

EPHIPANY 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

PRELUDE

OFFERING OUR WORSHIP

L: A single step on a twisted road,

P: A fragile toehold on an upward climb,

L: A cautious peep around a sudden corner,

P: A joyful skip on a sun-drenched path.

L: Many journeys,

P: Yet one common goal.

L: Like wise men and wise women, come and worship.

*OPENING PRAYER

*CHOIR ANTHEM

"Rejoice, Christ is Born!"

OFFERTORY

OFFERING

*THE DOXOLOGY No.95 AND PRAYER OF DEDICATION

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

HYMN NO. 251

"We Three Kings" vs 1,2,5

RECEIVING GOD'S WORD

SCRIPTURE

Matthew 2:1-12

SERMON

"They Followed"

Pastor Peg Welch

COMMUNION

HYMN NO. 254

"Go Tell It On The Mountain"

BENEDICTION

*POSTLUDE

*Please stand as you are able

Prayer List

- David Bell
- Phyllis Brown
- Shirley DeWitt
- Faye English (friend of Reta Kirsh)
- Helen Kurbad
- Gloria Loughman
- Mildred Mandley
- Tod & Marilyn Metcalfe
- Grant Reed
- Roger Rhodes
- Ken Rinehart
- Fern Ronshak (Amy Bryan's mother)
- Polly Ruby (Randy Snyder's grandmother)
- Buzz Rupe
- Kathleen Santmyer
- Julie Schreffler
- Dale Smith
- Linda Stout
- Dennis Strohming
- Kathy Taylor
- Miriam Wagenhals
- Bruce Walker (Ginny Carlson's son)
- Don Yeager

This Week at Ontario UMC...

Today..... 9:15 amAdult S.S.
10:15 am Worship followed by
fellowship time

Tues.1/8..... Noon..... Retired Pastors Lunch
2:30 pm..... Bible Study
6:00 pm..... Bible Study

Wed,1/9..... 7:00 pm... Choir

Thurs.,1/10... 9:00 am.... Sewing Group
5:30 pm.....Grandparents

Sun 1/13..... 9:00 am.....Confirmation
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.

***Welcome to worship in this new year of our
Lord 2019!!
Please greet one another in the spirit of
Christ.***

Today is the last day to pick up your Christmas cards in the back of Giffin Hall. After today they will be disposed of.

The recycle trailer schedule is on the bulletin board in the office. The first trailer of the new year will be here on January 26 and 27. This information did not make the January newsletter, so please mark your calendars for January. Thank you.

Sign up sheets for 2019 are hanging on the bulletin board in the centrum. Please sign up for greeting, table host, lay liturgist, or to bring flowers for any Sunday in 2019. Thank you.

You're invited!

Next Sunday, after church, Pastor Peg will present information about the current debate over the restructuring of the global United Methodist Church. Stay for cookies and conversation.

**New Year, new day and, always, new life in Christ. Thank you Lord!
Happy New Year!**

Last Week~~~

Worship Attendance	102
Current Expense Giving	\$2,532.75
Special Funds	165.00
Building Fund	72.00
R & R	45.00

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Karen Wagenhals, Connections Pastor

Serving Today~~

Liturgist: Ayvette Knapp

Music Director: Bob Wagenhals

Organist: Millie Keith

Greeters:

Accompanist: Bernice Holeman

Sound Board: Eric Grove

Power Point: Sue Wills, John Grove

Usher: Dick Franta, Bruce Boyce, Nolan Bunker, Dick Thomas

Table Hosts:

Acolyte: Aiden Metcalfe

Kingdom Kids: Amy & Scott Bryan



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