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**Bulletin – February 1, 2026**

***What Is Good***

**Glory Revealed Worship Series**

**Welcome and Announcements**

**Opening Prayer**

**Call to Worship**



**\*\* P – Pastor    Bold – C: Congregation responds \*\***

L: Beloved, what worship does God desire of us?

**C: To do justice, love kindness, and live humbly with God.**

L: In our life together as the body of Christ, what worship does God desire of us?

**C: To do justice, love kindness, and live humbly with God.**

L: When we share the good news with all creation, what worship does God desire of us?

**C: To do justice, love kindness, and live humbly with God.**

L: Come, let us worship God with justice, kindness, and humility!

**C: We come to worship God with our voices and our lives. Thanks be to God. Amen!**

**Our Statement of Faith – The Apostles Creed**

p. 881 UMH

**\*\* All to recite in unison \*\***

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 Gloria Patri** p. 70 UMH

*Glory be to the Father  
and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost;  
as it was in the beginning,  
is now and ever shall be,  
world without end. Amen, Amen!*

**Opening Hymn – What Does the Lord Require** p. 441 UMH

**Sharing Our Praises & Prayers**

**Pastoral Prayer**

**Offering – Ushers come forward**

**Doxology** p. 95 UMH

*Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;  
Praise him, all creatures here below;  
Praise him above, ye heav'nly host,  
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.*

**Psalm Lesson – Psalm 15 (NRSVue)**

**\*\* L – Leader Bold – C: Congregation responds \*\***

L: <sup>1</sup> O Lord, who may abide in your tent? Who may dwell on your holy hill?

C: <sup>2</sup> **Those who walk blamelessly and do what is right and speak the truth from their heart;**

L: <sup>3</sup> who do not slander with their tongue and do no evil to their friends nor heap shame upon their neighbors;

C: <sup>4</sup> **in whose eyes the wicked are despised but who honor those**

**who fear the Lord; who stand by their oath even to their hurt;**

L: <sup>5</sup> who do not lend money at interest and do not take a bribe against the innocent. Those who do these things shall never be moved.

**Hymn – What Gift Can We Bring**

p. 87 UMH

**Old Testament Lesson – Micah 6:1-8 (NRSVue)**

<sup>1</sup> Hear what the Lord says: Rise, plead your case before the mountains, and let the hills hear your voice.

<sup>2</sup> Hear, you mountains, the case of the Lord, and you enduring foundations of the earth, for the Lord has a case against his people, and he will contend with Israel.

<sup>3</sup> “O my people, what have I done to you? In what have I wearied you? Answer me!

<sup>4</sup> For I brought you up from the land of Egypt and redeemed you from the house of slavery, and I sent before you Moses, Aaron, and Miriam.

<sup>5</sup> O my people, remember now what King Balak of Moab devised, what Balaam son of Beor answered him, and what happened from Shittim to Gilgal, that you may know the saving acts of the Lord.”

<sup>6</sup> “With what shall I come before the Lord and bow myself before God on high? Shall I come before him with burnt offerings, with calves a year old?

<sup>7</sup> Will the Lord be pleased with thousands of rams, with ten thousands of rivers of oil? Shall I give my firstborn for my transgression, the fruit of my body for the sin of my soul?”

<sup>8</sup> He has told you, O mortal, what is good, and what does the Lord require of you but to do justice and to love kindness and to walk humbly with your God?

**Sermon – What is Good**

## **Holy Communion – Service of Word and Table II**

**\*\* Please refer to your handout or screen \*\***

**Closing Hymn:** A Charge to Keep I Have p. 413 UMH

### **Benediction & Commission**

May the holy wisdom of God  
Guard your ways and guide your paths  
May the living truth of God  
Enlighten your hearts and open your minds  
And may the living Spirit of God  
Give you life, and life to the full!  
Amen!

### **Lectionary Readings beginning Feb 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2026**

- Isaiah 58:1-12
- Psalm 112:1-10
- 1 Corinthians 2:1-16
- Matthew 5:13-20

### **Announcements**

- An important part of our Worship Service each Sunday morning is the music, especially the beautiful hymns we sing. Since all of us have favorite ones, we want to make sure we include yours during our Worship Service in 2026. Each Sunday morning we will use one of these in the service and indicate whose favorite hymn it is. Please write your name and favorite hymn on the card you have been given and give it to Norma Jean Harbin.

## Prayer List

### Church Family

Wayne Bumgardner  
Frank Dalton  
Sherry Doub  
Wanda Needham

Barbara Perryman  
Frances Sisk  
Peggy Willard

### Church Friend / Extended Family

Tommy Bost  
Tammy Seats Boyd  
Jimmy & Deborah Branch  
Jane Bullin  
Leisha Carpenter  
Mack Edwards  
Mary File  
Garry Harbin  
Kathy Harbin  
Lynda Harper  
Ronald Howell  
David Joyner  
Charles Kurfees  
Kevin McBride  
Kevin McDaniel

Mark Megela  
Ronnie Mudd  
Jay D. Prevette  
Vivian Royal  
Hal Seats  
Phillip Seats  
Mary Ellen Smith  
Kim Triplette  
Mark Wall  
Ann Wallace  
Robert and Susan Warren  
Tracy Webb  
Jeremy Wilson  
Savannah Wooten

## February Birthdays

Hunter Potts	1	Bob Faircloth	17
Johnlee Disher	9	Heather Perryman	18
Josh Doub	10	Tom Beroth	21
Lilly Cousins	12	Jessica Hunter Harmon	22

**Wesley Covenant Prayer** (Adapted from Rev. Jeremy Smith on [HackingChristianity.net](http://HackingChristianity.net).)

*I am not my own self-made, self-reliant human being. In truth, O God, I am Yours. Make me into what You will. Make me a neighbor with those whom You will. Guide me on the easy path for You. Guide me on the rocky road for You. Whether I am to step up for You or step aside for You; Whether I am to be lifted high for You or brought low for You; Whether I become full or empty, with all things or with nothing; I give all that I have and all that I am for You. So be it. And may I always remember that you, O God, and I belong to each other. Amen.*

## SERMON NOTES

- Where did you hear God speaking to you in today's message?
- What main thought(s) can you use this coming week?
- Did you hear anything new and/or different from the scripture or the message today?
- What reaffirmed or challenged you?
- Additional thoughts and/or ideas?