#### Service of Worship Carterville UMC \*stand if you are able

#### Welcome

\*Gathering Chorus 405 Seek Ye First

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

- Want is a powerful thing. L:
- P: WHEN WE WANT WHAT IS GOOD FOR US, IT CAN BE A POWERFUL SOURCE OF BLESSING.
- L: When we want what is bad for us, it can be a powerful source of pain.
- WHEN WE WANT GOD, GOD IS EAGER AND READY P: TO FILL OUR DESIRE.
- \*Opening Hymn 67 We, Thy People Praise Thee

## Seeking God's Plan

Bind Us Together #2226 (The Faith We Sing songbook)

## **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.

## **Offertory Prayer**

Hymn 400 Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing

## Children's Church

Scripture Reading	Psalm 37:4	pg 552 pew bible
	Joshua 24:15	pg 231 pew bible

Message

The Power of Desire

**Celebration of Holy Communion Communion Music** 640 Invitation to the Lord's Table

Take Our Bread

### **Closing Prayer**

PIANIST:	Samantha Bursich
ORGANIST:	Dean Brown
CHOIR DIRECTOR/SONG LEADER	Dannyel Norrington
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DATE	GREETERS	WORSHIP LEADER
Feb 5	RoseAnn Rector & Sue Corbell	Jake Rendleman
12	John & Angie Oetjen	Leah Farrar-White
19	Phil & Becky Borgsmiller	Leah Farrar-White

# **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

--The offering envelopes for 2023 are in the vestibule.

-If you are looking for a United Methodist Youth Group, please see Leah for help in locating one in the area to serve you.

# **CLIPBOARDS**

-Please sign up on the clipboard if you plan to attend the free breakfast provided by the Scouts on Scout Sunday, February 12th.

-There is a clipboard to sign up for the Young at Heart on the Road on February 14th.

THIS WEEK'S EVENTS				
MONDAY 2/6	6:30 pm	Outreach/Social Media Comm.		
TUESDAY 2/7	7:00 pm	Nurture Committee		
WEDNESDAY 2/8	11:30 am	Valentine's Party		
	6:30 pm	Choir Practice		
SUNDAY 2/12	8:30 am	Art's Bible Study		
	8:30 am	Scout Sunday Breakfast		
	9:30 am	Worship Service		
	10:30 am	Women's Bible Study		
	10:30 am	Fellowship/Climber's Class		

#### **CELEBRATING A BIRTHDAY THIS WEEK**

Breanne Mekelbery FLOWERS ON THE ALTAR

In Memory of Billy Raj's mother Palammal

#### 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 The family of Mary E. Searcy—Linda McCowen's Mom Rob Ritchev Patty Simpson Edwards Jean Amble – Church family Mary Snider-Judith Weyburg's sister Aaron Sizemore – Church family Tammy Strueter—Church family Nancy Vale—Church family Gwen Gever—Sue Chaney's sister Sue Stanley—Church family The family of Debbie Johnson Ann Walczak-Ginny Tholen's sister The family of Pauline Massie—Don Massie's mother Judith Weyburg—Church family Joe Taylor—Church family Mary Slider—Church family Oleta Massie—Church family Bobby Rector-Church family The family of Tristan Fugua—Doug and Evelyn's grandson All Military Personnel Our Church

Knowing Christ, Sharing Christ



February 5, 2023 - 5<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Epiphany Epiphany - Green 9:30 a.m. Sunday Worship FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH 301 PINE STREET CARTERVILLE, IL Office Hours 10 a.m.—2 p.m. Monday—Friday Phone: Church 618-985-4511 <u>cartervillefumc@gmail.com</u> Join us on Facebook: @CartervilleFUMC Website: cartervillefirstumc.org