

# Epiphany of the Lord January 3, 2016

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# ASSEMBLE IN GOD'S NAME

ANNOUNCEMENTS Reverend Cameron Smith

PRELUDE Patapan arr. Marshall Fine

INTROIT

CALL TO WORSHIP

The Word became flesh and lived among us

And we have seen his glory.

The true light that enlightens everyone has come into the world.

Glory to God who has blessed us in Christ.

Glory to God forever.

Come and let us worship.

\*HYMN 151 We Three Kings of Orient Are KINGS OF ORIENT

(CONGREGATION Vs. 1, 5, & REFRAIN; SOLO Vs. 2, 3, & 4)

#### CONFESSION

Holy God, we confess that we are distracted people and forgetful of Your love. We make selfish choices, hurt each other, and perpetuate injustice in Your world. We have sinned against You and are deeply sorry. We repent of our disregard for You, each other, and Your creation. By the power of Your Spirit, forgive, restore and strengthen us to live in your light and walk in Your truth; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

ASSURANCE OF PARDON Acts 26:15-18

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# HEAR GOD'S WORD

\*EPISTLE (NT p.193) Ephesians 3:1-14

ANTHEM Of the Father's Love Begotten arr. Paul Wolgemuth

CHILDREN'S TIME Reverend Smith

\*GOSPEL (NT p.91-92) John 1:10-18

SERMON Reverend Sam Martin

AND THE WORD BECAME FLESH

January Memory Verse: John 1:14

"And the Word became flesh and lived among us, and we have seen His glory, the glory as of a father's only son, full of grace and truth."

# BY BODY AND BLOOD

OFFERTORY Brightest and Best arr. Robert Hobby

INVITATION

PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

The Lord be with you, And also with you.
Lift up your hearts. We lift them to the Lord.
Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.
It is right to give our thanks and praise.

Blessed are You, O God, and blessed is Jesus Christ, Your only Son, whom You sent out of love for the world to be our Savior. By the Holy Spirit's power, He was born of us, shared our joys and sorrows, and offered His life in perfect obedience and trust. By His death, Christ delivered us from our sins. By His resurrection, He grants us new and abundant life. By His love, He sanctifies the church to be His holy bride and now, prepares the wedding banquet.

Dying, You destroyed death. Rising, You restored life. Lord Jesus, come in glory. When we eat this bread and drink this cup, we proclaim Your death. Lord Jesus, come in glory.

Together we pray...

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be Thy name, Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread, and forgive us our debts as we forgive our debtors, and lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil, for Thine is the kingdom, the power, and the glory forever. Amen.

\*HYMN 150 As with Gladness Men of Old Dix (Vs. 1 & 2)

WORDS OF INSTITUTION

PRAYER Unison

Father, we thank You for this meal, shared in spirit with Your Son, our Lord, Jesus Christ, who makes us new and strong, and brings us eternal life. Amen.

# GO IN GOD'S NAME

\*HYMN 150 As with Gladness Men of Old DIX (Vs. 3 & 4)

\*BENEDICTION

\*RESPONSE

\*PASSING THE PEACE

The Lord is with you. And also with you.

\*POSTLUDE We Three Kings arr. Gordon Young

#### WE THANK TODAY'S SOLOISTS & INSTRUMENTALISTS

Andy Jennings, Pre-service

David Parler, Ken Abernethy, & Billy McCord, 8:30am worship service

Cannon Smoak, Austin Smith, & Harry Burgess, 11:00am worship service

Andrea Kemper, Cello

Keith Howard, Flute

### PRAYER CORNER

**NEW PRAYER REQUEST** 

WEEK TWO

CONTINUING PRAYER CONCERNS

WEEK ONE Amy Robinson

Sarah Van Dalen Mary Godbold Vera Peters Dixie Taylor

Madelyn Graf

Frankie Tucker

WEEK THREE Betty Bell

Emma Oswald

**WEEK FOUR** Jones family

Please also pray for the private concerns of our church family.

