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January 19, 2025 + Second Sunday After The Epiphany

Welcome

Prelude:

Opening Prayer:

Creator God, how great is your name!

All creation sings of your glory, and so do we. You have exalted us and crowned us with honor; even infants join stars and moon in singing your praise.
How great, O God, is your name in all the earth! Amen.

Come as a Child

Affirmation of Faith

Creator God, how lovely is the dwelling you have made for us! You who create all things, we gladly awaken in your presence.

You are our maker, our host, and our home.

Risen Christ, how lovely is your dwelling with us!

You invite us to feast at your table: to be nourished by your teaching, to be healed by your grace, and to share in this banquet of life with all the other poor sinners of this world. You who taught and healed, you who died and were raised, you who are the Bread of Life, feed us with your presence, fill us with your spirit, and lead us by your word. We desire with all our heart and mind and strength to die and live with you in the mystery of eternal life.

Holy Spirit, love of God, how lovely is your dwelling with us!

Wisdom of God, how gracious is your invitation to feast at your table.

You make of us one body, the Body of Christ.

God, we give our hearts to you, that by your grace

We may devote ourselves to lives of compassion, justice, and joy,

For the sake of the transformation of the world, in the name of Christ. Amen.

Song of Faith: Hovey Corbin

Scripture: Isaiah 62:1-5

Message: What's in a Name? Rev.

Blaine Wimberly

Song of Faith: Hovey Corbin

Installation of Leadership Board

Dear friends,

you have been called by God and chosen by the people of God for leadership in the church.

This ministry is a blessing and a serious responsibility. It recognizes your special gifts and calls you to work among us and for us. In love we thank you for accepting your obligation and challenge you to offer your best to the Lord, to this people, and to our ministry in the world.

Live a life in Christ

and make him known in your witness and your work.

Today we install . . .

Do you this day acknowledge yourself a faithful disciple of Jesus Christ?

I do.

Will you devote yourself to the service of God in the world?

I will.

Will you so live

that you enable this church to be a people of love and peace?

I will.

Will you do all in your power

to be responsible to the task for which you have been chosen?

I will.

Let us pray.

Almighty God, pour out your blessings upon these your servants
who have been given particular ministries in your church.

Grant them grace to give themselves wholeheartedly in your service.

Keep before them the example of our Lord,

who did not think first of himself, but gave himself for us all.

Let them share his ministry and consecration,

that they may enter into his joy.

Guide them in their work.

Reward their faithfulness with the knowledge

that through them your purposes are accomplished;

through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Dear friends, rejoice that God provides laborers for the vineyards.

Will you do all you can to assist and encourage them

in the responsibilities to which they have been called,

giving them your cooperation, your counsel, and your prayers?

We will.

Musical Response: Freely, Freely

Announcements

Joys and Concerns

Prayer Song: I Want to Walk as a Child of the Light

Prayers of the People

Lord's Prayer

Song of Faith: Hovey Corbin

Benediction

Fellowship Time

Mountainside United Methodist Church

Mission: To make disciples of Jesus Christ

for the transformation of our community and the world.

Vision: To be a thriving Christ-led people in the East Mountains, inviting all generations to a transforming experience of God's Grace.

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Announcements and Calendar

~ We are glad you are online with us today! Please register your attendance and your joys and concerns in the chat box.

~ We would like to pray for you! Prayer requests may be sent to our prayer chain at prayer@mountainsidemethodist.org To avoid delay, please do not send prayer requests to the Office@mountainside email.

This week at Mountainside

Monday, January 20

Noon AA (Fellowship Hall)
3:00 Teatime Online
4:00 Upward Practice (gym)
6:00 Missions Committee (zoom)

Tuesday, January 21

8:00-3:30 Acton Academy (upstairs classrooms)
9:00 Chair Yoga (gym)
9:30 East Mountain Food Pantry (kitchen)
4:30 Upward Basketball (gym)

Wednesday, January 22

8:00-3:30 Acton Academy (upstairs classrooms)
9:00 Dance Aerobics (gym)
12:00 AA (Fellowship Hall)
1:15 Line Dancing (gym)
4:30 Sectional Rehearsals (Round Room)
7:00 AA (Fellowship Hall)

Thursday, January 23

8:00-3:30 Acton Academy (upstairs classrooms)
3:00 Teatime Online
4:30 Upward Practice (gym)
5:00 Cheer Practice (round room)

Friday, January 24

8:00-3:30 Acton Academy (upstairs classrooms)
9:00 am Dance Fitness with Leticia (gym)
10:00 AI Anon (Fellowship Hall)
Noon AA (Fellowship Hall)
5:00 Upward Games (gym)

Saturday, January 25

8:00-4:00 Upward Games (gym)
12:00 Bell Choir practice (Round Room)

Sunday, January 26

9:00 Sunday Morning Live! online worship
9:00 The Breakfast Club Bible Study (fellowship hall)
10:30 Worship in the Sanctuary
11:35 Choir practice (Round Room)
5:00 AA (Fellowship Hall)



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