

Celebration of Worship

January 31, 2016
Fourth Sunday after the Epiphany

The season after Epiphany is observed from the first Sunday after Epiphany until Ash Wednesday. The last Sunday after Epiphany is celebrated as Transfiguration Sunday. During the season after Epiphany worshipers celebrate the manifestation of the Divine Lord, God in the world in which they live.

Prelude “Spirit of God, Descend Upon My Heart” Arr. Mark Keller

The people come together in the Lord’s name. While prelude is being played, the worshipers may engage in the act of worship through quiet meditation and private prayer. The dedication of presence may be made by writing the name on the registration pad placed on the pew.

Lighting of Christ’s Candle

Chiming of Steeple Bell

Gathering with Praises and Prayers

UMH No. 171 “There’s Something About That Name” THAT NAME

UMH No. 657 “This Is the Day” THIS IS THE DAY

Welcome and The Peace, Ministry Opportunities

*Call to Worship

Liturgist: Rejoice in the Lord, O you righteous! Delight in praise,
O you upright!

**People: Upright is the word of the Lord, whose work is done
in faithfulness.**

L: Our soul waits the Lord, who is our help and our shield.

**All: Our heart is glad in the Lord, because we trust in
God’s holy name. Alleluia!**

Anthem Adult Choir

Children’s Message

***UMH No. 567** “Heralds of Christ” NATIONAL HYMN

Prayer Offered in Unison

**Eternal Light, shine into our hearts. Eternal Goodness,
deliver us from evil. Eternal Power, be our support. Eternal
Wisdom, scatter the darkness of our ignorance. Eternal Pity,
have mercy upon us. That with all our heart and mind and
soul and strength we may seek your face and be brought by
your infinite mercy to your holy presence; through Jesus
Christ our Lord. Amen.**

Personal Prayer Offered in Silence

We pray for the people of the State of Connecticut, The
Constitution State, joined our union on January 9, 1788. (Settled
in 1634) For Church Unity: Denmark, Finland, Iceland, Norway,
and Sweden.

Pastoral Prayer Rev. DaeHwa Park

Offering of Our Time, Talents, and Treasures

Offertory “O for a Thousand Tongues to Sing” Stephen Nielson
Doxology – UMH 95
Prayer of Thanksgiving and Lord’s Prayer

Epistle Lesson – TEV Pg. 267 “Philippians 2:12-18” **NIV**

TEV: Today’s English Version, Pew Bible
The scripture available herewith is from New International Version.

¹² Therefore, my dear friends, as you have always obeyed--
not only in my presence, but now much more in my
absence-- continue to work out your salvation with fear and
trembling, ¹³ for it is God who works in you to will and to act
according to his good purpose. ¹⁴ Do everything without
complaining or arguing, ¹⁵ so that you may become
blameless and pure, children of God without fault in a
crooked and depraved generation, in which you shine like
stars in the universe ¹⁶ as you hold out the word of life-- in
order that I may boast on the day of Christ that I did not run
or labor for nothing. ¹⁷ But even if I am being poured out like
a drink offering on the sacrifice and service coming from
your faith, I am glad and rejoice with all of you. ¹⁸ So you
too should be glad and rejoice with me.

This is the word of God and the people of God.
Thanks be to God. Amen.

Witness to the Word Rev. DaeHwa Park

“Advancing the Gospel”
Part 5. Shining As Stars

Response to the Word

“Confirmation”
Confirmands: Sara Carlisle, Jeremy Park, John White

***UMH No. 555** “Forward Through the Ages” ST. GERTRUDE

*Benediction

Postlude “Arrival of the Queen of Sheba” George F. Handel

Boldfaced type denotes “all reading.” *indicates stands as able.
UMH- United Methodist Hymnal, TFWS – The Faith We Sing

☞ Sermon Outline

“Advancing the Gospel”
Part 5. Shining As Stars
Philippians 2:12-18

1. God works in you. Continue to work out your _____.

2. Be _____ and _____ children of God in a crooked and
depraved generation.

3. Shine like _____ in the universe.

4. Hold on to the word of _____.

Keys: 1. salvation; 2. blameless; 3. stars; 4. life.

Make Companions in Christ!

Jesus ... called 12 disciples ... [“two-by-two”] (Matthew 10:1-5).

