

# TRADITIONAL SERVICE OF WORSHIP

## 3rd Sunday after the Epiphany

January 21, 2018

11:00 A. M.

CHIMING OF THE HOUR

PRELUDE: Jordan  
*Prelude on "Simple Gifts"*

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS:  
(Worshippers are asked to sign the registration pads located in the pews.)

INTROIT

\*HYMN: No. 577  
*God of Grace and God of Glory*

\*CALL TO WORSHIP  
*(please respond by reading the bold text)*

Christ is calling you as disciples  
**Lord Jesus, let us follow you faithfully.**  
You will be led into fields of mission and service.  
**Lord Jesus, where you lead us, we will go.**  
Listen for Christ's call to you.  
**We are ready to serve the Lord. AMEN.**

\*PASSING OF THE PEACE/CONGREGATIONAL GREETING

ANTHEM Thompson  
*Softly and Tenderly Jesus is Calling*  
Mark Mathews, Bass

SCRIPTURE LESSON Jonah 3: 1-5, 10  
LEADER: The Word of God for the people of God.  
**PEOPLE: Thanks be to God!**

PASTORAL PRAYER & 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, for ever. Amen.**

PRESENTATION OF GOD'S TITHES AND OUR OFFERINGS:  
*As forgiven and reconciled people, let us offer ourselves and our gifts to God.*

OFFERTORY ANTHEM Mueller  
*Create in Me a Clean Heart, O God*  
Chancel Choir

\*DOXOLOGY: No. 95  
**Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;  
Praise God, all creatures here below.  
Praise God above ye heavenly host.  
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.**

\*OFFERTORY PRAYER

\*HYMN OF ILLUMINATION No. 396  
*O Jesus, I Have Promised*

SERMON: Rev. Emily Knight  
"Get Up and Go!"  
Mark 1:14-20

\*HYMN OF DEDICATION: No. 261  
*Lord of the Dance*  
Verses 1-3, 5

\*THE BENEDICTION

CHORAL RESPONSE *(Please be seated)*

POSTLUDE: Lang  
*Tuba Tune*

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\*CONGREGATION PLEASE STAND

**PERSONAL RECEIVERS ARE AVAILABLE FOR THE HEARING IMPAIRED.** Ask an usher for assistance.

ASSISTING IN TODAY'S WORSHIP

LITURGIST: Karina Descartin **HEAD USHER:** Gordon Middleton  
**USHER TEAM 2:** Ruben Allen, Chris Davis, Dan Fosmire,  
and Jason Brown  
**CRUCIFER:** Allison Matthews  
**ACOLYTES:** Frankie Crowell and Olivia Take

**FLOWERS ON THE ALTAR** are given in memory of Dr. Clyde M. Collins by Clyde M. Collins, Jr., Martha Davis, Page Baker, and Michael Davis.

### *ATTENDANCE SUNDAY – January 14, 2018*

CONTEMPORARY WORSHIP SERVICE	130
RIVERKIDS: WORSHIP	21
TRADITIONAL WORSHIP SERVICE	99
TOTAL WORSHIP	250
SALTY SERVANTS	32
NURSERY	10
SUNDAY SCHOOL	59

### This Week's Schedule of Events

<u>TODAY</u>	<u>JANUARY 21, 2018</u>
9:00 a.m.	CONTEMPORARY WORSHIP SERVICE
10:10 a.m.	SUNDAY SCHOOL FOR ALL AGES (McCord and Children's Buildings)
11:00 a.m.	TRADITIONAL WORSHIP SERVICE
4:45 p.m.	UMYF (Youth Group)
5:00 p.m.	CHANCEL RINGERS (Room 201)

### WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 24, 2018

5:00 p.m.	YOGA
5:00 p.m.	COMMUNITY CLASSES (New participants welcome)
5:30 p.m.	WEDNESDAY NIGHT DINNER (Fellowship Hall)
6:00 p.m.	PRAISE TEAM (Sanctuary)
7:30 p.m.	CHANCEL CHOIR (Room 501)

