

## Sending into the World

\*Sending Hymn:

*Make Me A Blessing*

#670

Postlude

\*Please stand in body or in spirit.

*Please join us for fellowship following worship.*

Music: Susan Wismer

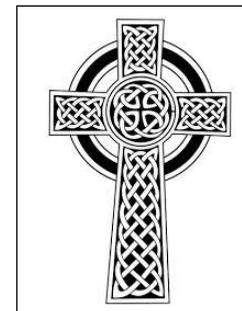
Liturgist: Warren Symens

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### Announcements:

- Today, we will have the installation and ordination of officers.
- On Sunday, February 15<sup>th</sup>, please join us following worship and communion for a Potluck Dinner in the fellowship hall.
- Food Pantry collection for February – Fruit – canned or snack packs.
- Bible Study tomorrow night, February 2<sup>nd</sup>, at 7:00 P.M.
- Sewing Days this month: February 5<sup>th</sup>, 12<sup>th</sup>, 19<sup>th</sup>, and 26<sup>th</sup>, at 9:00.
- Youth Group meets February 4<sup>th</sup>, 11<sup>th</sup> and 18<sup>th</sup>, this month.
- Session will meet Tuesday, February 17<sup>th</sup>, at 7:00 P.M.

In our thoughts & prayers: Please pray for Sharon Johnson, Jeani Amacher, Vicki Beck and others dealing with cancer; for those dealing with serious health concerns; for those dealing with the loss of loved ones; and all people around the world dealing with loss and devastation.



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**February 1<sup>st</sup>, 2026**

Welcome to Worship  
February 1<sup>st</sup>, 2026, 10:00 A.M.  
Fourth Sunday after the Epiphany

Gathering Around the Word

Ringing of the Bell

Announcements

Prelude: Susan Wismer

Invocation

\*Call to Worship:

What does the Lord require of us?

**To do justice, love kindness,  
and walk humbly with our God.**

With what shall we come before the Lord?

**With speech that is gentle,  
and words that build up.**

How shall we live our faith?

**With actions that bring peace,  
and works that lift up the lowly.**

Come and worship God in spirit and in truth.

\*Hymns of Praise: *Let's Just Praise the Lord* #18(2x)  
*We Are So Blessed* #795  
*Praise Him! Praise Him!* #12

\*Call to Confession:

\*Prayer of Confession: When we feel beaten down by the world, Merciful One, free us from sorrow and grief. When we are wounded by careless words, help us refrain from lashing out in our suffering and hurting the ones we love. Fill us with a hunger and a thirst for righteousness, →

that we may walk humbly in your ways and be a blessing to everyone we meet. In Christ's name, we pray. Amen.

\*Assurance of Pardon

\*Gloria Patri (words on screen)

Children's Message:

Prayers of the People and the Lord's Prayer

Hearing the Word

Scriptures: Psalm 15 1 Corinthians 1:18-31 Warren Symens

Hymn of Consecration: *Open My Eyes That I May See* #563

Gospel Reading: Matthew 5:1-12 Lance Griese

Congregation: "Thanks be to God"

Message: "Fools For Christ" Lance Griese

Giving of our Tithes, and Gifts

Offertory: Susan Wismer

\*Response: *O Bless the Gifts* #817

Offering Prayer: Source of justice and mercy, work through this offering to bring your gifts to the world: righteousness and peace, love and kindness, hope and joy. May our gifts truly express our gratitude for your many blessings for our church and for your children everywhere. In the name of Jesus, we pray. Amen.

Installation and Ordination of Officers of the Church