

BLUFF POINT UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
SIXTH SUNDAY AFTER EPIPHANY
FEBRUARY 16, 2014

WELCOME AND GREETING

ORGAN PRELUDE/CANDLE LIGHTING

*SONG OF PRAISE - #2223 *"They'll Know We Are Christians"*

*CALL TO WORSHIP

L Day by day, God leads us:

P to the deep, deep pools of peace,
to the green, lush lawns of grace.

L Day by day, Jesus calls us:

P to pour out ourselves in service,
to anoint the stranger with hope.

L Day by day, the Holy Spirit shows us:

P the community we could be,
the family we are called to become.

— written by Thom Shuman on Lectionary Liturgies.

*OPENING PRAYER:

Loving God,

*we come this morning with our lives,
our thoughts, our hope and our fears.*

We come with our plans, our dreams, our memories.

We come with our time, our gifts and our skills.

*We come with our family, our friends, and we come with
ourselves.*

*We come to offer to you everything
we have and are.*

*We come to glorify your holy name, when we pray in Jesus Name.
Amen.*

*SHARING OF THE PEACE - Let us offer one another signs
of reconciliation and love.

*HYMN OF PRAISE: #402 *"Lord, I Want to Be a Christian"*

CHORAL ANTHEM

CHILDREN'S TIME –

PRAYER TIME

PRAYER HYMN - #2200 *"O Lord, Hear My Prayer"*

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE/LORD'S PRAYER

SCRIPTURE READING: *I Corinthians 3:1-9(p.167,NT);
Matthew 5:21-37(p.5,NT)*

SERMON: *"Do You Act Like A Christian?"* Rev. Judy D. White

OFFERTORY/DOXOLOGY: Hymnal, #95

*PRAYER OF DEDICATION:

*So now, as we give our gifts to you, help us to see the
faces of those who will look to us for a touch of
compassion and love: our words of kindness, our arms
of comfort, and our generous gifts. In Jesus name.
Amen.*

*CLOSING HYMN: #431 *"Let There Be Peace On Earth"*

POSTLUDE:

***Those who are able please stand**

SERVING CHRIST THIS WEEK:

Organist: Cindy Heggie

Choir Director: Aimee Perry

Liturgist: Dick Smith

Scripture Reader: Carole Clow

Greeters: Linda and Mike Folts

Ushers: Sherri Hunt and Michele Covert

Fellowship: Pam Althouse

Sunday School: Meredith Nielsen

Nursery: Chris and Stacy Wyant

Counters: Elly Stempien and Bill Sutherland

SERVING NEXT WEEK(2/23)

Organist: Cindy Heggie

Choir Director: Aimee Perry

Liturgist: Dick Smith

Scripture Reader: Bruce Westerdahl

Greeters: Bev Dean and Ron Sergent

Ushers: Deb Smith and Marilyn Sands

Fellowship: Ron and Jane Salyer

Sunday School: Sarah Stackhouse

Nursery: Terry Fingar and Sonya Andersen

Counters: Elly Stempien and Bill Sutherland

TONIGHT: WORSHIP AT THE LIVING WELL -5-5:45

Communion will be served tonight.

This Week in the Life of the Church

Tues:

Noon: UMW meet at Antique Inn

7pm - Choir Practice this week

Wed. 10:00am, Bible Study(weather permitting)

DATES TO MARK ON CALENDAR

STAFF-PARISH PASTOR RELATIONS COMMITTEE: *Please note that the first meeting for 2014 will be held at 6pm on Tuesday Feb 18th and the meeting will be at the church. Please do RSVP if you cannot make it.*

TRUSTEES MEETING: Feb. 23rd.

Since it has been a while since we had a meeting, we will have a short one after the Sunday service.

Please send me any topics you feel we need to cover. I will collect them and get a list out to you before the meeting.

Thanks,

Phil Pearce

Ash Wednesday and beginning of Lent is coming soon.

Shrove Tuesday, or Pancake Supper will be Mar. 4th

Ash Wednesday service, Mar. 5th, 7pm.

Churches of Penn Yan Lenten Lunches will begin Mar.6th 12-1pm at First Baptist Church. 5\$. Schedule will be posted next week.

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