



Epiphany Sunday
January 5, 2020
8:30 & 11:00 a.m.



We Gather to Celebrate
New Life in Christ

Prelude "KINGSFOLD" *English melody*
arr. M. Barnhouse

Service of Light Jesus said, "I am the Light of the World."

Welcome and Announcements

Call to Worship
 Today we celebrate the beginning of a New Year.

It is a time of great hope and sharing.
 It is a time to reflect on those things that count the most in our lives.
All: Together, let us share God's love with everyone we meet, that this New Year will bring joy and comfort to everyone we meet.

(8:30) Opening Hymn UMH No. 251 "Go, Tell It on the Mountain"
(11:00) Praise Songs "Go, Tell It on the Mountain", "You Are My Vision"

Opening Prayer
Choir Anthem "Just As You Are" *Marty Nystrom*

Greet One Another As Christ Has Greeted You / Friendship Moments

Good News for Children "Go Tell It On the Mountain"
 (please sing as the Children come forward)
Go, tell it on the mountain, over the hills and everywhere;
Go, tell it on the mountain, that Jesus Christ is born.
 Change Jar for Huntington City Mission
 (Children age 2 – 3rd grade leave for Children's Church)

Joys, Concerns, and Prayers

Offering Back to God
Offertory "We Three Kings" *John H. Hopkins, Jr.,*
arr. Joel Raney

Offertory Response UMH No. 95

Scripture Matthew 2:1-12

Words to Live By "Starting Well" Ed Grant

The Great Thanksgiving
Our Lord's Prayer No. 895
Giving the Bread & Cup—You are invited to come forward and receive communion by "intinction". You will receive a piece of bread which you will dip into the cup. After you partake you may choose to pray at the altar rail. As United Methodists, we celebrate "open communion", meaning it is not necessary to belong to this congregation to receive the sacrament. John Wesley believed the sacrament had "saving power", and no one should be denied. Children are always welcome.

(8:30) Closing Hymn UMH No. 254 "We Three Kings"
(11:00) Praise Song "Build Your Kingdom Here"

Service of Light Jesus said, "You are the Light of the World."

Benediction "Let There Be Peace on Earth"

(8:30) Postlude "My Hope Is in the Lord" *Norman J. Clayton*

(11:00) Postlude "Build Your Kingdom Here" *Arr. M. Barnhouse*
 Praise Band

We Scatter to Witness and Serve, Using the Gifts God Gave Us

Christian sympathy is extended to Jerry & Diane Wolfe and family upon the death of Jerry's sister Kathy. Prayers are requested for Kathy's husband Mark and daughter Kendall.

Remember in Your Thoughts and Prayers (as of 1/2/20)

Davis Antis, Nikki Bird, Kristin Bowers (Jerry & Karen Lilly's daughter), Kim Call (Kim Dunlap's friend), Dan Chandler (Becca Wilson's father), Maurice DeLung, Priscilla Deskins, Evelyn Easter, Jack Gibson, Linda Gibson, Katherine Given (Jeff Given's mother), Gertrude Graham, John Gregory (Evelyn Gregory's son), Allen Harrah, Jean Herman, Jim Herman, Kathy Hollick (Ruel & Patsy Elliott's daughter), Gary Karastury (Evelyn Gregory's son-in-law), Allison Kays, Pastor John Lowther, Corky Martin, Denzil Meadows (Connie Smith's uncle), Joan Mullins, Wanda Mumford (Susan Caldwell's mother), Bob Neumeyer, Steve Neumeyer, Robbie Parsons, Barbara Ramey, Jan Rowsey, Jennifer Salyers (Hermitt Stover's daughter), Betty Smith (Kelly McFadden's mother), John Smith (John Marra & Jill Gilbert's friend), Keith Smith, Victoria Spurlock, Betty Strain, Kaden Stowers, Bill Trent (Ellen Shoub's brother), Peggy Vance (John Vance's mother), Joe Varian, Margie Veit, Evelyn Warner, Levi Weaver (Gary & Sam Robson's grandson), Barry Whitten (Kay Chapman's son), Jack Wilson, Helen Wright (Beth Sauvageot's mother)

