# February 12, 2017 Sixth Sunday after Epiphany

Union Cross Moravian Church

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

Chimes

Call to Worship Catherine Jenkins

Welcome and Announcements

Insert A Celebration of First Responders

**Children's Chat with Pastor Russ** 

**Pastoral Prayer** 

Sharing our Gifts with the Lord

Offertory Hymn Jessica Williams

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Hymn 758 vs. 2 "Take Up Your Cross," the Savior Said Emily James

Sermon-Rev. Russ Williams "Not a Fan" Sermon Series, Part 4: Bondslave Sermon Text: Luke 9:23, Matthew 19:16-22

> Hymn 603 O Jesus, I Have Promised

> > Benedictions

Pastor: Rev. Russell Williams Choir Director: Phyllis Long Contemporary Service Leader -Jeff Griffin

Organist/Pianist: Janice Reich Alice Linville Church Secretary: Dee McGee

# Today

<u>Sunday School</u> <u>Opening</u> Karen Harris

<u>Infant Nursery</u> Karen and Doug Vaughn

<u>Preschool Nursery</u> Cindy and Grace Pruitt

<u>Custodial Check</u> Bobby James Cindy Pruitt

<u>Greeters-Narthex</u> Dan and Natalie Johnson

Greeter Vestibule Ina Jean Stephens

> <u>Ushers for</u> <u>February</u> Robert Welch Randy Knox

### **Next Sunday**

<u>Sunday School</u> <u>Opening</u> Ronnie Sisk

Infant Nursery Jane Lawrence Sheila Underwood

<u>Preschool Nursery</u> Chrissy and Brad Johnson

<u>Custodial Check</u> Cindy Pruitt Tim Smith

<u>Greeters-Narthex</u> Dan and Natalie Johnson

Greeter Vestibule Ina Jean Stephens

<u>Ushers for March</u> Doug Vaughn Terry Tucker

## Today

- 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
  5:00 PM Joy Group Valentine Bingo
  Monday
  10:00 AM Women's Bible Study
  - 7:00 PM Board of Trustees Meeting

## Wednesday

7:00 PM Adult Choir Practice

## Announcements

What is prayer? We speak. God listens. God speaks. We listen. This is prayer in its purest form. Wouldn't you like to pray More? Better? Deeper? Stronger? Come join the Women's Bible Study group as we study Max Lucado's book on prayer . . . <u>"before Amen".</u> We will meet in the parlor at 10:00am on Mondays, beginning February 13th. All women are invited.

**Missing Dishes**- Cindy Woodard is missing a casserole dish and lid with blue flowers on it that was used at the last bereavement meal. If you see it or know where it is, please let her know.

**Grrrr Bear with us.** There will be some construction going on in the sanctuary as the new stage area gets built. Some things may be out of place during construction but don't worry it will all come together in time.

**Thank you** to our special pianists this morning. We are so blessed to have people with this talent and willing to use those talents for the uplifting of God's grace. **Seniors Friends, looking for new opportunities?** There is a bulletin board located in the hallway of the education building that is especially for you. There are schedules for health clinics, exercise programs and other awareness articles. Check it out!

**Open House at the Resource Center. It's Not Too Early to Think of VBS-**The starter kits are available in the Resource Center from Cokesbury, Group, Concordia, Mennomedia. They may be checked out for a two-week borrowing period for you to get an idea of the theme and what is included. We will host an open house on **Sunday, February 12<sup>th</sup> from 1:00pm to 3:00pm** in the Resource Center with all options set up and also a chance to talk about the new Moravian option.

### Prayer Request Updates P

<u>Please add</u>-Willa Grey Hayes Wood and her family. Willa Grey's son, Mark, entered into the more immediate presence of the Lord on Wednesday, Feb. 7<sup>th</sup>.

Carolyn Haney who had hip surgery this past Tuesday.

<u>Please remove</u> –Susan & Stacy Sink, Kelly Dupree, friends of Beth Tucker

**Shirley King**, mother of Dee McGee, who has finished her radiation treatments.

Ongoing prayer requests can be found in the Church Newsletter.

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

Sermon Notes:

#### Looking Forward

- Feb. 19 Deadline for Church Newsletter
- Feb. 20 Women's Bible Study 10 AM
- RCC meeting at Immanuel New Eden 7 PM
- Feb. 22 Adult Choir Practice 7 PM
- Feb. 24 Confirmation Retreat at Laurel Ridge for Youth
- Feb. 27 Women's Bible Study 10 AM Christian Education Committee Meeting 7 PM

### Our Generosity Last Week \$5255 Bldg. Fund \$50

1/27	\$4046
1/22	\$4267
01/15	\$5523

#### Attendance Last Week

Contemporary Worship Sunday School 11 AM Worship Service 134