#### IN SERVICE NEXT SUNDAY (FEB. 27)

Liturgist: Marvin Stump Sound Board: Riggs Nursery: Kim Baxter & Lanette Carmack Junior Church: Children in Worship

#### **OFFERING ENVELOPES**

Just a reminder that the offering plates are located at the sanctuary doors. Please drop your envelopes in as you enter or exit. Offering envelopes are also mailable with a first class stamp.

*Each Evening* –feel free to come and walk the parking lot as the weather permits. Remember 5 times around the outside edge of the parking lot is one mile.

*Each Day* - Follow the daily Bible Reading schedule to read the Bible through in One Year.

Table Time Prayer Reminder – pray daily

*Every Monday*, 9:30am – Noon Monday Morning Bible Reading – here & on Zoom

#### THIS WEEK.

Today, Feb. 20<sup>th</sup>

After Sunday School -- Youth Group Sledding at Willow If no snow there will be a mystery trip.

Monday, Feb. 21<sup>st</sup>

Women's Society Fellowship - here

Tuesday, Feb. 22<sup>nd</sup>

9am Newsletter articles for March/April are due

#### **LOOKING AHEAD**

Ash Wednesday is on March  $2^{nd}$ . There will be an evening worship service beginning at 7:00 pm. Devotionals for Lent will again be provided by the church and will be ready for pick up next Sunday, Feb.  $27^{th}$ .

# The Parable of the Wheat and the Weeds Matthew 13:24-30

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Seventh Sunday after Epiphany Worship 9:30 a.m. Rev. Eun Sik (Cloud) Poy, pastor

Organist: Marsha Metz Sound Board: Aaron Gurgul Junior Church:Kim Baxter

#### MASK REQUIREMENTS

Please continue to wear a mask while singing or greeting others. Thank you for keeping everyone safe.

# **Order of Worship**

#### Words of Welcome and Announcements

#### **Prelude and Service of Lights**

#### \*Call to Worship

L: Here is my servant, whom I uphold, my chosen one in whom I delight.

#### P: I will put my spirit on him and he will bring justice to the nations.

L: He will not shout or cry, or raise his voice in the streets.

## P: A bruised reed he will not break, and a smoldering wick he will not snuff out.

L: I, the LORD, have called you in righteousness; I will take hold of your hand.

#### P: I will keep you and will make you to be a covenant and light for the people.

L: to open eyes that are blind, to free captives from prison

P: and to release from the dungeon those who dsit in darkness.

*Opening	Song
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Lord Reign In Me Our God

## **Greet One Another**

*Please remain in your pew, standing if you like, and greet one another* with a wave of your hand and words of greeting. Children ages 4 to 4<sup>th</sup> grade may leave for Junior Church at this time.

## **Praises and Praver Requests**

Please fill out a green prayer card (found at the Usher's table) for those you are lifting in prayer today so we can send a note of encouragement to them.

## **Silent and Pastoral Prayers**

#### **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..

Hymn	The Lily of the Valley	
Scripture I	Reading	John 14: 15-21
Reader:	This is the word of God for the people of God!	
People:	Thanks be to God!	

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Message	Ramsom	Rev. Poy

# Prayers of Thanksgiving and Offering Ourselves and Our Gifts

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Almighty God, we thank you for your unchanging love for all of us through your only Son, Jesus Christ, who died on the cross to save us and rose again from the dead to bring us eternal life. Today, we stand in your presence with the joys and hopes, and dreams of our lives. Loving God, we humbly ask for your grace and mercy and bless us so that we may enjoy it in our daily lives. Guided by your Spirit, we want to develop the wisdom and knowledge to love and serve people. Thank you Lord! We pray in the precious name of Jesus Christ. Amen.

*Closing Song	Because He Lives	#364
* Benediction		

#### \*Postlude

\*Please stand as able.