



**ORDER OF WORSHIP – 23 JANUARY 2011 – 8:30 AM SERVICE
THIRD SUNDAY OF EPIPHANY**

We encourage you to join us in our worship as a people who love the Lord. Please ask an usher about the hearing devices.

**** DENOTES STANDING IF YOU ARE ABLE MUSIC LED BY- THE LORD'S CREW**

WELCOME/ ANNOUNCEMENTS PASTOR DAVID

OPENING PRAISE *The Lord Is My Strength and Song*

**** SCRIPTURE READING** I PETER 4: 8-11

**** OPENING PRAYER** PASTOR DAVID

PRAISE *Sanctuary
Revive Us Again!
Holy Righteous*

Children are dismissed to Sunday school at this time – Room 211

WE WORSHIP IN GIVING
OFFERTORY *But For Your Grace*

PRAYER OF ADORATION SUSAN COHO

SHARING GOD'S PEACE (GREETING ONE ANOTHER)
JOYS & CONCERNS - PASTORAL PRAYER PASTOR DAVID

SCRIPTURE READING JOHN 12 1: 1-8 MIKE HERBER

SERMON *Opening Doors-Part 2-Hospitality*
PASTOR DAVID M. BURGESON

COMMUNION SCRIPTURE I CORINTHIANS 11: 23 - 26 IN UNISON
COMMUNION SONG *Healer*

BENEDICTION SONG *The Lord Bless Thee* PASTOR DAVID

RECESSIONAL *He Is Jehovah*

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This Week's Host

Esther Circle

Next Week's Host

Trustees and friends

Sign-up to host or to honor an occasion during coffee hour, please see Betty Ashton in Criswell Hall.



Altar Flowers

*IN memory of
Helen Atwood, whose her birth-
day was*

January 21st

Sign up for your special occasion in Criswell Hall. 2011 dates are filling fast!

**Today's Top
Stories**

Record of Giving for 2010

Pick up your 2010 Record of Giving in Criswell Hall along with your offering envelopes. If you haven't made your 2011 pledge, please see Virginia Mothes.

Wednesday Walkers for Fitness

Meet us at 9 AM in the parking lot

Pastor's Weekly Study

Wednesdays at 2 P/M & 6 P/M (M/M/R)

Weekly Family Dinners

Wednesdays at 5:15 P/M (C+H)

Sign up with Maddy in Criswell Hall if you can help!

Kids Night Out - Continues!

Wednesdays-weekly at 5:45 P/M (S)

Soup 's On!

Weekly Family Dinners

Come and enjoy a meal with us EVERY Wednesday at 5:15 P/M.

Dinner is served just before Pastor's 6 P/M Bible Study and the Kids Night Out-also with time to spare for Youth Group and Choir Practice.

It is a nice time to grab a quick bite and some good conversation before all of our Wednesday stuff.

We are always looking for help in supplying ingredients for these dinners. Garlic bread, pasta, sauce, salad mixes, meat for sauce, etc.

Maddy will be taking sign ups for help with the Wednesday dinners in



ORDER OF WORSHIP FOR 23 JANUARY 2011 – 10:30 AM SERVICE

THIRD SUNDAY AFTER THE EPIPHANY

Welcome - We are glad that you are here!

Please ask about hearing devices or large print bulletin--Ask about Children's Sunday School and our Nursery.

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

PRELUDE *Pastorale*
G. F. HANDEL, *COMPOSER*

CHORAL INTROIT

† **CALL TO WORSHIP**

CALL: Sing to the Lord a new song, for he has done marvelous things.

RESPONSE: **We will sing of his greatness!**

CALL: Shout for joy to the Lord, all the earth.

RESPONSE: **We will proclaim the joy of the Lord!**

CALL: Make music to the Lord, for he is our King!

RESPONSE: **We will worship with instrument and song.**

CALL: The King is coming! Let us clap and dance and sing.