Home from the Hospital: Tim Landin
Bellaire at Devonshire: Jay Proud (Jean Kirk's father)
Brale Care Home: Phyllis Blankenship (Bob Blankenship's mother)
Elmcroft of Teays Valley: Ruth Alford
Rolling Meadows: Rev. Billy Reed Wickline, George Faulknier (Warren Faulknier's father),
 Laura Jo Smith
Teays Valley Assisted Living: Beatrice Dorsey (Steve Dorsey's mother), Kathy Burgess

Our Service Personnel: Chris Brown, Kris Cutlip, Will Dempsey, Jason Ellis, Ty Foster, Schad Gates (Mikki Larch's brother), Jon Hansen, Amanda Hollick (Ruel & Patsy Elliott's granddaughter), Jacob Hudnall (Jeanie Jarvis' nephew), R. Travis Hughes (Leslie St. Clair's nephew), Donnie Jacobs, Aaron Lane, Dane Meadows, Bobby Menear, Steven Miller II, Christopher Rollyson (Jack & Linda Gibson's grandson), Julian Skinner (Joe Ann Gyke's grandson), Hunter Smith (Betty Bailey's great grandson), Cameron Wilkinson

Have a Mission Heart Backpack Buddies: Please remember the Backpack Buddies ministry as you grocery shop. We are serving 95 school children this year. Your meal/snack items are welcome (oatmeal, pop tarts, juice pouches, ramen noodles, canned soup, microwave popcorn, small cereal boxes, granola bars, etc.). The green cart is in the church office. Monetary donations are also appreciated. Help us be the hands and feet of Christ. **Note: the 2020 sign up sheet to pack bags is at the Connection Center!**

Christian Community Cupboard: The Cupboard is in need of canned peas and canned carrots. Place donations in the cart in the church office.

Annual Pecan Sale: The United Methodist Women are selling pecans: extra large pecan halves (16 oz.), chocolate covered pecans (12 oz.), pecan caramel clusters (8 oz.; limited supply), cinnamon glazed pecans (10 oz.; limited supply), and glazed pecans (8 oz.; limited supply). Each bag is \$10 and can be purchased between services or in the church office during the week.

Get connected/Stay connected with Forrest Burdette:
 • If you are a visitor today, please fill out a Pew Information Card and place it in the offering plate.
 • Check out the website: www.forrestburdette.com
 • Sign up for the weekly "E-Connection" and the "Visions" newsletter. Email office@forrestburdette.com
 • Like our Facebook page: "Forrest Burdette United Methodist Church".
 • Sign up for updates for upcoming youth events by texting "@FBMUth" to the number 81010. Young Adults, sign up by texting "@FBYA" to the number 81010.

Kroger **Shop Kroger — Donate to the Building Fund**
 Register online at krogercommunityrewards.com to create a Kroger Rewards Account. Enter your Kroger Plus Card number. Enter NPO #86965 (Children's Outreach Ministries) as the organization you support. Or, call 866-221-4141 for set-up help. A percentage of your Kroger purchases will be sent to the Forrest Burdette Building Fund via Children's Outreach Ministries. *Remember to renew yearly!*

2019 Financial Statements have been emailed, and paper copies are available for those who need them. Please see Rosemary Cook in the Narthex between services and after the 11:00 service **today** to pick up your statement. Paper statements are not mailed unless requested.

Mark Your Calendars! Our Wednesday Night Live programming will resume **this Wednesday, January 8**, with a special evening for our adults and youth. Instead of holding the first meeting of small groups, the adults and youth will meet together in the sanctuary to listen to a **presentation by Rev. Barry Ball regarding drug addiction**, at 6:30 p.m. This important presentation is open to everyone, even if you are not in a small group. FB Kids will meet in Byrd Hall at 6:30 p.m. The nursery will be available. Please see the bulletin insert for this semester's small group opportunities.

