

First United Methodist Church

January 14, 2018

Second Sunday After the Epiphany

Prelude	Carol Dickinson <i>"Great Is the Lord" – Arrg. Leatherman</i>
Call to Worship	Choir <i>"Love Has Come"</i>
Invocation	Rev. Freeman
*Gloria Patri	UMH 70 <i>"Glory Be to the Father"</i>
*Hymn	UMH 452 <i>"My Faith Looks Up to Thee" (vs. 1,2,3,4)</i>
*Affirmation of Faith	UMH 881 <i>The Apostles' Creed</i>
Children's Time	Rev. Freeman (Children's Church: K - 4 th Grade)
Offertory	Carol Dickinson <i>"Jesus Loves Me" – Arrg. Haan</i>
*Doxology	UMH 95 <i>"Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow"</i>
*Hymn	UMH 419 <i>"I Am Thine, O Lord" (vs. 1,2,3,4)</i>
Pastoral Prayer	Rev. Freeman
Anthem	Jim Raines <i>"Who Am I?"</i>
Scripture	Luke 22:54-62
Sermon	Rev. Freeman <i>"A Disciple Grows"</i>

***Hymn**

UMH 382

"Have Thine Own Way, Lord" (vs. 1,4)

***Benediction**

Choral Benediction

Choir

"Emmanuel"

**Please stand as you are able*

Welcome to First United Methodist Church! Thanks for worshipping with us! We hope you experienced God's love for your life while you were here. If this is your first time, we hope you'll come back. If you wish to know more about our church, here's how:

- ❖ Please contact Rev. Freeman at efreeman@umcna.org or (205)393-2232; or at <https://heypreacher.com>
- ❖ Visit our website – <http://www.WinfieldFUMC.com>
- ❖ We're on Facebook – **Winfield First United Methodist Church**
- ❖ Call or e-mail the church office at (205)487-2405 or info@winfieldfumc.com

In Worship Today:

- ❖ Rev. Earl Freeman
- ❖ Laura Lesley – Choir Director
- ❖ Amanda Anderson – Asst. Choir Director/Pianist
- ❖ Carol Dickinson – Organist
- ❖ Allen Brasher, J. Max Brasher, Jake Brown, and Lynn Smith – Ushers

Church Staff

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Luke 22:54-62

54 After they arrested Jesus, they led him away and brought him to the high priest's house. Peter followed from a distance. 55 When they lit a fire in the middle of the courtyard and sat down together, Peter sat among them. 56 Then a servant woman saw him sitting in the firelight. She stared at him and said, "This man was with him too." 57 But Peter denied it, saying, "Woman, I don't know him!" 58 A little while later, someone else saw him and said, "You are one of them too." But Peter said, "Man, I'm not!" 59 An hour or so later, someone else insisted, "This man must have been with him, because he is a Galilean too." 60 Peter responded, "Man, I don't know what you are talking about!" At that very moment, while he was still speaking, a rooster crowed. 61 The Lord turned and looked straight at Peter, and Peter remembered the Lord's words: "Before a rooster crows today, you will deny me three times." 62 And Peter went out and cried uncontrollably.

Announcements

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Confirmation Classes continue this week, with Bro. Earl and Roger Davis teaching our Middle School Youth in their Sunday School class.

Worship Committee will meet at 5:00 p.m., Thursday, January 25, in the Fellowship Hall. All members should try to attend.

Ushers for January:

- ❖ Allen Brasher, J. Max Brasher, Jake Brown, & Lynn Smith

Weekly Events:

- ❖ Children/MS Youth Fellowship, Wednesdays at 6:00 p.m.
- ❖ Adult Bible Study, Wednesdays, at 6:00 p.m.
- ❖ **NO** Choir Practice, Wednesdays:
 - ❖ Children/Youth at 5:15 p.m., resumes 1/31/18
 - ❖ Adults at 7:00 p.m., resumes 1/31/18

Monthly Events:

- ❖ **Methodist Men's Breakfast**, Sunday, January 21 at 7:30 a.m.
- ❖ **Finance Committee Meeting**, Sunday, January 21 at 4:30 p.m.
- ❖ **Administrative Board Meeting**, Sunday, Jan. 21 at 6:00 p.m.

- ❖ **Wesleyan Fellowship**, Monday, January 22 at 6:30 p.m.
- ❖ **First Wednesday Potluck Dinner**, February 07 at 5:30 p.m.

Prayer Requests & Praises

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Church Family:

Chuck Alexander	Marie Hill
Nell Attaway	Vonceal Holliman
Edd & Mary Jim Black	Glenn May
Max & Patsy Brasher	Harold McDonald
Misty Brown	Larry McGee
Debra Burnett	Frances Norris
Rose Byrd	Family of Harry & Patricia Rodgers
Patsy Earnest	Amanda Carothers South
Chris Garrett	Rhyan Suitts
Kenneth & Peggy Gilmer	Jayden, Jason & Tanya Tucker

Extended Family:

Kareem Abram (friend of Jim Raines)

Doris Anderson (aunt of Todd and Allen Anderson)

Dennis Austin, hospitalized (nephew of Linda McDonald)

Heath Avery, recovering from back surgery (Pam Brasher's nephew)

Marsha Baker, cancer (sister of Roger Davis)

Tammy Ballinger, surgery (wife of Dwain Ballinger; friend of Carol Dickinson)

Allen Barber, cancer has returned (friend of the Sexton family)

Brandon Bostick (grandson of Sonya and Jr. Bostick)

Allen Davis (friend of Randy Russell)

Family of Katherine Duboise, passed away 1/7 (Tim Estes' grandmother)

Jay Elliott, treatments

Nick Fox (friend of Jim Raines)

Jeff Halcomb, cancer (friend of Jimmy Chaffin)

Dale Housh

Bobby Lacey, leukemia

Danny Loftis (nephew of Linda McDonald)

Brandi Lowe (daughter of Chuck & Ginny Dickerson)

Duane Odell, stage 4 breast cancer (friend of Deborah Tidwell)

Lonnie O'Rear (friend of Jim Raines)

Larry & Marion Reese

William Robert Rodgers (brother of Harry Rodgers)

Randy Russell (son of Jack & Hermi)

Karen Shelly, health concerns (friend of Roger & Petra Davis)

Glynda Swinney, chemo (friend of Linda Housh)

Jim & Brenda Taylor (friend Linda McDonald)

Thomas Tyra (father of Cynthia Tyra)

Family of Ralph Wirth, who passed away January 5

Karl Yeager, heart & kidney issues (friend of Bill Belle Isle)

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