

WE WELCOME YOU

Thank you for worshipping with us today. We're glad you're here!
Please be sure to sign our Friendship book, located at the end of the pew.

PRAYER CONCERNS

If you have a prayer concern, or you would like to request a pastoral visit, please complete the prayer card found in the pews and place it in the offering plate.

CHILDCARE

At the 8:30am worship service, childcare is provided in the Nursery, Room 208, for infants through Pre-schoolers. At the 11am worship we offer nursery care for infants through toddlers. Pre-schoolers through Kindergarteners are invited to Playful Praise in Room 202 following Children's Time at the 11am worship service.

COFFEE HOUR

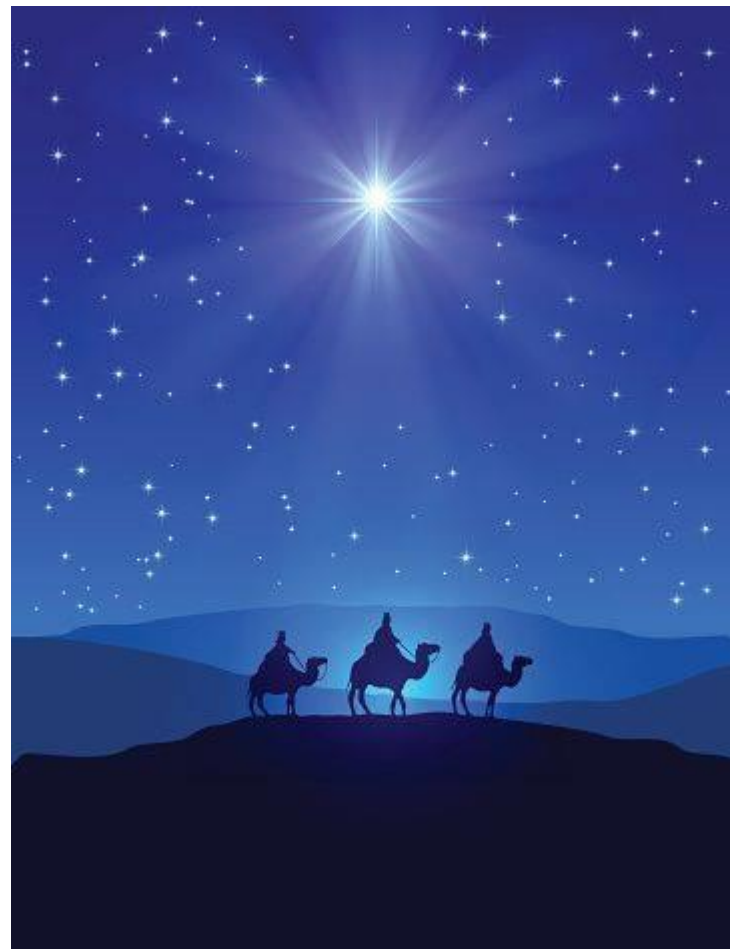
Please join us in Janet Brown Fellowship Hall following the 8:30am worship service for coffee and snacks. The Strange Family will be hosting coffee hour and they look forward to greeting you. Come and enjoy!

Rev. Dick Wisdom, Senior Pastor
Rev. Sherry Steele, Minister of Faith Formation
Roger Beitzel, Youth Director

Cheryl Henbest, Director of Administrative Ministries
Kathy Martinez, Communications Coordinator
Karen Koziol, Bookkeeper
Beth Best, Director, Chancel Choir
Megan Marconi, Director, Worship Band and
Bellissimo Handbells
Karyn Holstead, Director, Jr. Choir
Kathleen Hermansen, Organist

Sunday Worship Services:

8:30a Worship
with Chancel Choir
9:45a Sunday School
(all ages)
9:45a Confirmation Class
(8th graders)
11:00a Worship
with Worship Band



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Epiphany Sunday
January 5, 2020

SUNDAY, JANUARY 5, 2020, 8:30AM

*Indicates congregation stands / Bold type indicates to read in unison

UMH indicates the United Methodist (hardcover) Hymnal

TFWS indicates "The Faith We Sing" (soft-cover) Hymnal

PRELUDE

-Pachelbel

"The Star Proclaims the King Is Here"

GREETING AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

CALL TO WORSHIP

Before we speak, God is here,
within us and among us, knocking at our door.

**Living God, open what is closed that the Spirit
may come in.**

Open our hands, to give, and to greet.

Open our minds to the new truth and old wisdom.

Open our hearts to new hope and old assurance.

Open what is closed that the Spirit may come in.

***OPENING HYMN**

UMH #248

"On This Day Earth Shall Ring"

***SHARING SIGNS OF PEACE AND LOVE**

The Peace of the Lord be with you

And also with you

CHILDREN'S TIME

Rev. Sherry Steele

TFWS #2233 "Where Children Belong"

This, this is where children belong, welcomed as part of
the worshipping throng. Water, God's Word, bread and cup,
prayer, and song: This is where children belong.

SPECIAL MUSC

-Eric Thiman

"In the Bleak Midwinter"

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

Sharing Joys and Concerns

Pastoral Prayer

Lord's Prayer

(on screen)

***GOSPEL READING**

Matthew 2:1-12 (CEB)

***HYMN**

"We Three Kings"

UMH #254

SERMON

"Kings and Kingdoms"

Rev. Sherry Steele

WORSHIP IN TITHES AND OFFERING

Offertory

"In Peace and Joy I Now Depart"

-Buxtehude

*Doxology (on screen)

*Prayer of Dedication

***CLOSING HYMN**

UMH #249

"There's a Song in the Air"

***BENEDICTION**

***POSTLUDE**

"Arise and Shine in Splendor"

-Brahms