2020 Upper Room Disciplines: If you would like to purchase a copy of daily devotions for 2020, you will find "Disciplines" available for \$5 on a table in the Narthex (marked down from \$10.99), published by The Upper Room.

Wednesday Evening Cook Still Needed: Are you or someone you know interested in preparing our Wednesday evening Fellowship Dinners in the new year? Do you have a lead for us or any suggestions? Please contact the church office (304-562-5903), or talk to one of our staff members. Thank you!

JANUARY YOUNG ADULT GATHERING
This Friday, January 10, 7:00 p.m.
Drip Coffee House on Main Street,
Hurricane

DRIP'S CAFÉ ON MAIN

Blood Drive
 Thursday, January 23, 2020 • 2:00-7:00 p.m.
 To donate blood and/or to donate your time, please call coordinator Jo Bess (304-545-0096).

Little Free Library: Forrest Burdette has a Little Free Library, located in the grassy area just before the COM covered drive. A Little Free Library is a "take a book, return a book" free book exchange for all ages. If you have a gently used book or two, for children, youth, young adults, or adults, that you think would be a good addition to our little library, please bring it to the church office.

December College Graduates: Please contact the church office with the name, school, and degree of December college graduates (office@forrestburdette.com, 304-562-5903).

Get Your Steps in!

The Forrest Burdette Gym is Open for Walking! Mon.—Fri., 8:00-9:00 a.m.

"I will support the church with my presence and gifts."
 December 29, 2019

Attendance Last Sunday:	10:00 a.m. Combined Worship	271
	No Sunday School	
Gifts Last Sunday:	Weekly Budget Needed	\$14,479
	Deposits for Operating Budget	\$11,204
	Deposits for Building Fund	\$3,370
	Other Deposits	\$891
	Budget Needed for month of December	\$62,741
	Received-to-Date in December	\$63,148
	Year-to-Date Budget Needed	\$752,888
	Year-to-Date Actual Received	\$717,578

Sermon Notes
Matthew 2:1-12 “Starting Well”

Assisting in Worship Today:

Praise Band..... Jo Chapple, Chad Halstead, Olivia Haight, Jayné Kirk,
Lauren Milton, Aaron Persinger, John Stewart, Jill Turner
Media Technician:Rick Estep
Sound Technician: (8:30): Jeff Haynes (11:00): Steve Cook
Greeters:..... (8:30): Marvin & Alpha Lively
(11:00): Jim & Linda Swan
Ushers: (8:30) Alisa Spiker, Sarah Warner, Joe Grady
(11:00): Steve & Rosemary Cook, Scott & Jan Ramey
Acolytes: (8:30): Sylvie Bartkowski (11:00): Emily Wilson
8:30 Children’s Church (pre-k—elementary): Caitlin Campbell
11:00 Children’s Church: pre-k: TBA; elementary: Traci Brown
Infant Nursery: Melissa Oxley

Birthdays:

1/5 Jackie Alexander, Billie DeLung, Cathy Keeler
1/6 Keith Midkiff
1/7 Seth Bowers, Brittany Bowie, Gene Lewis, Tom Plumley
1/8 Terri Brookshire, Curtis Ferguson
1/9 Leigh Anna Bennett, Shannon Lawman, Hilda Mynes
1/10 Lois Brewer, Lori Folio, Bob Sauvageot
1/11 Sara Davis, Joshua Johnson, Brent Nelson, Jennifer York

Anniversaries:

No Anniversaries this week

“On entering the house, they saw the child with Mary his mother; and they knelt down and paid him homage. Then, opening their treasure chests, they offered him gifts of gold, frankincense, and myrrh.” Matthew 2:11



Welcome to Forrest Burdette Memorial United Methodist Church!

