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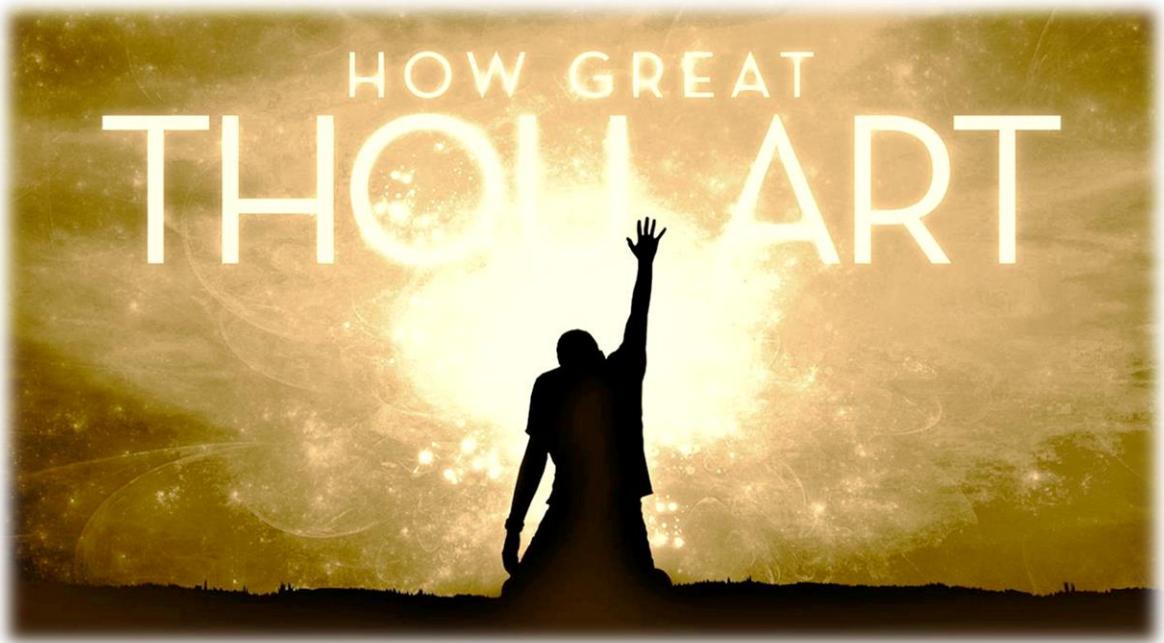
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Third Sunday after the Epiphany



Order of Worship

**Please Stand if you are able*

WELCOME

Earl O'Connor

***CALL TO WORSHIP**

Bobby Jones

"Hereby we know that we dwell in Him, and He in us, because He has given us of His Spirit. Not if any man had not the Spirit Of Christ, he is none of His."

***GATHERING HYMN**

"Breathe On Me, Breath of God"

UMH 420

***OPENING PRAYER**

Earl O'Connor

Come Holy Spirit, fill the hearts of Your faithful and kindle in us the Fire of Your love. Send forth Your Spirit and we shall be created and You shall renew the face of the earth. O God, who by the light of the Holy Spirit: did instruct the hearts of the faithful. Grant that by the same Holy Spirit, we may be truly wise and ever enjoy Your consolation. Through Christ our Lord, Amen.

***HYMN OF PRAISE**

"How Great Thou Art!"

UMH 77

***PSALTER**

Psalms 25(UMH#756)

Bobby Jones

¹Leader: To you, O LORD, I lift up my soul.

²All: O my God, in you I trust, let me not be put to shame; let not enemies exult over me.

³Leader: Let none that wait for you be put to shame;

All: let them be ashamed who are clothed with treachery.

⁴Leader: Make me to know your ways, O LORD;

All: teach me your paths.

⁵Leader: Lead me in your truth, and teach me,

All: for you are the God of my salvation; for you I wait all day long.

⁶Leader: Be mindful of your mercy, O LORD, and of your steadfast love, for they have been from of old.

⁷All: Remember not the sins of my youth or my transgressions; according to your steadfast love remember me for the sake of your goodness, O LORD!

⁸Leader: Good and upright is the LORD; therefore the Lord instructs sinners in the way, ⁹and leads the humble in what is right, and teaches them their way.

¹⁰All: All the paths of the LORD are steadfast love and faithfulness, for those who keep the Lord's covenant and testimonies.

***GLORIA PATRAI**

*Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost;
As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end.
Amen.*

CHILDREN'S SERMON

Rev. Wanda Ritchea

JOYS AND CONCERNS

Earl O'Connor

PASTORAL PRAYER

THE LORD'S PRAYER

PRESENTATION OF TITHES AND OFFERINGS

***DOXOLOGY**

***PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION**

Betty Britsch

*Lord, Open our hearts and minds by the power of your Holy Spirit, that
As the Scriptures are read and your Word proclaimed, we may hear with joy
What you say to us today. Amen*

***THE EPISTLE**

1Corinthians 12: 12-26

Betty Britsch

SERMON

"We All Can Serve"

Betty Britsch

***HYMN OF INVITATION**

"One Bread, One Body"

UMH 620

***BENEDICTION**

Earl O'Connor



Worship Leaders

Earl O'Connor

&

Betty Britsch



Liturgist	Music Leader	Children's Sermon
Bobby Jones	Sarah Ritchea	Rev. Wanda Ritchea

Greeters/Ushers
Tom Cheatham Sue Halbert

PRAYER REQUESTS

We are here to pray for you!



Dillon Alcous	James Trusty	Tiffany Gillis
Larry Wolf Family	Emily Cheatham	Martin & Kathy Flannery
Becca Wagner	David Jaks	Martin Eldridge III family
Javance Thomas	Diane Schroeder	Matthew Bryant
Bryan & Vicky Adkins	Catrina Harper	Coleen Tom
Annabelle Gomez	Graylin Rusk	Morin family
Teresa Strickland	Linda Sager	John Flannery family
Linda Thamm	Cheryl Sweet	Jackie & John Bush family
Sheriff Carl Bowen	Pinky Togmetti	Tina Heiser
Gordon & Stacey Barth family	Kyle Paschall	Dylan Mills
Preston Carey	J.D. Heyen	Elizabeth Reid
A.J. Carter	Tiy Salazar	Jayliem Battles
Ronnie White	Ron Rinker	David Hanawa
Gentry Rigsby	Joe Kenemmer	Cox Family
Raylynn Wood	Yolanda Oroenez Family	Travis Spears