monday

6:00 PM Girl Scouts

7:00 PM Board of Elders Meeting

5-8 PM Bojangles Backpack Night

Wednesday

7:00 PM Adult Choir Practice

Christian love and sympathy is extended to Judy Welch and her family on the loss of Robert Welch, who entered into the more immediate presence of his Lord and Savior on December 31, 2017

The flowers this week are given to the Glory of God and in loving memory of Rosa Lee and Earlie Leonard by Connie and Charles Leonard

Announcements

Share the Warmth Pancake Supper—January 16th from 5 pm to 7 pm. Serving pancakes, sausage, and bacon. Donations accepted. Proceeds stay in the community and go to Kernersville Crisis Control to help folks less fortunate with their heating needs during this cold weather.

Before and After School—Is in need of a Director, Assistant Director and Counselors. If you or anyone you know is interested, please contact Catherine Jenkins. Job descriptions can be picked up in the church office.

Nursery Volunteers- The nursery schedule for 2018 can be found on the church website or printed copies can be picked up in the fellowship hall. Thank you for helping in 2018!

The Nominations Committee is working together to prayerfully nominate individuals to serve on the Board of Elders or Trustees for the next two years. If you are asked to be on the ballot, please know that you were chosen after much prayer and with much thought. Please prayerfully consider your nomination. If you have someone in mind that you would like to nominate, please contact anyone on the Nomination Committee **FIRST**. As always, anyone may be nominated from the floor of Church Council. It is our hope, however to secure a sufficient number of confirmed nominees beforehand to be better stewards of everyone's time at Church Council.

Nomination Committee: Brad Johnson, Catherine Jenkins, Chrissy Johnson, Cindy Pruitt, Joan Grant (at large member), Karen Kapp and Kim Craver.

Crystal Etchings- We have a new shipment of Lovefeast crystals. If you would like one please see Natalie Johnson. Each crystal is \$50 and 100% of the total sale price goes to the church building fund.

Educational Opportunities for Seniors-Novant Health is offering several educational events for seniors dealing with depression, loss of pets, weight loss, and vascular screenings. Times/places and more information can be obtained from the bulletin board called "Senior Friends" in the educational wing.

Ongoing prayer requests can be found in the Church Newsletter.

Any prayer requests or updates can be submitted either by email (ucmc@unioncrossmoravian.org) or by contacting the church office (336-769-2411).

Looking Forward

- Jan. 15 Martin Luther King, Jr. Day-Church Office will be closed
Board of Trustees Meeting 7 PM
- Jan. 16 Share the Warmth Pancake Supper 5-7 PM
- Jan. 17 Adult Choir Practice 7 PM
- Jan. 19 Youth Retreat at Laurel Ridge thru Jan. 21
- Jan. 22 Girl Scouts Meeting 6:30 PM
CEC Meeting 6:30 PM
Hospitality Committee Meeting 7:15 PM
- Jan. 24 Adult Choir Practice 7 PM

Watchword for the Week is from Psalm 29:2

**Ascribe to the Lord the glory of his name; worship the
Lord in holy splendor.**

Our Generosity of Time and Treasures

Attendance 12/31/2017	Last Week's Offering \$9003	
	Building Fund	\$11,135
Praise Service	31 12/24	\$3618
Sunday School	67 12/17	\$3222
11 AM Worship Service	137 12/10	\$1978
	12/03	\$5154

Pastor's Office 336-986-9406

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The Secretarial hours are from 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m., M-F

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