GATHERING

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

Please sign the attendance sheet in the red pad and add today's date at the top, then pass it Down your row. If you are a guest, we invite you to include your address.

Thank you for silencing your cell phones during the service.

SHARING OUR JOYS AND CONCERNS (Children may go to Kingdom Kids) **PRELUDE**

OFFERING OUR WORSHIP

CALL TO WORSHIP

L: From restless sleep and anxious dreams.

P: Walk toward the light.

L: From shadowy fears and gloomy thoughts,

P: Walk in the light.

L: From dark depressions and worried futures,

P: Walk into the light

All: Upon us light has risen. This day, this moment, let the light be to us warmth and joy.

*OPENING PRAYER

"I am Thine O Lord" *HYMN NO. 419

OFFERTORY OFFERING

*THE DOXOLOGY No.95 AND PRAYER OF DEDICATION

*PASTORAL PRAYER AND THE LORD'S PRAYER No. 895

CHORAL ANTHEM

"Lord of the Dance"

RECEIVING GOD'S WORD

SCRIPTURE 1 Samuel 3:1-10

SERMON "The Next Voice You Hear" Pastor Peg Welch

*CLOSING HYMN NO. 454 "Open My Eves"

BENEDICTION

*POSTLUDE

*Please stand as you are able

Prayer List

- Bill Barndollar
- Thurley Bittenbender
- Reva Bixler
- Mildred Blaney (under hospice care) Carol Brandt (Donna Hounshell's sister– in -law)
- Charles Brant (son of Bridget & George Diez)
- Jeff Davis
- Tom & Avalon Evans
- Tammy Fisher (Dick Fisher's daughter in-law)
- Jerod Fulmer
- Phil & Meda Giffin
- Eric Grove
- Adam Hylton
- Jane & David Lawrence
- Lorena McConnell (Pat & Wayne Bells grand
- daughter)
- Tod & Marilyn Metcalfe
- Tonya Moore (Nick & Nate's mom)
- David & Jessica Ralph
- Persephone Reeder (Bryans grand-
- daughter)
- Ron & Marge Ridenour
- Tara Sauer (Jenny Motley's niece)
- Liz Schlauch (Jenny Motley's neighbor)
- Doug Taylor
- Kathy Taylor (Helen Taylor's daughterí
- Bruce Walker Ginny Carlson's son)
- Phyllis Zahn

Today......9:15 am.....Adult S.S. 10:15 am Worship followed by fellowship meal 6:00 pm.....Youth Group Mon, 1/22... 9:00 am......Quilting Group Tues, 1/23... 3:30 pm.....Bible Study 5:30 pm.....Meal 6:15 pm......Prayer Group

6:45 pm.....Bible Study

This Week at Ontario UMC...

Wed., 1/24..... 7:00 pm...... Choir Thurs. 1/25...11:00 am..... Bulletin Items due

7:00 pm.....Book Club Sat., 1/27.....Recycle Trailer here Sun., 1/28......9:15 am......Adult S.S.

> 10:15 am......Worship followed by fellowship time

~~ WELCOME, VISITORS ~~

A warm OUMC greeting to all our visitors! Please visit the Welcome Center for a small gift, and join us in Giffin Hall after the service for refreshments and fellowship.

Write prayer joys, concerns and announcements in the Welcome Center pad to be shared during worship.

Hearing devices and large-print bulletins and hymnals are available at the Ushers Table.

Children's Worship Activity Bags

are available at the back of the sanctuary. Please return them to the rack after the service.

Brothers and sisters through Jesus—children of God with whom he is well pleased — welcome to worship!

Bulletin items are due in the church office each Thursday morning no later than 11 am.

During the month of January, we are collecting toilet paper to give to Harmony House. Sometimes there are 50 or more residents there. Our goal is 1,000 rolls. We currently have about 300 rolls. Think toilet paper and bring it.

Thank you for drawing me here today, God. You always know just what I need.

"Never trust anyone completely but God. Love people, but put your full trust only in God."
—Lawrence Welk

Finance Meeting and Administrative Council have been rescheduled for Monday, January 29th. Finance will begin at 6:00 pm and Administrative Council at 7:00 pm. Please plan to attend the first meeting of the new year. Thank you.

The children were able to purchase their choice of animals for Heifer International, thanks to your generous donations. They chose to send gifts of a llama, a goat, a sheep, a flock of ducks, geese, chicks, ducklings and goslings to families in need. "Together, we can make a difference in the world - helping a family transform their future".

Last Week~~~	
Worship Attendance	86
Current Expense Giving	\$4,646.85
Special Funds	422.10
Building Fund	995.00
R & R Fund	515.00

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Serving Today~~

Liturgist: Connie Smith

Greeters: Tony & Jackie Duncan, & Leila
Nursery:

Music Director: Bob Wagenhals
Organist: Millie Keith
Accompanist: Bernice Holeman
Sound Technician: Jeff Davis

Power Point: Sue Wills, John Grove Usher: Mary Beech, Megan Reiners, Vic Clark, Tony Duncan Kingdom Kids: Joni Davis

Acolyte: Aiden Metcalfe



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