

# Highland United Methodist Church

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January 21, 2017

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Prelude

The Ministry of the Acolytes

Welcoming our Guests, Sharing Ministry Opportunities and Celebrating Special Days

Greeting and Sharing the Peace of Christ

Prepare For Worship: Ringing of the church bell

Choral Introit

\*Call to Worship    *Psalm 139*

UMH # 854-855

\*Opening Hymn: *Praise to the Lord, the Almighty*

UMH # 139

\*Opening Prayer

**Praise to you, Almighty God! What good news we hear this morning: before we see you, you see us...before we know you, you know us...before we love you, you love us. May we experience your love this day; may we rest and rise up in your love first and always for all your world. Amen.**

Special Music

Old Testament Lesson: *1 Samuel 3:1-11*

Epistle Lesson: *1 Corinthians 6:19-20*

Gospel Lesson: *John 1:43-51*

Sermon

Rev. Amy E. Pannell

\*Responsive Hymn: *Jesus Loves Me, This I Know*

UMH # 191

Sharing Our Joys and Concerns

Prayers of the People

The 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, forever. Amen.***

The Offering and Offertory

\*The Doxology (Praise God from whom all blessings flow...)

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\*Closing Hymn: *Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing*

UMH # 400

\*Benediction

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\*\*\* indicates congregation standing, if able

## **GREETERS**

January—Fred Williams

February—Lynn Bayley

## **ACOLYTES**

January 21—Abby Krauss

January 28—Emma McPherson

## **USHERS**

January 21—Youth

January 28—Women

## **NURSERY**

January 21—Crystal Weaver

January 28—Sherri Krauss

**Today** (After Worship): **CREW** (Christians Ready Eager and Willing) committee will be meeting for 1 hour. We will be discussing future projects, organizing volunteers and fundraising initiatives. Bring a snack. All are welcome! WHY Youth will be joining them.

**Monday, January 29** Joyce Johnson is throwing a birthday party for her brother Benny Fisher and their friend (and care giver) Clyde. If you would like to join some of the United Methodist Women in going please contact Carol Jane Moran at 483-2125.

**Sunday, February 4** (After Worship) A Walk to the Cross Organizational meeting will be held. All are welcome. For questions or suggestions see Terry Jamison

## **Super Bowl Subs**

Grab a delicious sub and support the youth all at the same time! The Super Bowl is February 4. Please fill out a form by January 31. Get a sub made just as you want it. Only \$5. Also in the \$5 price is one bag of chips and a pickle wedge. Desserts are available for additional purchase at the time of pick up. Order now. Pick up after worship. Questions or call in orders: Contact Fundriaser Coordinator: Cindy Jamison (540) 420-9781.

### **United Methodist Women Helping the Community**

The Franklin County Family Resource Center has been helping victims of domestic violence since 1983. Facilities in Rocky Mount, their mission statement is “to promote safe and healthy living environment for Franklin County families in crisis who are victims of domestic violence. A wonderful website shares information, resources, and ways to volunteer: [fcfamilyresourcecenter.com](http://fcfamilyresourcecenter.com) A free, confidential, 24/7 hot line: 1-540-483-1234. But if in immediate danger always call 9-1-1. The United Methodist Women are collecting items that people in the shelter can use: Shampoo, Toothpaste, Paper Towels, Hygiene products for men, Body Wash, Toilet Tissue, Laundry Detergent. They can also use towels and wash clothes (clean and no stains). Collection box by the entry way of the sanctuary. United Methodist Women will take the items each month. Questions? Contact Barbara Guilliams 483-1723.

### **Prayer Requests**

*January 14*—Ronnie and Sue Bernard, B.L. Furrow, Julie Darden (Judy Prettyman’s niece), Dawn Hall, Haskins Family, Fred Guilliams, Larry Harvey (Amber Sledd’s dad), Mike Adkins and Lee Meadow (friends of James and Dot Webb), Dean Blankenship and family (Ronnie and Joyce Guilliam’s neighbors), Sam “Sandra” Carter (Helen Aker’s sister in law), Jimmy Guilliams and family, Marie and Mike Sigmon

*January 7*—Ronnie Bernard and family, “Sam” Sandra Carter (Helen Aker’s sister in law), Shirley Fowler and Mike Fowler, B.L. Furrow, Denver Hall (Alton’s brother), Jessica Hall and family, Fred Holt (friend of Brooke), Nelson (Brooke’s son), Joyce Johnson and Benny Fisher, making decisions together as a congregation

*December 31*—Joy of new life: Alton and Peggy’s grand daughter, family of Margaret Hubbard (Barbara Guilliams’ cousin died), Ronnie and Sue Bernard, Celebration of birthdays: Thelma Hardy (Sherri Krauss’ grandmother) and Irene (Sue Bernard’s mom)

As members of this congregation, we will faithfully participate in its ministries by our prayers (see the prayer list), our presence, our gifts, our service (see announcements) and our witness (all you do and who you are.) We are thankful that you have blessed Highland United Methodist Church with your presence and your gifts:

1/07/17 62 Present for Worship and \$ 3,087 received in gifts

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