THIS WEEK'S PRAYER FAMILIES Rosa & Brooks Oswald (Morgan & Hampton), Brenda & Jay Parker, David & Wendy Parker (Perrin), David & Beth Parler (Catherine & Alex), Ben & Katherine Pauli (Hannah), Bill & Amelie Perdue, Bryan & Ashley Perruci (Luke & Lauren), and Charlie & Jan Pesavento.

# JIPC Staff

Reverend Sam Martin, Senior Pastor
Reverend Cameron Smith, Associate Pastor
Henry Meeuwse, Associate in Ministry
Barbara Manaker, Director of Music
Jan Pesavento, Organist

Duncan Meadows, Director of Youth & Children's Activities
Elizabeth Parler, Administrator
Angela Dwiggins, Administrative Assistant
Ricky Willis, Sexton
Robbie Weaver, Sexton

\*RESTROOMS ARE AVAILABLE IN THE NARTHEX (LOBBY) IF NEEDED DURING WORSHIP.

# LAST WEEK AT JAMES ISLAND PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH





Christmas Eve 7:00- 420



Sunday Worship- 180

# 2015 STEWARDSHIP

Gifts Budgeted \$667,194

Gifts Received \$680,405 Amount Received Last Week \$12,165

# WEEKLY CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Sun, Jan 3	8:30am	Worship	Tues, Jan 5	5:30pm	Personnel Committee
	9:45am	Coffee Fellowship		8:00pm	Sea Breeze AA (Tu, Th, Fri)
	10:00am	Sunday School	Wed, Jan 6	7:30pm	Chancel Choir
	11:00am	Worship			
	12:00pm	Music & Worship Committee Nominating Committee	Thurs, Jan 7	10:00am	Thursday Morning Circle
	5:00pm	Mission & Outreach Committee	Sat, Jan 9	7:30am	Men's Breakfast & Bible Study
Mon, Jan 4	6:00pm	Buildings & Grounds Committee	Sun, Jan 10	8:30am	Worship
	7:00pm	Men's Basketball (Mon & Thurs)		9:45am	Coffee Fellowship
				10:00am	Sunday School
				11:00am	Worship
				12:00pm	Congregational Luncheon

# WORSHIP

**COMMUNION NOTES:** Elders are honored to serve those of you unable to go to a station for communion. Please alert an usher if you would like this. For those of you so wishing, there is a gluten-free station at the front of our sanctuary.

CHANCEL FLOWERS are commissioned by Jon Frye and his family in memory of Bill Setlock and Bob Frye.

ROSES ON THE COMMUNION TABLE are in honor of the birth of Luke David Flippen, son of Jason & Carrie Flippen on December 29th, and in honor of Beckett James Richardson, born to Billy & Laura Richardson on December 21st.

## NURTURE

CONGREGATIONAL LUNCHEON is next Sunday, January 10. Plan now to join us for our monthly covered dish lunch, the 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday of each month.

INQUIRER'S CLASS begins next Sunday, January 10th. This class is for visitors and members who are wishing to learn more about our church. The class starts January 10th and runs the last 4 Sundays in January; those wishing to join may do so on January 31st. Please join us at 10:00am, during Sunday school time in the library.

# Mission

JAMES ISLAND OUTREACH needs your donations of non-perishable foods, especially canned pasta. You can bring your donations to the church narthex or McAllister Hall.

### Congregational Luncheon

Join us next Sunday, January 10th after our 11am worship service for our monthly Covered Dish Luncheon. Please join us in Fellowship Hall (gymnasium). Don't forget your nametag!

#### MARK YOUR CALENDARS NOW!

Ordination & Installation of Elders at the 11:00am worship service January 10

January 24 Installation of Reverend Sam Martin at 4:00pm

January 31 JIPC Annual Congregational Meeting