

Service of Worship

10:30 AM

+Please stand where indicated if it is comfortable for you.
All are welcome in this place of worship.
As you are seated, please silence your cell phones.
The congregation will speak the liturgy in bold print.

Gathering

God calls us together to offer praise, acknowledge sin and celebrate adoption as God's forgiven children.

PRELUDE O God Beyond All Praising
Gustav Holst, arr. Anthony Giamanco

Silence is kept during the prelude to prepare our hearts for worship

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS Becca DeRosa, Lay Leader

CHIMING OF THE TRINITY

+PROCESSIONAL HYMN #64

"Holy, Holy, Holy! Lord, God Almighty!" NICEAE

+PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Most merciful God, we confess that we have sinned against you in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done, and by what we have left undone. We have not loved you with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves.

We are truly sorry and we humbly repent. For the sake of your Son Jesus Christ, have mercy on us and forgive us; that we may delight in your will, and walk in your ways to the glory of your name. Amen.

Hear the good news:
Christ died for us while we were yet sinners;
that proves God's love toward us.
In the name of Jesus Christ, you are forgiven!

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Glory to God. Amen.

+SUNG RESPONSE "Glory Be to God, Creator" RENEWED

Glory be to God, Creator, glory be to God the Son,
glory be to God the Spirit,
known as Three, yet God the One.
As it was in the beginning, it is now and so shall be
in a world without ending, glory through eternity.
Holy, holy God Almighty, holy, holy, Prince of Peace,
holy, holy wind of Presence, holy, holy, holy. Amen.

+OPENING PRAYER

Set us free, O God, from the bondage of our sins, and give us the liberty of that abundant life which you have made known to us in your Son our Savior Jesus Christ; who lives and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE Kathy Peters

CHOIR ANTHEM All Are Welcome at the Table Mary McDonald

Proclamation

The Word is encountered in speech and song
as scripture is interpreted and expounded.

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION (in unison)

Almighty God, by whose grace alone we are accepted and called to your service: by your Spirit make us worthy of our calling as you illuminate your holy word, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

OLD TESTAMENT LESSON Isaiah 6:1-8 OT Page #597, 598
The Word of the Lord
Thanks be to God

+HYMN OF PREPARATION FWS #2137
"Would I Have Answered When You Called" KINGSFOLD

+GOSPEL LESSON Luke 5:1-11 NT Page #58
The Word of God for the People of God
Thanks be to God

HOMILY The Rev. Dr. John E. Senior
Wake Forest University School of Divinity

Response

We respond by affirming our faith, lifting our prayers,
setting the table, and praising the triune God.

+AFFIRMATION OF FAITH #882 The Apostles' Creed, Ecumenical Version

I believe in God, the Father Almighty,
creator of heaven and earth.
I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord,
who was conceived by the Holy Spirit,
born of the Virgin Mary,
suffered under Pontius Pilate,
was crucified, died, and was buried;
he descended to the dead.
On the third day he rose again;
he ascended into heaven,
is seated at the right hand of the Father,
and will come again to judge the living and the dead.
I believe in the Holy Spirit
the holy catholic church,
the communion of saints,
the forgiveness of sins,
The resurrection of the body
and the life everlasting. Amen.

HYMN OF ADORATION #347 "Spirit Song" SPIRIT SONG

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE
We pray to you, O Lord.
Lord have mercy.

OFFERTORY PRAYER The Rev. Dr. Matthew M. Williams

OFFERTORY Meditation on "The Lord's My Shepherd"
Jessie S. Irvine, arr. Mary McDonald

+DOXOLOGY #94 LASST UNS ERFREUEN
Praise God from whom all blessings flow!
Praise God all creatures here below!
Alleluia! Alleluia!
Praise God the source of all our gifts!
Praise Jesus Christ whose power uplifts!
Praise the Spirit, Holy Spirit!
Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

+PRAYER OF CONSECRATION The Rev. Dr. Matthew M. Williams

Thanksgiving and Communion

The United Methodist Church has an open communion. All are invited to partake despite denominational or religious affiliation.

COMMUNION MEDITATION
Come, Share the Lord Bryan Jeffery Leech

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING #17 MUSICAL SETTING A

THE LORD'S PRAYER
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 trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory forever and ever. Amen.

GIVING OF THE BREAD AND CUP

MUSIC DURING DISTRIBUTION
You Satisfy the Hungry Heart Robert E. Kreutz
O Food to Pilgrims Given German melody, 15th century
adapted by Heinrich Isaac, harm. by J.S. Bach
Draw Us in the Spirit's Tether Harold Friedell

POST COMMUNION PRAYER The Rev. Dr. Matthew M. Williams

Sending Forth

We follow the Word into the world, sent forth
with God's blessing to lives of service and love.

+RECESSIONAL HYMN #398 "Jesus Calls Us" GALILEE

+BENEDICTION The Rev. Dr. Matthew M. Williams

+POSTLUDE The Strife Is O'er, the Battle Done
Giovanni Pierluigi de Palestrina, arr. Victor C. Johnson

Weddings, Memorial Services, Columbarium
The Sanctuary is available for services of matrimony, funerals, and memorial services. For more information regarding facility use or columbarium inurnment, please visit www.bglighthouseumc.com or contact the church office at info@bglighthouseumc.com.



