

Happy
Epiphany



January 8, 2023

**HODGES BOULEVARD
PRESBYTERIAN
CHURCH**

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ENJOY + ENGAGE + EQUIP

Order of Worship

***SONGS OF PRAISE**

Faith + 1

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

Jonathan Swanson

CHORAL PRAISE

***HYMN OF PRAISE**

Praise the Lord! God's Glories Show

#33

CHILDREN'S TIME

Andy Snyder

(Children through 5th grade may exit)

CALL TO CONFESSION

John 3:17

Bruce Boshart

Indeed, God did not send his Son into the world to condemn the world, but in order that the world might be saved through him.

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Merciful God, in baptism you promise forgiveness and new life, making us a part of the body of Christ. We confess that we remain preoccupied with ourselves, separated from our sisters and brothers in Christ. We cling to destructive habits, hold grudges, and show reluctance to welcome one another; we allow the past to hold us hostage. In your loving kindness, have mercy on us, and free us from sin. Remind us of the promises you made in baptism so that we may rise to new life, and live together in grace . . . (moments of silence)

ASSURANCE

Psalm 103:11-12

For as the heavens are high above the earth, so great is his steadfast love toward those who fear him; as far as the east is from the west, so far he removes our transgressions from us.

***RESPONSE TO FORGIVENESS**

Gloria Patri

***PASSING THE PEACE**

Family of God

(Please remain standing and pass the peace of Christ.)

** All who are able may stand*

MUSICAL OFFERING

RECEPTION OF PRAYER CARDS

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION Matthew 7:24-25 Bruce Boshart

Everyone, then, who hears these words of mine and acts on them will be like a wise man who built his house on rock. The rain fell, the floods came, and the winds blew and beat on that house, but it did not fall because it had been founded on rock. Amen.

OLD TESTAMENT READING Numbers 8:9-11

NEW TESTAMENT READING Acts 13:2-3

SERMON Commissioning

OFFICER INSTALLATION/ORDINATION

HYMN OF RESPONSE *Lord, Speak to Me That I May Speak* #722
(vs. 1, 2, 3 & 5)

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE AND 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 debts, as we forgive our debtors. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

***CLOSING PRAISE** *In My Life* #468
(vs. 1, 2, & 3)

***BLESSING** 1 Thessalonians 3:13
May he strengthen your hearts so that you will be blameless and holy in the presence of our God and Father when our Lord Jesus comes with all his holy ones. Amen.

***PARTING MUSIC**

Welcome Visitors

We welcome all who are worshipping with us today. If you are our guest, we pray that your experience will nurture your faith and that you feel welcome in this community of faith.

Nursery: Available from 9:45 –11:15 am

Children's Worship: K-5th Grades

After the Children's Time during the service, volunteers will escort the children from worship to the Fellowship Hall for special stories and activities geared just for them. Parents may pick them up after worship.

Calendar

Sunday, January 8	9:00 am 10:00 am 11:10 am 12:00 pm 6:30 pm	Bible Year Study Group Worship Bible Year Study Group Children's Ministry Team Faith Covenant Group
Monday, January 9	9:15 am 6:30 pm	Preschool Chapel Scouts
Tuesday, January 10	9:15 am 9:30 am 2:00 pm 7:00 pm	Preschool Chapel Artists' Colony Blythe Spirits-Day Deacons
Wednesday, January 11	7:30 am 10:00 am	Bagels & Bibles Women's Bible Study
Thursday, January 12	11:00 am	Betty's Buddies

Remember in Prayer

Nancy Gonzalez (Crystal Phillips' mother)
Margo Grout
Roger & Lori Rice and John & Peggy Rice (Judy Schuler's brothers & sisters in law)

Scott Thompson
Edith Weinman (Crystal Phillips' grandmother)

Please complete the welcome card located in your bulletin and place it and your offering in one of the baskets by the door as you leave.