

Scripture Reading: Luke 24:13-35

¹³ Now that same day two of them were going to a village called Emmaus, about seven miles from Jerusalem. ¹⁴ They were talking with each other about everything that had happened. ¹⁵ As they talked and discussed these things with each other, Jesus himself came up and walked along with them; ¹⁶ but they were kept from recognizing him. ¹⁷ He asked them, "What are you discussing together as you walk along?" They stood still, their faces downcast. ¹⁸ One of them, named Cleopas, asked him, "Are you the only one visiting Jerusalem who does not know the things that have happened there in these days?" ¹⁹ "What things?" he asked. "About Jesus of Nazareth," they replied. "He was a prophet, powerful in word and deed before God and all the people. ²⁰ The chief priests and our rulers handed him over to be sentenced to death, and they crucified him; ²¹ but we had hoped that he was the one who was going to redeem Israel. And what is more, it is the third day since all this took place. ²² In addition, some of our women amazed us. They went to the tomb early this morning ²³ but didn't find his body. They came and told us that they had seen a vision of angels, who said he was alive. ²⁴ Then some of our companions went to the tomb and found it just as the women had said, but they did not see Jesus." ²⁵ He said to them, "How foolish you are, and how slow to believe all that the prophets have spoken! ²⁶ Did not the Messiah have to suffer these things and then enter his glory?" ²⁷ And beginning with Moses and all the Prophets, he explained to them what was said in all the Scriptures concerning himself. ²⁸ As they approached the village to which they were going, Jesus continued on as if he were going farther. ²⁹ But they urged him strongly, "Stay with us, for it is nearly evening; the day is almost over." So he went in to stay with them. ³⁰ When he was at the table with them, he took bread, gave thanks, broke it and began to give it to them. ³¹ Then their eyes were opened and they recognized him, and he disappeared from their sight. ³² They asked each other, "Were not our hearts burning within us while he talked with us on the road and opened the Scriptures to us?" ³³ They got up and returned at once to Jerusalem. There they found the Eleven and those with them, assembled together ³⁴ and saying, "It is true! The Lord has risen and has appeared to Simon." ³⁵ Then the two told what had happened on the way, and how Jesus was recognized by them when he broke the bread.

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January 20, 2019, 2nd Sunday after Epiphany-Communion

UMH (United Methodist Hymnal) **FWS** (Faith We Sing) **W&S** (Worship & Song)
(*Indicates for Congregation to stand if able)

Welcome and Announcements

Liturgist: Randy Lange

****Call to Worship**

L: God, your steadfast, never-giving-up love is so huge
that it fills the heavens.

P: Your faithfulness is so vast that it rises to the clouds.

L: Under your loving wings, we find comfort and refuge.

P: In your house of love, we sit around the table feasting.

L: Your life and love are like a fountain in our lives.

P: You are the love-filled Light that allows us to see and understand.

O God, your faithful love is precious to us!

****Hymn**

I Want to Know You (In the Secret)
(UMH) #349 Turn Your Eyes upon Jesus

Children's Sermon

Bill Brueck

Joys and Concerns / Pastoral Prayer

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.

****Gloria Patri**

Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen.

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Hymn (FWS) #2130

The Summons

Message

Don't You Get It?

Pastor Bill Hoffman

Celebration of Holy Communion

(Please Bring Gifts and Offerings as You Come Forward For Communion)

****Hymn (FWS) #2161**

To Know You More

Prayer for Living Expectantly

Gracious and Life-Giving God,

- Pour out your Holy Spirit, like a mighty wind and tongues of fire, to unleash our churches to see kingdom visions, to dream your dreams, and to prophesy to your saving grace and justice.
- Revive the power of the gospel in the hearts of our clergy and lay leadership and prosper their words and works, so that all nations may hear the good news in their own tongues.
- Boldly use me, without limits, delays or excuses, to be a living praise and witness to your love throughout all the earth and a blessing to all creation.
- Create in me an expectant heart, eager to receive your Spirit gifts and guidance to the glory of Jesus Christ, in whose precious and powerful name I pray. Amen.

Benediction / Greeting/ Postlude

PLEASE NOTE

- **Pastor Bill's** office hours are Monday, Tuesday, and Thursday from 9am to 12pm. To contact Pastor Bill, please call his cell (605) 840-1801 or home (507) 356-4317; or e-mail him at revwilly3@gmail.com. On Wednesdays, Pastor Bill is at Shawna's at 8am and at Betty Sue's Better Brew at 9am.
- **We invite you** all to use the **Prayer Wall** in the entrance area. Please feel free to add a prayer request, pray for the requests posted, and/or take a prayer request with you to regularly pray for.
- **Mission Box** for January is the Ministerial Fund.
- **Pine Island Sharing Shelf** for January is Hamburger, Tuna or Chicken Helpers; Boxed Mac & Cheese.
- **Lunch Bunch** will be meeting today at Trailhead Grill at 11:30am.
- **Join us next Sunday**, January 27, at 2pm when we will be showing "The Shack" in the Fellowship Hall. Please bring snacks to share.
- **Backpack Program** meets the 2nd Thursday of each month @ 7pm. They meet at the Crosswinds Church in Oronoco. The 2019 dates are: Feb 14, Mar 14, April 11, and May 9. For more information please contact Vicky Sather: vickiesather@gmail.com