RESPONSE: **We praise you, Lord, with all our hearts! The King is worthy of praise!** *—ADAPTED FROM PSALM 98.*

† **HYMN NO. 73** *O Worship The King*

CHILDREN'S TIME - CHILDREN ARE DISMISSED AFTER THIS TIME TO ROOM 211

PRAYER

PASTOR: Let us join together in this prayer:

ALL: **Gracious God, one by one the disciples left all they had to follow the long-awaited Messiah. You promised them hardship, rejection, a loss of comfort, hostility, suffering and, finally, a cross to carry. We give lip service to following you but complain when it is difficult; worry when we cannot see where you are leading; question "why" when suffering inevitably comes; and choose to ignore the parts of the gospel that disrupt our sense of security. Forgive us, Lord. Forgive our selfish desire to have it both ways — to follow but at no cost; to claim you but not risk anything on your behalf; to embrace new life without experiencing the garden of Gethsemane . Remind us that we live not for ourselves but for the world, in your stead. We are entitled to share in your joy only as we share also in your**

suffering. Give us boldness and courage, by the power of your Spirit, to be your disciples in truth and deed, not just in word. Amen.

WORDS OF PARDON

PASTOR: The Lord is slow to anger and quick to forgive. Friends, hear the good news and receive it with joy: In Jesus Christ we receive pardon from sin and freedom to live as new creations. Alleluia! Amen.

CHORAL ANTHEM *Blessed Are They* **CHANCEL CHOIR**

JOYS AND CONCERNS FOR PRAYER AND THANKSGIVING

PASTORAL PRAYER

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. Amen.

OFFERTORY *Duo* **A. DE CABEZON, COMPOSER**

† **DOXOLOGY**

Praise God from Whom all blessings flow. Praise Him all creatures here below. Praise Him above, ye heavenly host. Praise, Father, Son and Holy Ghost. Amen.

SCRIPTURE READING JOHN 12: 1 – 8 **ROSE ANN STEINER**

LITURGIST: This is the word of the Lord.

PEOPLE: **Thanks be to God.**

SERMON *Opening Doors – Part 2 - Hospitality*
PASTOR DAVID BURGESSON

RECEPTION OF NEW MEMBERS

Congregational Pledge: We rejoice to recognize you as members of Christ's holy church, and bid you welcome to this congregation fo the United Methodist Church. With you we renew our vows to uphold it by our prayers, our presence, our gifts, our service, and our witness. With God's help we will so order our lives after the example of Christ that, surrounded by steadfast love, you may be established in faith, and confirmed and strengthened in the way that leads to life eternal.

† **HYMN NO. 555** *Forward Through the Ages*

† **BENEDICTION AND CHORAL RESPONSE**

POSTLUDE *Praise Be To Thee, Jesus Christ*
S. SCHEIDT, COMPOSER

Church Office Hours: Monday – Friday 9 AM to 1 PM (subject to change)
(805) 481-2692 worshipweekly.com
Pastor is out of the office on Mondays.

What's Happening at UMC of AG

Children's Sunday School

During the **8:30 AM** and **10:30 AM** services upstairs in **room 211**

Sunday Meeting for the Junior High & High School

During the **10:30 AM** services upstairs in **room 215 – The Youth Lounge**

Women of Prayer

Mondays at 7 PM (S) – Open to all denominations and women for prayer.

Men's Bible Study

Mondays at 7 PM (room 215)

The Sew 'n' Sews—Quilting Group

Tuesdays at 9 AM (MMR) – Open to all! We will teach you!

Senior Exercise Group

Tuesday-Thursday at 8:30 AM (CH)

Grande Ringers – Handbell Choir

Tuesdays & Thursdays at 5 PM (room 115) - Directed by Leonard Lutz.

Weekly Wednesday Walkers

Wednesdays at 9 AM – Meet us in the parking lot!

Chancel Choir

Wednesdays at 7 PM (S) - Directed by Julie Burns

Kids Night Out—All Elementary Ages Welcome!

Wednesday evenings at 5:45 PM (S) – Led by Victoria Gandy & Sarah Barber

UM Youth Group—ALL Jr. & Sr. High Welcome!

Wednesday evenings at 7 PM (room 215) – Led by Mike & Linda Herber

Intercessory Prayer Group

Thursdays at 10 (L) - All are welcome!

Morning Bible Study

Fridays at 8:30 AM (L) – Join us!

The Lord's Crew – Praise Team

Every other Saturday at 6:30 PM (S) - Directed by Susan Coho.

A Touch of Beauty – Time for Women

Join us the **third Friday at 7 PM** (MMR) – Bring a friend!

United Methodist Women & United Methodist Men

Various groups meet **monthly** –Just ask us!

...call about the other support & anonymous groups!

Abbreviation

Legend

MMR	McMillen Room
CH	Criswell Hall
K	Kitchen
S	Sanctuary
N	Narthex
P/S	Pastor's Study
L	Library