

TRADITIONAL WORSHIP  
JANUARY 11, 2015  
BAPTISM OF THE LORD SUNDAY

Nursery care is available for children through age 5 in room 103.

PRELUDE	“By Waterside in Babylon”	Pachelbel
INTROIT	“This is the Day the Lord Has Made” <i>(Sanctuary Choir)</i>	
GREETING & ANNOUNCEMENTS		Pastor John
OPENING PRAYER		Pastor John
*HYMN OF PRAISE	“Christ, Whose Glory Fills the Skies”	No. 173
ANTHEM	“Fall On Me” <i>(Sanctuary Choir)</i>	Martin
OFFERTORY	“Come, Holy Spirit, Heavenly Dove”	Held
*DEDICATION OF OUR OFFERINGS	“Praise God, From Whom All Blessings Flow”	No. 95
*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH	APOSTLES’ CREED	No. 881
<i>Holy catholic church means worldwide or universal church</i>		
*RESPONSE	“GLORIA PATRI”	No. 70
PASTORAL PRAYER & THE LORD’S PRAYER		
READING FROM GOD’S WORD	Matthew 3:13-17	Pg. 935 Lg. Pg. 1499
This is God’s Word for God’s People Thanks be to God!		
MESSAGE	“Baptism of the Lord”	Pastor John

\*CLOSING HYMN/INVITATION “Cause Me to Come to Thy River” (See Insert)  
*The Pastor will direct you to the front of the church for an opportunity to touch the holy water of the Jordan River. Join in with the singing of the Closing Hymn. Afterwards, the altar rail is open for prayer. You may exit as desired.*

\*\*POSTLUDE “How Lovely Shines the Morning Star” J.S. Bach

\*Please stand if you are comfortable doing so.  
\*\*Please remain standing until the pastors walk to the front doors of the church.

For prayer requests, contact Jane Anne at 529-1385 or weistjaw@aol.com

IN NEED OF PRAYERS: Patricia Bailey, Stephanie Becker, Joe Burns, Jean Conrad, Tommy Gerris, Sandy Gorman, Diane Johnston, Bob McClure Jr., Merry & Jaeden Norfleet, Edith Pennington, Alberta Pullman, Chris Reinhardt, Julie Shenk, Don Sproat, Anneliese Stroup, Barbara Thomas, Bernard Verdensky, Roberta Wolfe, Nancy Yoder, Bruce & Petra Young

ALTAR FLOWERS: One vase is given in loving memory of my father, Stephen Robert Jr.; given by Phyllis & David Ruth. One vase is in honor of those who have gone home before us.

SERVING YOU TODAY	
USHERS:	Darla Laramore, Delores McPherson, Walt Mitchell, Matt Yoder
ACOLYTE:	Timmy Armstrong
ALTAR GUILD:	Fran Hershberger, Linda Keim

MY DECISION TODAY:

- ☐ I’m committing my life to Christ for the first time today.
- ☐ I want to be baptized.
- ☐ I’m renewing my commitment to Christ.
- ☐ I’d like to talk to a member of the pastoral staff.

I’D LIKE INFORMATION ON:

- ☐ Joining the Church Family
- ☐ Sunday School
- ☐ SURGE Youth Group
- ☐ Music Ministry
- ☐ Hospitality Ministry
- ☐ Teaching Sunday School
- ☐ Volunteering
- ☐ Joining a Life (small) Group
- ☐ HOPE Community Church

REQUESTS OR PRAYER NEEDS:

- ☐ For Prayer Chain
- ☐ Confidential
- ☐ Listed in Bulletin

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PLEASE COMPLETE, TEAR OFF, AND  
PLACE IN OFFERING PLATE OR LEAVE IN  
WELCOME CENTER

KEEPING IN TOUCH

☐ CHANGE MY INFORMATION

☐ ADD ME TO THE ONE CALL LIST

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

S/M/D/W (Marital Status)      /\_\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_\_  
(Birth Date)

Spouse: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Street Address)

\_\_\_\_\_  
(City/State/Zip)

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Phone)

\_\_\_\_\_  
(E-mail Address)

Children Living at this Address:

_____ Name	_____ M/F	_____ (DOB)
_____ Name	_____ M/F	_____ (DOB)
_____ Name	_____ M/F	_____ (DOB)

First Impressions: First time visitors,  
let us know what you liked and where  
we can improve.

What I noticed first about UMCA:

What I liked best was:

What I liked least was:

THE BRANCH

➤ Praise Music

➤ Greetings and Announcements

➤ Giving of our Offerings

➤ Scripture Reading: Matthew 3:13-17

➤ Message: “Baptism of the Lord”

➤ Praise Music

SCHEDULE FOR THE DAY

9:00 a.m.	Traditional Worship
10:00 a.m.	Refreshments
10:00 a.m.	Bell Choir Rehearsal
10:15 a.m.	Sunday School for All Ages
11:00 a.m.	The Branch Worship
11:00 a.m.	KIDMO

SCHEDULE FOR THE WEEK

7:00 p.m.	Mon.	Finance Meeting
7:00 p.m.	Mon.	Praise Band Rehearsal
7:30 p.m.	Mon.	AA Meeting
12:00 p.m.	Tues.	Urban Promise Luncheon
1:00 p.m.	Tues.	Piecemakers
7:00 p.m.	Tues.	AA Meeting
12:30 p.m.	Wed.	Bible Study
6:00 p.m.	Wed.	ALPHA
7:30 p.m.	Thurs.	Sanctuary Choir
7:00 p.m.	Fri.	SURGE
10:00 a.m.	Sat.	Alternative Healing Health Class
10:00 a.m.	Sat.	Holy Spirit Saturday
7:00 p.m.	Sat.	Heavenly Perks Cafe



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