

Service of Worship Cartersville UMC

*stand if you are able

Welcome

*Gathering Chorus 347 Spirit Song

Announcements

Prelude

Lighting of Worship Candles

Maybe you have a candle at your house and would like to light a candle with me to celebrate the light of Christ there with you.

Call to Worship

L: Pilate asked Jesus, "What is Truth"?

P: **THAT IS A QUESTION WE ALL ASK SOMETIMES.**

L: Every day the world bombards us with so much information.

P: **HOW CAN WE TELL THE TRUTH FROM THE LIES?**

L: Jesus says: "I am the truth".

*Opening Hymn 64 Holy, Holy, Holy! Lord God Almighty
(1,3,4)

Seeking God's Plan

Bind Us Together Lord #2226 (in "The Faith We Sing" hymnal)

Prayer Requests and Joys

Pastoral Prayer & Lord's Prayer

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, the power, and the glory forever. **Amen.**

Hymn 368 My Hope Is Built (1,2,3)

Offertory Prayer

Scripture Reading Ephesians 4:14-15 pg 1158 pew bible
John 14:6 pg 1068 pew bible

Choir How Can It Be

Message **The Power of Truth**

*Closing Hymn 374 Standing on the Promises (1,2)

*Closing Prayer

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DATE	GREETERS	WORSHIP LEADER
19	Phil & Becky Borgsmiller	Leah Farrar-White
26	Dr. John & Janice McConnaughy	Ginny Tholen
March 5	Jim & Jackie Koonce	Jake Rendleman

ANNOUNCEMENTS

We invite you to join us for special Lent and Holy Week services. Community Lenten Services each week at noon. This service will be held at our church on March 8th.

Palm/Passion Sunday, April 2
Worship will include the Stripping of the Sanctuary,

Good Friday Interfaith Service at noon.

Easter Sunday, April 9 Worship at 9:30am

CLIPBOARDS

Please sign the clipboard if you can provide a pie and/or help serve at the Meals on Monday, February 27.

THIS WEEK'S EVENTS		
MONDAY 2/20	6:00 pm	Finance Committee.
	6:58 pm	Church Council
TUESDAY 2/21	1:00 pm	UMW
WEDNESDAY 2/22	10:00 am	Midweek Connection
	7:30 pm	Ash Wednesday
THURSDAY 2/23	1:00 pm	Creative Lent
	6:30 pm	Children's Mission Meeting
SUNDAY 2/24	8:30 am	Art's Bible Study
	9:30 am	Worship Service
	10:30 am	Women's Bible Study
	10:30 am	Fellowship/Climbers Class

CELEBRATING A BIRTHDAY THIS WEEK

James White, Phyllis Groutage

CELEBRATING AN ANNIVERSARY THIS WEEK

Bill & Mary Slider

PRAYER CONCERNS

Christian Eayrs – Church family
 Norma Johnson – Church family
 Susan Frease – Church family
 Jim White – Church family
 Judy Ambler—Church family
 Steven Ambler--Judy Ambler's son
 The family of Amber Howerton
 Rob Ritchey
 Patty Simpson Edwards
 Jean Amble – Church family
 Mary Snider—Judith Weyburg's sister
 Aaron Sizemore – Church family
 Nancy Vale—Church family
 Gwen Geyer—Sue Chaney's sister
 Sue Stanley—Church family
 Ann Walczak—Ginny Tholen's sister
 The family of Pauline Massie—Don Massie's mother
 The family of Terry Stanley—Church Family
 Judith Weyburg—Church family
 Joe Taylor—Church family
 Mary Slider—Church family
 Oleta Massie—Church family
 Bobby Rector—Church family
 The family of Tristan Fuqua—Doug and Evelyn's grandson
 All Military Personnel
 Our Church

*Knowing Christ,
Sharing Christ*



**February 19, 2023 – Transfiguration Sunday
Epiphany - White**

9:30 a.m. Sunday Worship

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