- Pray for your CIC
- Encounter your CIC
- Define God’s Call with your CIC
- Celebrate and commission CIC for the Kingdom of God!

Christ-Centered Reading!



As the whole bible focused on Jesus Christ, Messiah and the Son of God, reading the bible help us to make a deeper relationship with Jesus. This chapter-a-day reading plan includes 366 readings from the 1,189 chapters in the bible. This reading plan however will have you engage in much deeper

grasp of what the whole bible is all about: the person and work of Jesus Christ.

Jesus' Mighty Acts – February 2016

Week of Fifth Sunday after the Epiphany

□ Jan 31: 2 Timothy 2, A Good Soldier of Christ Jesus

□ Feb 1: Isaiah 61, Good News for the Oppressed in the Nations of the World

□ Feb 2: John 2, Transformation of Water to Wine

□ Feb 3: John 6, Feeding of 5000; Waling on Water; Jesus the Bread of Life

□ Feb 4: Matthew 8, Jesus Heals a Man with Leprosy; Jesus Calms the Storm

□ Feb 5: Matthew 9, Jesus Heals a Paralyzed Man, Jarius's Daughter, & the Blind

□ Feb 6: Matthew 12, Jesus Heals a Man with a Withered Hand on the Sabbath

Week of Last Sunday after the Epiphany – “Transfiguration Sunday”

□ Feb 7: Matthew 14, Feeding of 5000, Jesus Walks on Water

□ Feb 8: Matthew 15, Jesus Heals a Demon-Possessed Daughter of a Gentile Woman

□ Feb 9: Matthew 17, Jesus Heals a Demon-Possessed Boy

□ Feb 10: Matthew 20, Jesus Heals Two Blind Men;

□ Feb 11: Matthew 21, Jesus Clears the Temple

□ Feb 12: Luke 3, John the Baptist Presents Jesus as Messiah

□ Feb 13: Luke 4, Jesus Heals Peter's Mother in Law and Many People in Capernaum

First Week in Lent

□ Feb 14: Luke 5, Jesus Heals a Man with Leprosy and a Paralyzed Man

□ Feb 15: Luke 6, Jesus Heals on the Sabbath

□ Feb 16: Luke 7, Jesus Heals a Slave of a Roman Officer and Raises a Widow's Son

□ Feb 17: Luke 8, Jesus Calms the Storm and Heals a Demon-Possessed Man

□ Feb 18: Luke 9, Jesus Feeds 5000 and Heals a Demon-Possessed Boy

□ Feb 19: Luke 10, Jesus Sends Out His Disciples with Power and Authority

□ Feb 20: Exodus 4, Moses Hardens the Hearts of Pharaoh (cf. John 12:40)

Second Week in Lent

□ Feb 21: Exodus 16, Manna and Quail from Heaven (cf. John 6:48-51)

□ Feb 22: Exodus 17, Water from the Rock (cf. John 4:10-13)

□ Feb 23: 1 Kings 17, Elijah's Prayer and Raising the Child of a Widow (Luke 17:11-16)

□ Feb 24: 1 Kings 18, Elijah at Mount Carmel

□ Feb 25: 2 Kings 2, Elisha, a man of God, Cleans Water for Jericho

□ Feb 26: Daniel 3, Lord Saves Daniel and His Friends from the Blazing Furnace

□ Feb 27: Daniel 6, Lord Saves Daniel and His Friends from Lion's Den

Second Week in Lent

□ Feb 28: Psalm 92, The Lord is My Rock

□ Feb 20: Psalm 98, Sing a New Song for the Mighty Victory of the Lord

Weather Inclement: The operation of Church office during the week follows the weather inclement of the Howard Co Public School. 2 hour delay means office opening at 11 a.m. At any condition, sunny or blizzard, no power no service. In case of cancelation of the service, there will be a phone message taped at the church's office phone no later 6 a.m. in the morning on Sundays.

