

Baptism of the Lord – January 12, 2014

Music Prelude Glenda Teachey

***Passing of the Peace**

Welcome and Announcements

***Call to Worship** “When Jesus Came to Jordan” *verse 1* UMH #252

****Opening Hymn** “Shall We Gather at the River” UMH #723

Unison Prayer

Father in heaven, at the baptism of Jesus in the River Jordan, you proclaimed him your beloved Son and anointed him with the Holy Spirit. Grant that all who are baptized into his name may keep the covenant they have made, and boldly confess him as Lord and Savior, who with you and the Holy Spirit lives and reigns, One God, forever and ever. Amen.

Praises & Prayer Requests

After each praise or prayer request: “Lord, hear our prayer.”

Hymn of Preparation “Come, Holy Ghost” UMH #603

Liturgy of the Word: Barb Cook

New Testament Acts 10:34-43

Psalm Psalm 29, *read responsively* UMH 761

Anthem “Star-led and Wonder Bound” Choir

Gospel Matthew 3:13-17 Pastor Katie

Message: “Baptism” Pastor Katie

Offertory “Do You Hear What I Hear?” Solo, Dawn Smith

***Doxology** UMH #95

***Offertory Prayer** Pastor Katie

*Please stand as you are able

** Lighting of the candles

Liturgy of the Table

Holy Communion Musical Setting B UMH p. 18

Prayer after Communion UMH p.11

The Apostles’ Creed UMH #882

***Closing Hymn** “This is the Spirit’s Entry Now” UMH #608

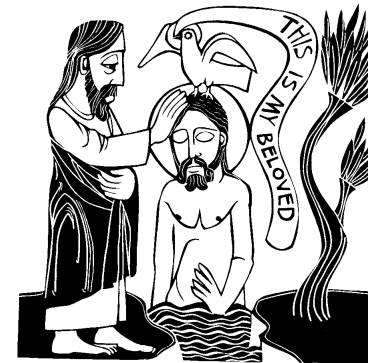
***Blessing** Pastor Katie

***Benedictory Response** “When Jesus Came to Jordan” *verse 3* UMH #252

Postlude Glenda Teachey

We welcome you to worship with us again!

To our guests, thank you for visiting us today. Please fill out a visitor’s card located in the pews and place it in the offering plate, or see an usher or the Pastor. Join us in the Overflow Room for a “Meet & Greet” after the service.



Readers

January 12 Barb Cook

January 19 Shirley Massey

January 26 Ken Dobrovolsky

Communion Servers

January 12 Bob and Mary Crouse

January 19 Barb Cook

January 26 Mike Scobell

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