

CASCO UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

2nd SUNDAY AFTER THE EPIPHANY

January 15, 2017

Come Grow with Us!

A Christ Centered Fellowship

“A CARING COMMUNITY OF BELIEVERS FOR ALL AGES”

“WE GATHER TO WORSHIP!”

**If you are able, please stand.*

PRELUDE

Jerry Post, Organist

LIGHTING OF THE ALTAR CANDLES

GREETING AND NEWS OF THE LORD’S WORK *Your presence and record of attendance is very important to us. Please Print your name and pass the Attendance Registration Pad to your neighbor. Visitors, may you always feel welcome as our “Special Guests!” If you will give us your full address, we would like to send you a small token of our appreciation for your worshipping with us this morning. May you always feel welcome to return! **PRAYER REQUESTS**-Your joys and concerns are very important to us. Please feel free to share with the Pastor/Lay Leader before or during worship.*

“BIRTHDAY & ANNIVERSARY RECOGNITION”

CALL TO WORSHIP

“The Apostles Creed”

No. 881

(Please Use Red Hymnal)

INTROIT

“Shine on Me”

Chancel Choir

INVOCATION

***HYMN OF PRAISE**

“My Hope Is Built”

No. 368

CHILDREN’S TIME

“Let the little children come to me, and do not hinder them, for the kingdom of heaven belongs to such as these.” - Matthew 19:14 *(All 3-10 year olds who are present are invited following our “Children’s Time” to attend Church School in our “New Addition”.*

ANTHEM

“In His Presence”

Chancel Choir

PRESENTATION OF OUR TITHES AND LOVE OFFERINGS

Offertory

Doxology: Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;

Praise God, all creatures here below; Alleluia! Alleluia!

Praise God the source of all our gifts! Praise Jesus Christ, whose power uplifts!

Praise the Spirit, Holy Spirit! Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

***PRAYER OF DEDICATION**

“OUR MINISTRY OF CARING AND SHARING!”

FELLOWSHIP OF PRAYER

(Please feel free to share your Joys and Concerns.)

Pastoral Prayer, Personal Meditation

“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 and the power and glory forever. Amen!

***HYMN OF PREPARATION**

“The Servant Song”

No. 2222

(Please Use Black Hymnal)

SERMON READING

“Psalm 40” (NRSV)

Pastor Don Graham

***HYMN OF DEDICATION**

“It is Well with My Soul”

No. 377

***BENEDICTION**

CLOSING CHORAL RESPONSE

“Let There Be Peace on Earth”

No. 431

POSTLUDE

We Respond to God’s Word and Depart from this Service to Do God’s will...

Children’s Church School: All 3-10 year olds are invited to our educational wing for Sunday School immediately after our “Children’s Time” in Worship.

Adult Bible Study: ... following Sunday Worship at 11:15 a.m. in our Choir Room, which is located in the 2nd room on the right and on Wednesday at 10 a.m. in our Adult Classroom, 1st room on the left.

Fellowship Time... Please feel free to be our “GUEST” in Fellowship Hall following worship for a goodie and beverage. Let’s get better acquainted! May you always feel welcome.

MINISTRY OPPORTUNITIES

<u>Sunday, January 15th</u> Human Relations Day	9:15-9:45 am 10:00 am	Choir Practice Worship (Sanctuary) <i>All Church Potluck; Birthday & Anniversary Recognition; Parish Nurse Visit</i>
<u>Monday, January 16th</u> <i>(Pastor Don's Day Off)</i>	10:00 am	Senior Exercise (Casco Twp Hall)
<u>Tuesday, January 17th</u> <i>Bulletin Items Due by 9 a.m.</i>	10:00 am 10:00 am 1:00-3:00 pm 7:00 pm	"Kumjoinus" Prayer Group Quilting Group (<i>Kibbie CRC</i>) Senior Cards/Games (<i>Casco Twp Hall</i>) Choir Practice
<u>Wednesday, January 18th</u>	9-10:00 am 10:00 am 7:00 pm	Hand2Hand Backpack Packing Bible Study led by Pastor Don Church Council Meeting
<u>Thursday, January 19th</u>	10:00 am 10:00 am 1:00 pm	H2H Delivers Food Senior Exercise (<i>Casco Twp Hall</i>) The JOY Group (Just Older Youth) (<i>Village Market</i>)
<u>Sunday, January 22nd</u>	9:15-9:45 am 10:00 am 11:15 am	Choir Practice Worship (Sanctuary) <i>4th Sunday World Hunger Offering</i> Adult Bible Study led by Larry & Kathy Yankee

Church Office Hours: Mon-Thurs 9 am – 1 pm

THIS WEEK – 1/15

Altar Flowers: Poinsettias
Children's Time: Volunteer Needed
North Greeters: Volunteer Needed
South Greeters: Volunteer Needed
Ushers: Whitey Marr, Bob Oden, Larry Yankee
Acolytes: Kaleb & Kaylee
Liturgist: Bill Warren
Coffee Fellowship: All Church Potluck
Counters: Doug, Rachel, Nancy
Audio Tech: Guy Rayon
Computer Tech: Jason Pettet
Sunday School: Carolyn Thon

IN HIS SERVICE

NEXT WEEK – 1/22

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Liturgist: Volunteer Needed
Coffee Fellowship: George & Edna Fleming
Counters: Mike, Blanche
Audio Tech: Guy Rayon
Computer Tech: Jason Pettet
Sunday School: Carolyn Thon

PLEASE PRAY FOR OUR MEMBERS AND FRIENDS:

Keep the following persons in your thoughts and prayers: Mike Scott, Mike Carrier, Brent Carrier, Guy Rayon, Gene Latchaw, Barbara Latchaw, Joan Jason, Eve Woodward, Randy Lacy, Clyde Wauchek, Jerry Morris, Bill Gildner, Joyce Havens, Carrie Murphy, Larry Marr, Angie Giesler, Marge Jerue, Don Spencer, Jerri Walters, Jerry Jerrett, Jim Liepe, David Clark, Jackie Welton, Irene Dukescherer, Barbara Sutton, Diana Kark, Larry Brush, Larry Ridley, Arlene Laraway. **Our Service men and women:** Dana Vermilye, Jayare Erickson, Robert Ulmer. **Members & Friends who are shut-ins, or living in assisted living facilities, nursing homes, and health care facilities:** Roberta Alexander, Vern Long, Judy Oden, Ella Hogle, Lewis Mitchell.

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Church's
Vision and
Mission
Statement-
"Building up
the Kingdom of
God... N.O.W.
through Nurture,
Outreach, and
Witness!"**

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