... You may wish to take your birth to age 2 children into our nursery which is warm, nurturing, and well-supervised. The nursery is located off the narthex on the right. After “Good News for Children” age 3 to third graders may leave to attend “COOL Club”.

... Please keep mobile devices silenced during the service.

... As United Methodists, we celebrate “open Communion”; everyone is always welcome at the Lord’s Table. Gluten free bread is available.

... The restrooms are located to the right at entrance to Fellowship Hall and down the green hallway off the Narthex and to the left.

... At the close of worship, our tradition is to reach for your neighbor’s hand as we sing together “Let There Be Peace on Earth”.

THE MISSION OF FORREST BURDETTE U.M.C.
Minister to people where they are ♦ Strengthen and empower disciples on the journey ♦ Glorify God in all things

January 5, 2020

Sunday, January 5

8:30 A.M. Worship
9:45 A.M. Sunday School
11:00 A.M. Worship
5:00 P.M. Handbell Practice –Choir Rm
No Uth Lead or Bible Study until next week
6:00 P.M. Men’s Group –201
6:00 P.M. Worship –Chapel
6:00 P.M. Soccer (Elkins) –Gym
7:00 P.M. Adult Basketball –Gym

Monday, January 6

8-9:00 A.M. Open Gym for Walking
9:30 A.M. Preventicare –Byrd Hall
6:30 P.M. Scouts BSA 236 –Scout Hut
7:00 P.M. Trustees Meeting –201
7:00 P.M. Cub Pack 236 –Sanctuary
8:00 P.M. AA –308

Tuesday, January 7

8-9:00 A.M. Open Gym for Walking
10:00 A.M. Community Cupboard
6:00 P.M. Basketball (HABL) –Gym
6:30 P.M. Girl Scouts 10117 –Byrd Hall
No UMW Meeting tonight
7:00 P.M. Civic Chorus –Sanctuary

Wednesday, January 8

8-9:00 A.M. Open Gym for Walking
9:30 A.M. Preventicare –Byrd Hall
12:00 P.M. We Care –201
No Wesley Circle today
2:30 P.M. Hooks & Needles –201
6:30 P.M. FB Kids –Byrd Hall
6:30 P.M. Barry Ball Presentation for Adults & Youth –Sanctuary
7:30 P.M. Praise Band –Sanctuary

Thursday, January 9

8-9:00 A.M. Open Gym for Walking
8:00 A.M. TOPS WV 0530 –Byrd Hall
1:30 P.M. Senior Basketball –Gym
6:00 P.M. Scouts BSA 236 Committee Meeting –207
6:30 P.M. Scouts BSA 360 –Scout Hut
6:30 P.M. Dancer’s Choice –FH
7:00 P.M. Choir Practice –Sanctuary

Friday, January 10

8-9:00 A.M. Open Gym for Walking
9:30 A.M. Preventicare –Byrd Hall
10:00 A.M. Community Cupboard
6:30 P.M. Savage Basketball –Gym
7:00 P.M. Young Adult Gathering –@Drip

Saturday, January 11

7:30 A.M. Emmaus Prayer Group –110
9:00 A.M. Girl Scouts Cookie Rally –Gym

Sunday, January 12

Matthew 3:13-17
8:30 A.M. Worship
9:45 A.M. Sunday School
11:00 A.M. Worship
5:00 P.M. Handbell Practice –Choir Rm
5:30 P.M. Uth Lead –225A
6:00 P.M. Uth Bible Study –225A
6:00 P.M. Men’s Group –201
6:00 P.M. Worship –Chapel
6:00 P.M. Soccer (Elkins) –Gym
7:00 P.M. Adult Basketball –Gym

Upcoming Events:

1/14: Hurricane Civic Chorus Open House & Reception for New Members, 7:00 p.m.
1/15: Adult Small Groups & Uth Begin
1/16: Circle of Friends Begins, 10:00 a.m., Mission Outreach Meeting, 6:30 p.m., Cub Scout Committee Mtg, 6:30 p.m.

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