

First United Methodist Church

Sunday, February 24, 2019 – Sixth Sunday after the Epiphany

Our Statement of Faith: Jesus, Our Rock of Salvation, Our Life Springs Eternal

Faith Theme 2019

**HEALTHY THINGS GROW>GROWING THINGS CHANGE>CHANGE IS A CHALLENGE>
CHALLENGE FORCES US TO TRUST GOD—>TRUSTING GOD MAKES US HEALTHY>
HEALTHY THINGS GROW!**

Prelude

Svetlana Martin
Cherie Rannells, Flute

Welcome and Announcements

Please register your presence with us this morning, then pass the book to the person sitting next to you. Before the offertory, tear off the sheet and place it in the offering plate. Thank You!

Acolyte: Nicholas Griffin

Greeter: Linda Prine

***Call to Worship**

“Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing”

UMH 400

***Hymn of Praise**

“Blessed Assurance”

UMH 369

Receiving of Tithes and Offerings

Doxology

“Praise God, From Whom All Blessings Flow”

UMH 95

Passing the Peace of Christ

Children’s Time

Joys and Concerns

A Time of Prayer – Silent Prayer—Congregational Prayer

***Hymn of Preparation**

“Nothing but the Blood”

UMH 362

Scripture Reading

Luke 6:27-38 (p. 838)

Linda Prine

The Word of God for the People of God: The People Respond **“Thanks Be to God!”**

Morning Message

“Living Our Faith”

Rev. Jimmy Chrisawn

***Closing Hymn**

“Because He Lives”

UMH 364

***Parting Blessing: Leaving to Serve**

Postlude

Svetlana Martin

Greetings from Pastor Jim and the rest of the congregation here at Rock Springs Church!

This greeting is for all who have joined us for worship here this morning. As we come together to worship this morning we meet on common ground, Jesus our Christ! We come with joys and concerns, we come from successes and failures, we come from temptations and victories, we come broken and whole, we come with worries and answered prayers, and so we come to common ground in Christ Jesus. Welcome to this place for all!

Prayer Requests: The Billie Mattinson Family; Terry McCrann & family; Margo Clark; Denny Demarto; Nick & Donna Bedard; Pat Norris; Dennis Doncaster's sister, Sister Diana; Duane Allen; Alex Marschalk; Larry Milligan; Virginia Wittman; Karie Chrisawn; Margaret & Bob Bettolo; Crystal; Nancy DeBernardi; Linda DeBernardi; Norman Johnson; Raif Nettik; Joel Barbour; Becky Morrison; Gail Webb; Don Hofeldt; Penny Hardin's husband, Jim; Ruby Macy; Madge Venetta's granddaughter, Arianna; Alma O'Hare; Josh Patterson; Larry Finnell; Patrice Noel; Debbie Sparby; Cathy Georgis' brother-in-law, Todd Ludeman; Pastor Jim, and his uncle, Marshall, sister, Judy, & aunt, Mona; Rusty Dickson; Bill McGarvey; Tom McCutcheon; Mallory Rosetti Gardner; June Wittman; Fred & Isaac Wittman; Rhonda Wheeler; Renee Bustos' father, Bill Cogswell; Gene Lane; Keelan Schupman; Jackie Hansen.

Prayer Request:

By:

Recommended for Devotional Readings: (Underlined texts are the sermon texts)

Mar 3rd – Exodus 3:19-35; Psalm 99; 2 Corinthians 3:12-4.2; Luke 9:28-36 (37-43)

Mar 10th – Deuteronomy 2:1-11; Psalm 91:1-2, 9-16; Romans 10:8b-13; Luke 4:1-13

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Pastor: Rev. Jimmy R. Chrisawn

Christian Education: Karie Chrisawn

Lay Leader: Kathy Ellis

Nursery Attendant(s): Lauren Mayer

Sunday Morning Worship: 10:30 a.m.

Church office Hours: 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. Monday through Friday

Please call the office to ensure someone is there.

(*) Please Stand as you are able. **TFWS is the smaller paperback and the **UMH** is the hardback song book.**

Share the Message! The Pastor's Message is recorded on CD's every Sunday. They are available free of Charge and can be found in the Narthex and at the website: www.rockspringsumc.org. You are welcome to take one.

General Information/Upcoming Opportunities

Sunday School for Adults, 9:00 a.m. (*Live on Facebook, Rock Springs First United Methodist Church*)
Worship Service, 10:30 a.m.
Children's Church, during Service (*Following the Children's Time*)

Pastor's Office Hours: Mondays & Wednesdays, 9:30 a.m. till Noon. Other times by appointment, however, the Pastor is always available. Please call or text him. Please call before making a special trip.

SPECIAL NOTE: If you would like the Pastor to visit with your family, or someone else, please let him or the office know so it can be arranged.

By The Numbers

Attendance Last Sunday	60 Adults, 5 Children
Weekly Budget	\$ 2,890.00
Feb 17th Generous Undesignated Giving	\$ 2,686.00

LIFE GROUP/COMMUNITY OUTREACH

Wednesday, Feb 27, 7:00 – 8:00 p.m.	Youth Fellowship
Wednesday, Feb 27, 6:30 – 8:30 p.m.	Ladies' Bible Study at the Parsonage

Facebook Schedule

Sundays, 9:00 a.m.	Adult Sunday School
Thursdays, 10:30 a.m.	"Reflections & Lessons"
Saturdays, (around) 5:00 p.m.	"Saturday Live"

Upcoming dates for your calendar

Wednesday, Feb 27, 5:30 p.m.	Music Practice
Thursdays, 9:00 a.m.	Coffee with the Pastor at the Coal Train Coffee Depot (He's buying!)
Thursday, Mar 7, noon	UMW Meeting
Thursday, Mar 14, 6:30 p.m.	Finance Meeting
Thursday, Mar 14, to follow	Administrative Board Meeting

Remember donated items for the Boys & Girls Club are appreciated by UMW; see Mary Lou Jessen, Penni Harden, or Marj Schaefer.

How would you like to see our church more involved in the community? Give to Pastor Jim.

BE STILL BEFORE THE LORD,
AND WAIT FOR HIM.

— PSALM 37:7

