

Service of Worship

January 16, 2022

Second Sunday after Epiphany

WORSHIP THROUGH PRAISE

Musical Worship Prelude/Lighting of Candles

Welcome and Announcements

Special Music

Well Worshippers

*Time of Greeting/Striking of the Hour

*Responsive Call to Worship

Pastor: The LORD is in his holy temple; the LORD'S throne is in heaven; his eyes see, his eyelids test the children of man.

People: For the LORD is righteous; he loves righteous deeds; the upright shall behold his face.

*Invocation and Lord's Prayer

Children's Story Time

WORSHIP THROUGH MEDITATION

*Hymn of Preparation

O Worship the King

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WORSHIP THROUGH STEWARDSHIP

WORSHIP THROUGH PROCLAMATION

Special Music

Choir

Morning Prayer

Guest Speaker

Larry Wilson

Scripture

2 Peter 1:19-21

Sermon

The More Sure Word

Pastor Eric

WORSHIP THROUGH DEDICATION

*Hymn of Invitation

Come, Thou Almighty King

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Invitational Prayer

*Benediction

Choral response

Giving of our Tithes and Offerings

*Time of Fellowship and Friendly Greeting

*All who are able please stand

Welcome! We welcome all those who worship with us today. If you are a guest, we want to give you a special welcome. **Please fill out a Guest card, located at each end of the pews, and give it to the Minister or place it in the offering plate.** If you are looking for a church home, we would count it an honor to have you make it here. A staffed **Nursery** is available for small children through the doors at the front right side of the sanctuary. We have a **Children's Worship Time** during the "Sermon" time. Children ages 3 yrs. old through fifth grade leave during the Offertory. Children may be picked up from the McFarland Hall following Worship.

Sunday: 10:00 Sunday School

10:55 Worship Service

3:00 Youth

3:00 Women of the Well

Monday: 7:00 Cub Scouts

Tuesday: 7:00 Deacon's meeting

Wednesday: 7:00 Bible Study

7:00 Boy Scouts

Next Sunday: 12:00 Church Council

meeting in the Parlor to approve the hiring of an accountant.

Today we welcome Larry Wilson from the Lee County chapter of The Gideons International. He will be sharing important information with us concerning this vital ministry. If you would like to donate to this worthy cause, we will take a collection after the service. You can also give on the website by selecting the Gideons option from the drop-down menu or text to give at 919-822-9122.

Deacon on Call: Phil McKinney

Next Sunday: John Haas

The following committees need to meet and elect a chairperson: Stewardship and Finance, Board of Christian Ed., Acolytes, Nominating, and Scholarship. Please give the name of the new chairperson to Mary Griffin or Jackie Thomas.

We are bringing some soup to the altar today for the blessing of our donations. This is our new third Sunday ritual. We hope you're feeling more connected to the altar. Our goals are still the same: we want each person to realize what an important part **you** play by giving food and personal hygiene items; to be reminded of food donations; that physically the altar is a reminder of God's work; and that going to the altar with our food is representative of giving to God.

