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Pine Grove United Methodist Church

Together in Worship

Third Sunday after the Epiphany

January 26, 2014

Eleven O'clock

"Lord, help me to be part of what you are doing in this community."

You are invited to prepare your heart for
connecting with God during this time of worship
by focusing on these words or your own:
"Come into my heart, Lord Jesus."

WE GATHER

CHIMING OF THE HOUR

WELCOME AND PARISH ANNOUNCEMENTS

Pastor Robin

WE CENTER OURSELVES

CENTERING PRAYER

Pastor Robin

Gracious Light-Bearer,
Into the shadows of our isolation
you speak words of life and community.
Challenger of our lives,
you call us from places we call home
to lead us more deeply into the world you love.
With your gentle, healing touch
you redeem the broken places of our lives
and you heal the wounded places of the earth.
Inspire our worship here this day,
so that we may receive liberation in your word,
and be filled to overflowing
to share your reconciling love throughout the earth.
We pray in Jesus' name, Amen.

~ written by Rev. Elizabeth Dille, and posted on the United Church of Christ's
Worship Ways website. <http://www.ucc.org/worship/worship-ways/>

You are invited to pray with me the words in bold

**God of old, daily you are new to us.
Enliven our heavy hearts; refresh us in your spirit.
Fill us again in newness of mind.
Prepare us now for worship.**

LIGHTING OF THE ALTAR CANDLES Acolytes
PRELUDE "Here I Am to Worship" (Hughes) Beverly Myers
CHORAL CALL TO WORSHIP Chancel Choir

"O Lord, You're Beautiful" (Green)

*WE SING OUR PRAISE "Lord of the Dance" 261

*WE AFFIRM OUR FAITH Unison, 881

I believe in God the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth; And in Jesus Christ his only Son our Lord: who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; the third day he rose from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and sitteth at the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

A note on these words: "Sitteth," "thence," and "quick" are words we don't use very often. We'd rather say "sit," "that day," and "alive" instead. The catholic church with a "c" means the universal church, the church as a whole, all churches everywhere. Now that we've had a vocabulary lesson in Old English, you are welcome to say these words loudly and with gusto.

*WE SHARE OF THE PEACE OF CHRIST All

Please turn to your neighbors and say:

"The Peace of Christ be with you." responding with ***"And also with you."***

*WE SING OUR PRAYER "Open Our Eyes, Lord" Unison

**Open our eyes Lord, we want to see Jesus.
To reach out and touch him and say that we love him.
Open our ears Lord, and help us to listen.
Open our eyes Lord, we want to see Jesus.**

WE RECEIVE THE WORD

THE CHILDREN AND PASTOR LEARN TOGETHER Pastor Robin
*Children, ages 3 through 3rd grade,
please meet your teacher in the narthex at this time.*

WE PRAY

Our Lord's Prayer

Pastor Robin

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.

ANTHEM

"Come, Share the Lord" (Leech)

Chancel Choir

WE HEAR THE WORD READ

I Corinthians 1:10-18

Pastor Robin

WE HEAR THE WORD PROCLAIMED

"Belonging"

Pastor Robin

COMMUNION

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WE RESPONSE TO THE WORD

WE GIVE OUR PRAISE TO GOD THROUGH GOD MOMENTS

WE GIVE GOD'S TITHES AND OUR OFFERINGS

All

OFFERTORY "My Jesus I Love Thee" (arr. Hustad)

Beverly Myers

*DOXOLOGY

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**Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;
praise Him, all creatures here below;
praise Him above, ye heavenly host;
praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.**

*WE ASK GOD'S BLESSING OF THE GIFTS

Pastor Robin

*WE SING AND RESPOND

"One Bread, One Body"

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WE ENTER THE MISSION FIELD

*WORDS FOR GOING OUT

Pastor Robin

*CHORAL BENEDICTION

"Alleluia, Amen"

Chancel Choir

*CHIMING OF THE HOLY TRINITY

Beverly Myers

*POSTLUDE "There Is a Redeemer" (arr. Doran)

Beverly Myers

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**Please Stand As You Are Able*

Next week, you will be blessed by Guest Speaker, Sandy Blackburn. Sandy is a Certified Lay Speaker from Oak Forest United Methodist Church in Winston Salem. She is the author of two devotional books: *Time Spent with God* and *More Time Spent with God*. Sandy has an inspiring testimony and a beautiful heart for God.

OUR PRAYER LIST

The Mercer Family, Lisa Oland (Chemo), Janet McCoy, Brenda Hogue, Mary Philbin (Baptist Hospital), John Mangum (heart),

Greg Carnes (cancer), Julie McCombs, Louise Southern, Debbie Campbell (mastectomy), Christina (studying in Peru), Audra Burke (brain cancer), Greg and Sherrie Jones (health problems), Kris Abshire (cancer), Myra Thompson (heart), Jerry Hawkins (cancer treatment), Shela Boland (recovering at home), Bobby Crutchfield (cancer), Ted Marzullo (cancer), Carol Markey (cancer), Burlee Jones (back pain), Martha Thomas (home), Zack & Julie Collins, Nicole Forcier (tests), Weddle family, Gough family, Bill Lambert, Brenda Childress, David Genevie, Tom Mahannah (Forsyth Hospital), Dot Dickerson (Forsyth Hospital)

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THIS WEEK'S EVENTS

SUNDAY 26th

11:00 Worship Service -
 Communion
 3:00 Collins Baby Shower
 3:00 Pine Grove Readers
 3:00 UMW Executive
 meeting
 4:30 Youth Fellowship

MONDAY 27th

6:30 Pack meeting
 7:00 Boy Scouts
 7:00 Cub Scouts

TUESDAY 28th

9:00 Trip to UMCOR

warehouse

6:30 Girl Scouts

WEDNESDAY 29th

6:30 Hand Bell Choir
 7:30 Chancel Choir

SATURDAY 1st

9:30 Manna Meals
 9:30 UMW Mini Retreat -
 Meeting House

SUNDAY 2nd

11:00 Worship Service
 4:30 Youth Fellowship -
 parent meeting
