Ways to Participate in the Life of our Church:

Sunday Bible Study: Join us for Bible study Sundays at 9:00 AM in the Pastor's Study. This is a discussion based group; bring a Bible and an open mind.

Adult Book Study Group: You're invited to join Fairview's Sunday morning book study. Sunday mornings at 11:15 in the church office/library. Questions? Contact Ewell Lawson at esjk1993@aol.com. We hope you can join us! Group is in hybrid format - in person & virtual. Meeting ID: 872 2387 8090; Passcode: Breakfast.

JOY Group: Joy Group meets Tuesdays nights in the church office at 6:30 PM. We are studying Brave and Beloved. Join us!

Moms Group: We meet tonight in the narthex at 7pm. Y'all come!

Fairview Choir: Our adult choir practices Wednesday evenings at 7 pm in the sanctuary. All levels of musical ability welcomed and encouraged. You are invited to come and sing. Grab a friend hang out in with this casual group and make some music together!

Loaves and Fishes January Meal: We are serving the meal at Loaves and Fishes Wednesday, January 31st. Mark Chambers will get the key and open the kitchen at 3 PM.

We need two people to work together as couriers to bring food from the Fairview Kitchen to the Loaves and Fishes Kitchen - ensuring the food arrives at 3 PM to be heated in the Loaves and Fishes Kitchen. To help set up and heat the food arrive at 3 PM. To help with serving food arrive at 3:45 PM. To help with clean up arrive by 5 PM. We need Fifteen (15) Baked Zitis (9x13 pan), Seven (7) Number 10 cans of green beans, 15 bags of tangerines, a big can of coffee, a big container of powdered lemonade. The dessert will be cookies from Little Bethlehem. Please sign up in the Narthex or online today! If you would like to be reimbursed for purchases, please attach your receipt to a reimbursement form in the church office.

Sleep in Heavenly Peace: We at Fairview have purchased a bunk bed for the Sleep in Heavenly Peace project. They are raising money to buy supplies to build more beds for children in our community who otherwise would sleep on the floor. We are also supporting this effort by collecting new bedding for twin size beds until January 30th. Please bring new twin size sheet sets, mattress pads including waterproof ones, and blankets to the church office. They will be picked up on January 30th.

Puzzle Exchange: Do you love jigsaw puzzles? Do you have an excess of puzzles clogging up your shelves and drawers? Well, then! Bring them to church for the new Jigsaw Puzzle Exchange. Take a puzzle, solve it, bring it back, take another one! If you have puzzles at your house with all the pieces, please consider donating a few to the exchange! Place your donated puzzles on the designated shelves.



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Our Mission: to make disciples of Jesus Christ for the transformation of the world Our Vision: to be a neighborhood church were YOU make a difference We are faithful, relational, inclusive, genuine, and service-oriented



Third Sunday After the Epiphany | January 21, 2023 | 10 AM

Gathering Music Judy Shaw

Greeting Rev. Nancy Martin, Pastor

*Opening Hymn God of Grace and God of Glory UMH 577 v. 1,3,4

*Call to Worship Betsy Mathews, Liturgist

L: Are you listening? God is doing a new thing! Will you join in?

AV Booth Side: Yes! We will follow!

L: Listen! Did you miss it? God calls us again to build the kingdom of heaven. Will you join in?

Prayerground Side: Yes! We will be builders of the kin-dom.

L: Wait, did you catch that? Again, God calls us to declare the good news to those in need. Will you join in?

AV Booth Side: Yes! We will declare the good news with our voices and our

L: And still, God calls. God never quits calling us to live and to give abundant life. Will you join in?

Prayerground Side: Yes! We will join with God in sharing the gracious gift of abundant life with the world.

ALL: May we respond to God's loving and persistent call with a loving and persistent yes! A yes for us, a yes for our neighbors, and a yes for our world to be transformed by the good news that God's kingdom has come near. Amen.

Opening Prayer Betsy Mathews, Liturgist

Tell Me the Stories of Jesus Hymn UMH 277 v. 1-2

Joys and Concerns; Prayers of the People Rev. Nancy Martin

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.

Children's Moment

Rev. Nancy Martin

Children are welcome to come to the front to hear about the scripture we're focusing on today. Adults may accompany their child(ren) or children can stay in their seats.

Scripture Hymn Lord, You Have Come to the Lakeshore UMH 344 v. 1-2

Scripture Mark 1:14-20 Betsy Mathews, Liturgist

Sermon Rev. Nancy Martin

Generosity Moment Rev. Nancy Martin

*Doxology UMH 94

Praise God, from whom all blessing flow; praise God, all creatures here below: Alleluia! Alleluia! Praise God, the source of all our gifts! Praise Jesus Christ, whose power up lifts! Praise the Spirit, Holy Spirt! Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

Offertory Prayer Betsy Mathews, Liturgist

*Closing Hymn The Summons TFWS 2130 v 1,4,5

*Benediction Rev. Nancy Martin

Postlude Judy Shaw

The asterisk (*) indicates when to stand in body or spirit; UMH stands for the United Methodist Hymnal; TFWS stands for The Faith We Sing

Nursery Care is available starting at 9:45 AM for children three years old and under. Children's Church happens during our service for those in fifth grade and under. During this time kids will learn more about the scripture we are focusing on in the worship service. There's usually a craft, game, fellowship, and fun. Adults will pick up their children after the service from the children's church room (at the end of the Children's Corridor).

All volunteers who work with children and youth have passed a background check, have been Safe Gatherings trained, and uphold our Safe Sanctuary policies and procedures. All children are welcome in all aspects of our worship. Feel free to keep your children with you or utilize nursery care or Children's Church.

We have an offering plate in the back of the sanctuary as you exit the double doors. To give online, please scan this code using your smart phone's camera: