

***PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING**

FOLLOWING GOD'S WORD INTO THE WORLD

***HYMN** I'm Gonna Live So God Can Use Me 700

***CHARGE AND BENEDICTION**

***POSTLUDE** Classical Postlude Robert Hughes

BIBLE STUDY FOR BUSY FOLKS

The next 12 week study is the New Testament instead of the Old Testament, *The first study begins January 8, 2019 and concludes March 26, 2019. DISCIPLE* emphasizes the wholeness of the Bible as a revelation of God. The study book for the study is \$12.79. (Scholarships are available)

Childcare will be provided for each portion of the study, upon request .

If you are interested in participating in either study, or have any questions regarding the study, contact Mary Anne

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A Note on Baptism of the Lord Sunday:

In ancient Christian tradition, the Baptism of the Lord is closely associated with Epiphany. Both Epiphany and the Baptism of the Lord are moments of divine revelation where the saving purposes of God were made known in Jesus Christ. Since the two Holy Days are closely related, they are adjacent to one another on the Christian Calendar.

On Baptism of the Lord Sunday, we recall not only Jesus baptism, abut also our own and give thanks for our baptism into Christ that has brought us from death to new life.



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WELCOME!

Carrollton Presbyterian is a community of believers committed to welcoming all people in the name of Jesus Christ.

CHILDREN

CPC welcomes children and offers ways to make worship meaningful for them. Child-care is provided for children under 3 in our nursery downstairs. We have a child protection policy to promote safe, loving, and appropriate care. Children's activity pages are available in the front entryway for use during worship.

EDUCATION

Getting involved in a small group or class is encouraged as a way to grow in faith and develop relationships.

FELLOWSHIP

You are invited to a time of fellowship at 10:30am in Westminster Hall, located behind

PASTOR: Rev. Burnetta Armour

MUSIC DIRECTOR: Dawn McCord

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MUSICAL MEDITATIONS: Mary Anne Taylor

HANDBELL DIRECTOR: Dylan Burch

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USHERS: Scott Hight
Johnny Jackson

MONDAY, JANUARY 14

5:30 pm ACA Meeting
8:00 pm AA Meeting
8:00 pm Al-Anon Meeting

TUESDAY, JANUARY 15

12:00 pm Al-Anon
2:00 pm Open Hands - Food
5:45 pm Disciple Bible Study
7:00 pm Just Listening
 Veterans & Community

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 16

9:00 am Golden K
2:00 pm Open Hands-Financial
5:30 pm Wednesday Night Dinner
6:15 pm Wednesday Night Bible Study
7:00 pm Adult Choir

THURSDAY, JANUARY 17

11:00 am Soup Kitchen
2:00 pm Open Hands—Food
5:30 pm ACA Meeting

FRIDAY, JANUARY 18

SATURDAY, JANUARY 19

SUNDAY, JANUARY 20

11:00 am Worship
11:15 am Godly Play

**SERVICE FOR THE LORD'S DAY
BAPTISM OF THE LORD SUNDAY**

JANUARY 13, 2019

11:00 A.M.



Isaiah 43:1-7

PREPARING TO WORSHIP GOD

Centering Prayer

Eternal God, at the baptism of Jesus in the river Jordan you proclaimed him your beloved son and anointed him with the Holy Spirit. Grant that all who are baptized into his name may keep the covenant they have made, and boldly confess him as Lord and Savior, for he lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen

MUSICAL MEDITATIONS

Mary Anne Taylor

CHIMING OF THE HOUR

GATHERING AROUND GOD'S WORD

(*)Please rise as you are able.

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

PRELUDE Down to the River to Pray/Lord Listen to Your Children Praying Ken Medema

*A LITANTY FOR THE BAPTISM OF THE LORD

In the beginning, darkness covered the deep, and God said: Let there be light.

The voice of the Lord is over the waters!

Through the words of the prophet, the Lord said; when you pass through waters, I will be with you.

The voice of the Lord is over the waters!

When Jesus was baptized by John, suddenly the heavens were opened.

The voice of the Lord is over the waters!

And as Jesus was coming out of the water, the Spirit of God rested on him like a dove.

The voice of the Lord is over the waters!

And a voice said: You are my beloved Son; with you I am well pleased.

The voice of the Lord is over the waters!

*HYMN Holy, Holy, Holy 1

*CALL TO CONFESSION

*PRAYER OF CONFESSION

We are precious in your sight, yet we often forget that we are your beloved. We confess that our love is fickle and inconstant. We follow selfish goals and deny that our way of life harms others and hurts your world. We are sorry, and we want to change. Create in us a heart, strengthen our resolve, reconcile us one to another, and bless us with your peace. Amen.

*ASSURANCE OF GOD'S GRACE

As a voice from heaven said to Jesus, so in Christ, God speaks to us: You are my child, my beloved; with you I am well pleased. In the name of Jesus Christ, we are forgiven!

Thanks be to God.

THE PASSING OF THE PEACE

Since God had forgiven us in Christ, let us forgive and be at peace with one another. The peace of our Lord Jesus Christ be with you all.

And also with you.

Let us share the signs of Christ's peace with one another.

*Gloria Patri

**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.**

An adult leader is standing at the front left door of the sanctuary to escort children ages 3 - 6 who wish to attend Godly Play for Children. If you have questions, please feel free to accompany your child.

LISTENING FOR GOD'S WORD

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

GOSPEL Luke 3:15-17, 21-22 *Pew Bible NT p. 60
Candy Rader-Horsley*

This is the Word of the Lord!
Thanks be to God!

ANTHEM Washed Anew Schutte/Keesecker
CPC Choir and Handbells
Congregation join in as directed; see insert

OLD TESTAMENT ISAIAH 43:1-7 PEW BIBLE OT P. 672

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SERMON Called by Name

RESPONDING TO GOD'S WORD

*HYMN I Will Come to You (You are Mine) 177

ORDINATION AND INSTALLATION OF OFFICERS

Sentences of Scripture

There are varieties of gifts,
but it is the same Spirit who gives them.
There are different ways of serving God,

but it is the same Lord who is served.
God works through each person in a unique way,
but it is God's purpose that is accomplished.

**To each is given a gift of the Spirit
to be used for the common good.**

Together we are the body of Christ,
and individually members of it.

Statement on Ordination

*Profession of Faith

With the whole church, let us confess our faith:

Do you believe in God the Father?

I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth.

Do you believe in Jesus Christ, the Son of God?

**I believe in Jesus Christ, God's 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;
he descended to the dead.**

On the third day, he rose again;

he ascended into heaven,

he is seated on the right hand of the Father,

and he will come to judge the living and the dead.

Do you believe in God the Holy Spirit?

**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

THANKSGIVING FOR BAPTISM

The Lord be with you.

And also with you.

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

It is right to give our thanks and praise...

Constitutional Questions

Prayer of Ordination and Installation

Declaration of Ordination and Installation

Welcome

Charge to the Newly Ordained and Installed

PRESENTATION OF TITHES AND OFFERINGS

OFFERTORY This is My Song Sibelius/Krug

*DOXOLOGY