

**ORDER OF WORSHIP**

*February 21, 2016, 11:00am*

**Second Sunday in Lent**

**ENTRANCE**

*The people come together in the Lord's name.*

PRELUDE

THE LIGHT OF CHRIST AMONG US

CHORAL CALL TO WORSHIP "Praise Ye the Name of the Lord" Young

**\*CALL TO WORSHIP**

One: We walk by faith not by sight.

All: **Faith in the covenant made by God with Abraham and Moses, with Sarah and Mary, with all God's people in every age.**

One: Let us worship the One who calls us to walk the walk of faith.

All: **Let us worship our faithful God. Amen.**

\*HYMN OF PRAISE "Leaning on the Everlasting Arms" UMH 133

**\*PASSING OF THE PEACE**

COMMUNITY CELEBRATIONS AND CONCERNS

HYMN OF PRAYER "Were You There" verse 2 UMH 288

PASTORAL PRAYER

THE LORD'S PRAYER UMH 895

CHORAL RESPONSE "Threefold Amen" Danish

**PROCLAMATION**

*The Scriptures are opened to the people.*

CHILDREN'S SERMON

ANTHEM "Here I Am, Lord" Shutte

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

SCRIPTURE Genesis 15:1-18 OT 12  
Luke 13:31-35 NT 77

SERMON "To Do List"

**RESPONSE**

*The people respond with acts of commitment and faith.*

AFFIRMATION OF FAITH "A Modern Affirmation" UMH 885

OFFERING

Offertory

\*Doxology

\*Dedication of the Offering

UMH 95

**SENDING FORTH**

*The people are sent into ministry with the Lord's blessing.*

\*HYMN OF COMMITMENT "I Know Whom I Have Believed" UMH 714

**\*THE LIGHT OF CHRIST GOES FORTH**

\*CONGRATIONAL BENEDICTION "May the Lord, Mighty God" Carl Ashley

May the Lord, mighty God,  
Bless you and keep you forever.

By His grace and His might

Help you in ev'ry endeavor.

Long may His grace be kind to you

May it fail you never.

May the Lord, mighty God,

Bless you and keep you forever,

Bless you and keep you forever.

**\*POSTLUDE**

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\* = Please stand as you are able.

UMH = United Methodist Hymnal

OT = Old Testament, NT = New Testament

**THE FLOWERS ON THE ALTAR** are given to the glory and praise of God Almighty and in honor and appreciation of our Divine Sunday School Teachers and Children, Youth, and Adult Ministry Leaders.

**SUPPORTING THE CHURCH**

**BY OUR PRAYERS...**

Unless otherwise requested, prayer requests remain on this list for thirty days. We have an active prayer chain. If you have need for immediate prayer, please call the church office or Joanne Taylor at 910-892-7034.

Lou Allred	Larry Carmichael	Anne Johnson	Edith Sessoms	Judie Wilkinson
Ric Anderson	James Cooper	Stacey Johnson	Mattie Story	Kay Wood
Susan Avery	Nancy Cooper	Ida C. Lawrence	Nancy Thomas	Ronnie Wood
Ed Bateman	Lois Dail	Janice Lever	Lauren Walker	
Mary Blalock	Amy Dragotta	Bruce Martin	Irvin Warren	
Chris Byrd	Family of Keith Goretzka	Teeny Perry	Blount Whiteside	
Kim Byrd	Elliott Gifford	Rochelle Pope	Jennett Whiteside	

**BY OUR ATTENDANCE...**

**RECORD OF OUR FAITHFULNESS LAST WEEK:**

Sunday School Attendance	47	Offering Received	\$ 6,860.50
Worship Attendance	101	Weekly Cash Needs	\$ 6,830.05

**BY OUR SERVICE...**

		<b><i>Serving This Week</i></b>		<b><i>Serving Next Week</i></b>
ACOLYTE	Feb 21	Christopher Parker	Feb 28	Barrett Kesling
ALTAR FLOWERS	Feb 21	Open	Feb 28	Barbara Bynum
CHILDREN'S CHURCH	Feb 21	Wendy Spell	Feb 28	Steve Parker
FINANCE	Feb 21	Willie Ferrell	Feb 28	TBA
GREETERS	Feb 21	Carroll & Wilma Byrd, Herman & Linda Medlin	Feb 28	Robert & Kay Parker, Martha Smith
NURSERY	Feb 21	Anna Apperson	Feb 28	Laura Brewer
YOUTH VOLUNTEERS	Feb 21	Ennis	Feb 28	Parker
	Feb 24	Brewer	Mar 2	TBA
		<b><i>Serving This Month</i></b>		<b><i>Serving Next Month</i></b>
ALTAR GUILD	Feb	Kathy Gower, Suzanne Wood	Mar	Barbara Bynum, Kathy Bond
LITURGIST	Feb	Gordon Clapp	Mar	Gary Ronnfeldt
USHERS	Feb	James Best, Richard Bond, Mark Brannon, Whit Brewer	Mar	Harold Butts, Gordon Clapp, Pete Bynum, Jerry Callahan



**CALENDAR FOR THE WEEK AHEAD**

Sunday	Feb	21	9:00am Chapel Prayer
			9:30am Courtyard Fellowship
			9:45am Sunday School
			10:45am Sanctuary Music
			11:00am Worship Service – Second Sunday in Lent
			1:00pm Knit Wits in the Parlor
			2:00pm UMW in the Chapel
			4:00om Youth Band in the Sanctuary
			5:00pm Nominating in the Conference Room
			5:00pm Youth in the Fellowship Hall
			6:00pm Trustees in the Conference Room
Tuesday	Feb	23	3:00pm DUMA Food Pantry
Wednesday	Feb	24	5:30pm Divine Dining
			6:00pm Cherub Choir
			6:30pm Bible Study for Everyone!
			Interruptions – 5 Week Bible Study in the Chapel
			7:00pm Choir Rehearsal
Sunday	Feb	28	TBA Finance in the Visioning Center
			7:15pm Church Council in the Visioning Center

Our nursery is staffed from 9:00am-12:30pm.

**Chili Cook-Off**  
Ice Cream Sandwiches will be Served for Dessert

**FEBRUARY BIRTHDAYS**

1 Polly Clapp	11 Anna Uzzell	15 Juanita Simmons	22 Avery Apperson
2 Heidi Hamilton	11 Attie Ross Welch	17 Harold Butts	23 Greyson Spell
2 Patti Queipo	13 Bill Creighton	18 Willie Ferrell	23 Lauren Walker
5 Ronnie Wood	13 Huntsie Strickland	19 Betsy West	24 Peggy Mason
7 Brandon Tyndall	14 Sherrell Taylor	20 William Creel, III	24 Carolyn Smith
9 Susan Horton	14 Deborah Wood	20 Nathaniel Duval	28 Barbara Bynum

*Is your birthday missing? Please call the church office so we can be sure to add you to our records*

*A Place to... Belong... Believe... Become*

February 21, 2016

*Divine Street United Methodist Church*

**Rev. Elizabeth Gaines, Pastor**  
**Dr. Carl Ashley, Director of Music Ministries**  
**Rev. Adrian Blue, Director of Youth and Children's Ministries**  
**Ms. Susan Horton, Organist**  
**Mrs. Patti Queipo, Preschool Director**

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