THE SANCTUARY

Third Sunday after the Epiphany • January 22, 2023 • 8:45 AM & 11 AM

Sellers WELCOME

CALL TO WORSHIP "Joy Comes in the Morning"

"Joy comes in the morning, though my weeping fills the night. I will praise you daily. God who heals distress and fright. You have set me dancing, clothing me in joy and peace, So my soul will praise you with new songs that never cease.'

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CHIMING OF THE TRINITY

GREETING Dusenbury

Leader: Sing praises to God, O you saints, and give thanks

to God's holy name!

People: We exalt you, O God, for you have restored us to life!

Leader: We may cry through the night, but your joy comes with

the morning.

People: You hear us, O God, and you are gracious in our distress.

Leader: You turn our mourning into dancing!

Our souls cannot be silent!

O God, our Savior, we give thanks to you for ever!

"Jesus Shall Reign" * HYMN

* AFFIRMATION OF FAITH "The Apostles' Creed"

No. 881

No. 157

* GLORIA PATRI

"Glory Be to the Father"

No. 71

WELCOME AND PASSING OF THE PEACE

COLLECT

Our heavenly Father, we your humble children invoke your blessing on us. We adore you, whose name is love, whose nature is compassion, whose presence is joy, whose Word is truth, whose Spirit is goodness, whose holiness is beauty, whose will is peace, whose service is perfect freedom, and in knowledge of whom stands our eternal life. Unto you be all honor and all glory; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

OLD TESTAMENT LESSON

Isaiah 9:1-4

Leader: The Word of God for the people of God.

People: Thanks be to God.

CHORAL MEDITATION "God Is in This Room"

"In this room, there is a crying heart; a shattered life, a soul that's torn apart. And in this room, there is a broken home; eyes filled with tears, afraid and all alone. But in this room, there is a loving Lord, gracious Forgiver, compassionate Friend. In this room we have a gentle Savior who reaches us when we have reached the end. In this room, there is a soul who strayed; but redemption's price has already been paid. And in this room there is a wayward child searching for the answer, running, running wild. But in this room, there is a loving Lord. gracious forgiver, compassionate Friend. In this room we have a gentle Savior who reaches us when we have reached the end. God is, God is right here in this room."

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PASTORAL PRAYER AND THE LORD'S PRAYER

* HYMN

"Of the Father's Love Begotten"

No. 184

NEW TESTAMENT LESSON John 1:1-13

Leader: The Word of God for the people of God.

People: Thanks be to God.

SERMON

"God Revealing God"

Dusenbury

OFFERTORY

"Intermezzo"

Mascagni

from "Cavalleria Rusticana"

* DOXOLOGY "Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow" No. 94

* PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

Christ be with us. Christ before us. Christ behind us. Christ in us. Christ beneath us. Christ above us. Christ on our right. Christ on our left, Christ where we lie, Christ where we sit, Christ where we arise, Christ in the heart of everyone who thinks of us. Christ in every eve that sees us. Christ in every ear that hears us. Salvation is of the Lord. Salvation is of the Christ. May your salvation, O Lord, be ever with us. Amen.

* HYMN

"O How I Love Jesus"

No. 170

* BENEDICTION

* CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE AND RECESSIONAL

Please remain in place and join in singing.

"Lift High the Cross" Lift high the cross,

the love of Christ proclaim till all the world adore his sacred name.

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* POSTLUDE

"God, in Human Flesh Appearing"

German melody

§ Seating by Ushers

*Rise in body or spirit.

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A Stephen Ministry Church

Clergy: Will Malambri, Isaac Dusenbury, J.T. Brown Ministers: Belin Congregation Minister Emeritus: Harold Lewis Pastoral Cabinet: Mike Alexander, Keith Clarke, Sam Hale, Wayne Sayre, Connie Stinson

THE HARBOR

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Malambri

* SONG

"When The God Man Passes By"

* PASSING OF THE PEACE

* SONG

"I Speak Jesus"

* AFFIRMATION OF FAITH

"The Apostles' Creed"

CELEBRATION OF GIFTS

SONG

"How Great Is Our God"

SCRIPTURE MESSAGE

Hebrews 1:1-3 "Why Come?"

Malambri

PASTORAL PRAYER AND THE LORD'S PRAYER

* SONG

"Nobody"

* ANNOUNCEMENTS

* BENEDICTION

- Sermon Notes -

Announcements

- The flowers on the Sanctuary altar are given to the glory of God by Susan & Edward Ocker in honor of their grandson, John, who graduated from the Navy and has been assigned to the USS Harry S. Truman Aircraft Carrier.
- Women's Bible Study on the book of Hebrews begins Monday, January 23, in the Family Life Center at 6 PM. To register for this sixweek study led by Jennie Cundiff call the church office at 843.651.5099.
- There will be an **Acolyte/Crucifer training** class in the sanctuary on Thursday, January 26, 5 PM. For more information email Lou Smith (*likeazoo@gmail.com*).
- Shred-it! Protect your personal information and destroy your confidential documents, such as old tax returns, credit card receipts, legal documents, and more, at our paper shredding event on Saturday, January 28, from 9 AM to Noon. Belin Memorial has partnered with Shred-it so that you will have an opportunity to destroy your personal documents in a safe secure way. There will be youth on site to help unload your documents. Any tips received will help fund their next project.
- Calling all men! The **Untied Methodist Men** invite you for fellowship, dinner, and to hear guest speaker Pastor Will on Monday, January 30, at 6:30 PM in the Family Life Center. He will discuss Jesus' question to the disciples, "Who do you say that I am?" How you answer that question affects every other question of your life. RSVP by calling the church office at 843,651,5099.
- Are you interested in playing **Cribbage**? Contact Mary Mallick (843.651.5099, marym@belinumc.org) and let her know. If there is enough interest the group will gather on Thursday mornings at 10 AM, in the FLC.

Dates to Remember

- January 22: Youth Group; middle school 5 PM 6:35 PM, high school 6 PM 7:15 PM (FLC)
- January 23, 10 AM: Bridge (FLC)
- January 23, 5 PM: Worship Team Meeting (FLC)
- January 23, 6 PM: Missions Team Meeting (FLC)
- January 24, 7 AM: Youth Prayer Breakfast (Chick-fil-A)
- January 24, 10 AM: Mahjong (FLC)
- January 25, 8:30 AM: Rollie Hanna Breakfast (FLC)
- January 26, 7 PM: AA Meeting (Sanctuary)

In Worship Together

Our Mission: To make disciples of Jesus Christ.

Our Vision: To be a place for you to discover love, find purpose, and make a difference.

Our Journey: To connect, grow, and serve.



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