### FRIDAY, JANUARY 26, 2018

9:00 a.m.	THE LIFE CENTER
12:15 p.m.	YOGA (Parlor)

Upcoming Dates:

- Communion Sunday, Feb 4th --bring canned goods
- Sunday, Feb 4th: UMW "Soup"er Bowl lunch
- Sunday, Feb 11th Spaghetti Dinner for Youth Missions
- Wednesday, Feb 14th: Ash Wednesday. Lent Begins.  
Sanctuary worship service 6:30pm



**FAITH DISCOVERY:** Wednesdays @ 6:30pm in the chapel. We will spend a few weeks delving into the Holy Mystery which is Communion--then, after February 14th (Ash Wednesday) we will shift to experience weekly communion and prayer.

**WORSHIP TECH TEAM NEEDED:** Are you willing to help and capable of pressing a button? (That's *ONE* button) Britt Scott desperately needs help with running Sunday morning sound and slides. Training will be provided. You're not alone! [b.scott@riversideparkumc.com](mailto:b.scott@riversideparkumc.com)

**WEDNESDAY NIGHT DINNERS RETURN!**

This week's menu is Chicken and Rice, Broccoli, Salad Bar, Rolls, Brownie. Food is served at 5:30pm. \$6 Adults; \$3 Children. Please call the church office to RSVP, 355-5491.



**"SOUP"ER BOWL SUNDAY**

February 4th ~ \$7 Adults \$3 Kids  
Served 11am-1:30pm  
Homemade soup, salad, cornbread and dessert  
Sponsored by United Methodist Women;  
benefits Pace Center for Girls and Margaret's Memories.

**FIRST SUNDAY COMMUNION & CANNED GOODS February 4**

Celebrate the connection between Communion and service: bring canned goods for the Trinity food bank or a monetary donation for the Inman UMC food bank. First Sunday of each month. Next Up: Feb 4th

**SPAGHETTI DINNER FOR YOUTH MISSION TRIP:**

**Sunday, February 11th 5:30-7pm**

Dine by candlelight and twinkle lights; served by youth students. Every penny offsets the cost of the youth summer mission trip.



**ASH WEDNESDAY is Feb. 14th.** We will have an Ash Wednesday service at 6:30pm in the Sanctuary to mark the beginning of Lent.

*"Return to the Lord with all your heart."*  
~Joel 2:12

**Lenten LIFE GROUPS** will begin the second week of February and run until Holy Week (the end of March). Contact Kevin Round for info: [kevin.r.round@gmail.com](mailto:kevin.r.round@gmail.com)

**CONTEMPORARY SERVICE OF WORSHIP**  
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9:00 a.m.

**Gather with Songs of Praise**

O Come to the Altar - Elevation Worship

**Welcome and Announcements**

**Scripture:** Jonah 3: 1-5, 10

*All the People Said Amen* - Matt Maher

*Even So Come* - Passion

**Greet/Share Peace**

**Children's Message**

*Faith & Fun Worship bags available*

**Pray for Each Other and the World**

**Offer Gifts to God**

\*During the song, you are invited to place an offering in one of the baskets in the aisle or near the front altar\*