CONNECT CARD

WELCOME! We'd like

to help you get connected. Please fill out this card & place it on the offering plate.

Let us know how we can reach out to you!

Name _____

Address _____

City _____

Zip _____ Phone _____

Email _____

How long have you attended LH Church?

- 1st time guest 2nd time guest
 guest from out of town
 regular attendee member

I am interested in:

Having the Pastor Contact Me

- Youth and Families
 Small Groups
 Missions
 United Methodist Women
 Men's Prayer Group
 Strawberry Festival Volunteer
 Stephen Ministry
 Greeting and Ushering
 Communion Stewardship
 Fellowship Hour Hospitality
 Singing in the Choir
 Membership

PRAYER REQUESTS

In everything by prayer...

Let your requests be made known unto God.

Philippians 4:6

Please write your request here and place it in the offering plate or hand it to an usher.

Please pray for

Requested by

Date _____

Phone number () _____

Email _____

PRAYER REQUESTS ARE HONORED UNTIL NOTIFICATION IS RECEIVED OTHERWISE. PLEASE KEEP US UPDATED AT 941-964-2479

I would like someone to contact me to pray over more confidential matters.

Welcome!

We are honored that you are here! If you are a first-time guest, please pick up a gift mug as a token of our gratitude for your presence here today. All are welcome into the congregational life, ministry, and membership of Lighthouse United Methodist Church. For information on baptism and membership, please contact us at info@bglighthouseumc.com.

Stephen Ministers

Stephen Ministers are available to assist you. Should you need to speak with a Stephen Minister, please contact Ellie Durno at durno1@comcast.net

Worship Services

Worship Services will offer a blended worship service at 8:30 AM and a traditional service at 10:30 AM. Sunday School will be offered during the 10:30 service for grades K-3 and Youth Study for grades 4 and up will meet immediately following the 10:30 service at 11:30 for 20 minutes. The nursery is staffed for toddlers during both services. Hospitality will resume this month between the 8:30 and 10:30 services.

Family Ministry Program

Lighthouse UMC is honored to walk with our children along their faith journey. We do so through the **WILD Center** where kids **Worship, Inspire, Learn,** and **Disciple**. Children in K-3rd grade are invited to join us following the 10:30 service Children's Message for Sunday School. Children in fourth grade and up are encouraged to attend worship service with their families, then meet with Ms. Kathy in the Leopard Lair from 11:30 AM – 11:50 AM for a brief bible study discussion while adults gather in Fellowship Hall.

"Souper" Bowl Sunday

Orders are now being taken for our second annual "Souper" Bowl on February 13. Please place your orders before Wed., Feb. 9. Proceeds will benefit the Family Ministries' ZOE Empowers Group.

Join the Choir!

Our Chancel Choir will continue to sing each Sunday throughout the season. We are currently seeking new members! All are welcome to come to rehearsals on Thursdays from 4:00-5:15 PM. Thank you for considering this opportunity to serve our Lord through your musical gifts and talents!

Strawberry Festival Bake Sale

Calling all bakers! We would be pleased to receive your baked items for sale during the February 20 Fellowship Hour and the March 5 Strawberry Festival. Sign-up sheets will be available during Fellowship Hour on February 6 and 13. Questions? Call Sheila Dorst at 614-448-8369.

To pre-order pies, call Gloria Mitchell, 734-646-2037 or Jean Steinman, 973-714-5871.

Englewood Helping Hand Food Bank

Members of our Mission Committee continue to collect nonperishable food items for the local food bank's ever-expanding need. Please place your donations in the blue barrels in front of the church and the administrative offices. They are much appreciated!

Serving Today

Liturgist: Brit Hume
Ushers: Susan Hanafee and Ian Rogerson
Hospitality: Len Tatko and Bev Furtado
Acolyte: Callum Fudge

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THANK YOU FOR YOUR INVESTMENT!
Prayers, presence, gifts, service, and witness
Our gifts as of January 31, 2022

OPERATING BUDGET.....	\$645,000.00
OFFERING.....	\$60,899.00
OUR COLLECTIVE GIVING YEAR-TO-DATE TO LOCAL AND GLOBAL MISSIONS.....	\$7,731.00

Coming from: DIRECT SPONSORED MISSION GIVING FROM THE CHURCH BUDGET.....	\$2,006.00
(6% OF CHURCH SPENDING TO DATE)	

Plus: UMW STRAWBERRY FESTIVAL SPONSORED MISSIONS.....	\$0.00
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Plus: DIRECT INDIVIDUAL CONGREGATIONAL PASS-THROUGHS TO OUR MISSIONS.....	\$5,725.00
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February 6, 2022

Fifth Sunday After the Epiphany

*Receiving the Light,
Being the Light,
Sharing the Light of Jesus Christ*



This morning's Scripture lessons speak to how God calls people for God's work and mission, even those who believe they are unworthy of such a calling. Isaiah envisions God in holiness and splendor, high and lifted up, surrounded by angels. Seeing the holiness of the Lord in this way, prompts Isaiah to cry out, "Woe is me! For I am a man of unclean lips... yet my eyes have seen the King, the Lord of hosts!" Similarly in Luke's Gospel, after seeing his shocking catch of fish, Simon responds to Jesus saying, "Go away from me, Lord, for I am a sinful man!" In both stories, the Lord invites Isaiah and Simon to participate in doing God's work.