This Week at Savage

FH – fellowship hall, F&MC – faith and ministry center

Sun. January 31-4th Sunday after the Epiphany

8:30a Adult Sunday School FH

9:30a Worship Sanctuary

9:45a Sunday School Classrooms; F&MC

11a Rock'N Praise F&MC3

1:30p MARA Community Church Sanctuary

7:30p NA FH

Mon., February 1

9a-1p Church Office Opens Church Office at F&MC

Tue., February 2

9a-1p Church Office Opens Church Office at F&MC

10:30a Staff Meeting

11a-12p Disciple Study Kitchen (Prayer Room) at FMC

12p-2p Meet Pastor Pastor's Study at F&MC

7p Boy Scouts FH

7p Girl Scouts F&MC2

7p Cherrytree Park Board Mtg F&MC3

7:30p Trustees Sanctuary

Wed., February 3

9a-1p Church Office Opens Church Office at F&MC

6:15p Fellowship FH

7p Praise and Worship Service S

7p Venture Crew Classroom

7p NA F&MC2

7p Bowling Brook F&MC3

Thur., February 4

9a-1p Church Office Opens Church Office at F&MC

11a Coffee with the Pastor F&MC

6:15p Bell Choir Choir room

7:15p Adult Choir Choir room

7p Adult Bible Study F&MC Kitchen

Fri. February 5 – ROCK Retreat in Ocean City

Sun. January 7- Transfiguration Sunday

ROCK Retreat Ends at Noon

8:30a Adult Sunday School FH

9:30a Worship Sanctuary

9:45a Sunday School Classrooms; F&MC

11a Youth Choir FH

11:30a Drama Practice FH

1:30p MARA Community Church Sanctuary

7:30p NA FH

Please call 301-725-7630 for a guaranteed appointment, private meeting or pastoral counseling.

Mission: Make people blessed with the Gospel of Jesus

Our Journey: Praise God, experience God, serve God and share God!



QR Code for Evangelism



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(Office Hour: Monday – Thursday, 9 a.m.-1 p.m.)

Our church bell, made in 1838, rang daily at the Savage Cotton Mill to begin and end the workday. Now the bell calls us to worship!



*Do everything without complaining or arguing,
so that you may become blameless and pure, children of God
without fault in a crooked and depraved generation, in which
you shine like stars in the universe.*

Philippians 2:14-15

January 31, 2016

Fourth Sunday after the Epiphany

“Confirmation”

9:30 A.M.

You Are Welcome - Just as You Are!

All are welcome at Savage. You truly matter to us, because you matter to God. We understand ourselves as Christians in worship, study, service and witnessing; and affirming each person's unique gifts and talents, we invite you into a loving relationship with God. If you want to know more about Savage United Methodist Church or about Christianity, please indicate so in the registration pad as it is placed in the pew. If there is information that you feel would help us better serve you, please indicate this. We honor and celebrate your decision to be here!

Ministry Opportunities

Today during worship we recognize new lay leadership. Greet spiritual leaders of the church. Join spiritual ministry committee: Worship, Nurture, Outreach and Evangelism.

Youth Rock Retreat in Ocean City, MD – February 5-7

Bell (6:15pm) and Adult (7:15pm) Choir Thursdays

Youth Choir practice resumes on February 7th, first Sunday of each month.

Drama practice will start February 7th, following youth choir practice.

Lenten Journey at Savage



- Ash Wednesday: Imposition of Ashes – 7 p.m.
- “Carbon Fast” – 40 Days Act of Penitence
- Lenten Meal & Meditation on Wednesdays at 6:15 p.m.
- Voluntary Fasting on Fridays during Lent - Special Offering of Meal Price can be donated for Pastor's Discretionary Fund, helping people in needs.
- 12 Hours of Famine, Youth Lenten Program – Fri. Mar. 18th beginning at 10:30 a.m. in school and ends at 10:30 p.m. in church
- Stations of the Cross – Holy Thursday, Mar. 24 at 7 p.m.

The January/February edition of the Upper Room is available in the Narthex. If you are able, please donate \$2.

Church Cookbook recipe request – The Adult Sunday School class will be publishing a cookbook this spring. Your favorite recipes may be sent to the office 301-725-7630 or office@umcsavage.org.

Annual Spaghetti Dinner, February 20th. Look for details to come.

Ladies' Tea, 19 March from 1-4pm. RSVP to office 301-725-7630 or office@umcsavage.org.

Year Round Packages for the Military Service Men and Women - Our church is collecting and sending items to the troops overseas. We have a box marked in the narthex for donations with a list of requested items.

The **Savage Food Pantry** is collecting clean blankets and clothing, as well as winter coats. Bring them and your food donations to the narthex.