*Dayspring (Christ Whose Glory Fills the Skies)* - High Street Hymns

**Proclaim God's Word:** Mark 1: 14-20

"Get Up and Go" ~Rev. Emily Knight

**Sending**

*O Lord* - Lauren Daigle

*Especially if this is your first Sunday, Welcome!*

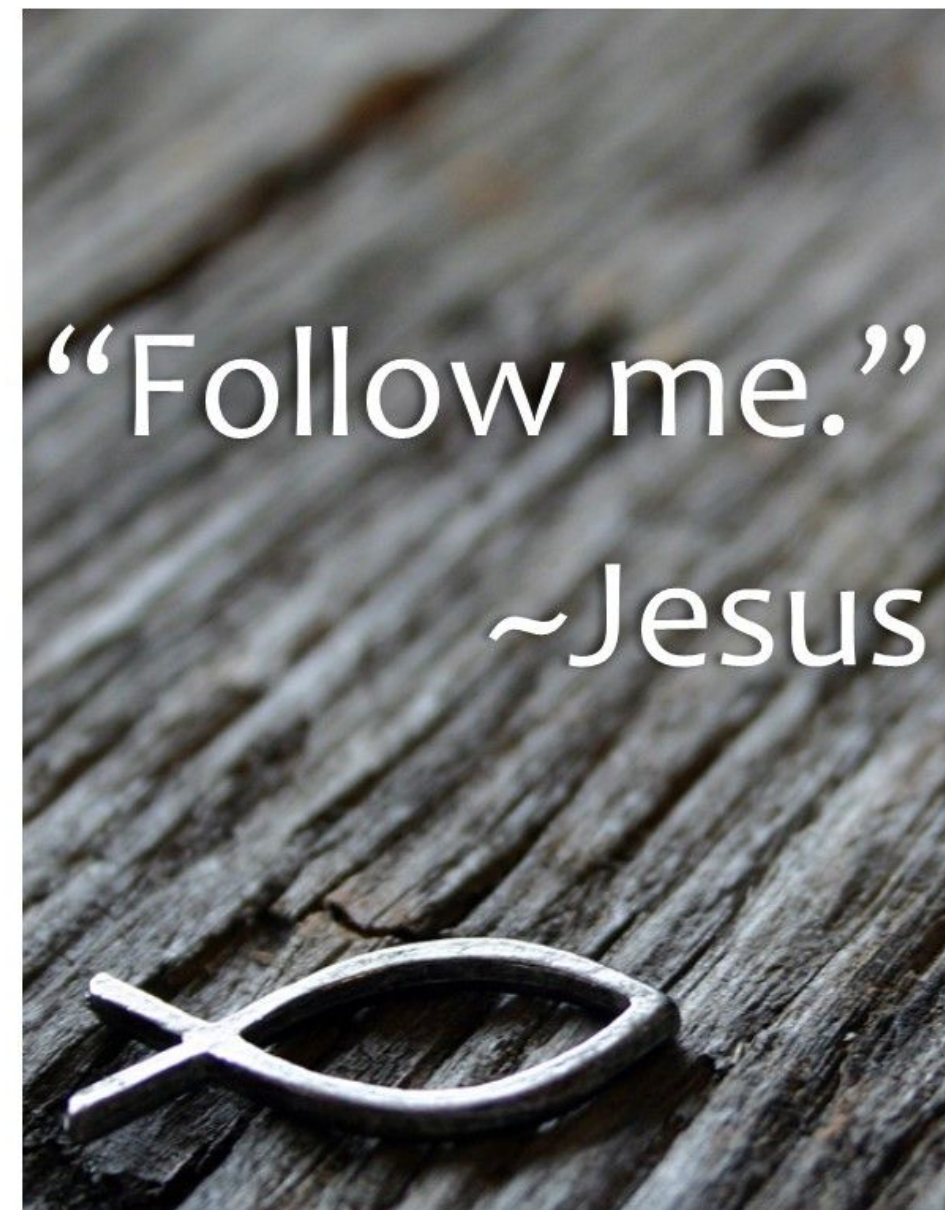
- We are glad you are here! We have gifts for first-time guests at the table in the back of the Sanctuary.
- Children are welcome to stay in worship, but our nursery is also open for the littlest ones (please ask, we'll help you get there)  
We also offer special Sunday morning opportunities for children to worship and learn.
- We 'set the table' at the beginning of worship by carrying forward symbols of our faith: a cross, light, a bible, and baptism water. If you want to help with this, (especially children) look for Mrs. Sarah at the sanctuary entrance right before the service begins--all are welcome to help!



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where our mission is *to empower others to live life and live it abundantly in Christ.* (from John 10:10)

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