

Second Sunday after Epiphany

January 17, 2016

Color: Green

Epiphany is the season of revelation and understanding. The Magi recognized Jesus as the Messiah and the fulfillment of prophecy. Each one of us must see Jesus as the Messiah, Emmanuel God with us, our Savior.

PRELUDE: Come and enter the presence of God and prepare yourself for worship. Join us in enjoying God's presence as Jayne Thompson and our worship team leads us in songs of praise.

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

†**OPENING SONG OF WORSHIP:**

I Will Worship

The Processional and Illumination

CALL TO WORSHIP: adapted I Thess 4:16-18

Leader: We listen to hear the trump of God sound

All: We are his people and long to see Him descend

Leader: For the Lord himself shall descend from heaven with a shout, and with the voice of the archangel.

All: and with the trump of God: and the dead in Christ shall rise first:

Leader: Then we which are alive and remain shall be caught up together with them in the clouds.

All: to meet the Lord in the air: and so shall we ever be with the Lord.

All: Wherefore comfort one another with these words.

†**SONGS OF WORSHIP:**

There Is A Redeemer; Surely The Presence Of The Lord

PRAYER of INVOCATION:

Pastor Cal

OUR GIFTS TO GOD ARE CALLED FORTH

Invitation

Offerings to God

Offertory: Choir Anthem "He Put A New Song In My Heart"
By Michael Barnett

†Doxology

Hymn # 95

†Prayer of Dedication

SUNDAY SCHOOL DISMISSAL

SONG OF MEDITATION: "My Hope Is Built" **Hymn # 368**

PRAYER TIME

We share words of celebration and thanksgiving

We share our prayer needs and petitions

Pastor: The Lord is with you.

Congregation: And also with you

Pastor: Lord have mercy.

Congregation: Christ have mercy.

Pastor: Let us pray

PASTORAL PRAYER & THE LORD'S PRAYER (trespasses)

Old Testament Lesson Zechariah 14:1-5 **Pew Bible 827**

New Testament Lesson 2Thessalonians 2:1-4 **Pew Bible 1032**

Leader: This is the word of God for the people of God.

Congregation: Thanks be to God.

†**GLORIA PATRI**

Hymn # 71

Series: Signs of the Times

Pastor Cal

TODAY'S MEDITATION: *We Shall See Him*

†**CLOSING HYMN:** "Be Thou My Vision" **Hymn # 451**

TH RECESSIONAL

BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE

†All who are able please join together as we stand as one.

Thank you for turning off your cell phones and bringing only water into the sanctuary☺

The United Parish Church

January 17, 2016

Pastor F. Calvin Miller

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Greeters: Mark & Cindy Landanno
Ushers: Jeff Dickens & Susan Dodge
Co Leader: Bud Fletcher

January 24, 2016

Greeters: John & Barbara Walker
Ushers: Scott & Heather Nasiatka
Co-Leader: Cindy Carvill

Pastor: F. Calvin Miller
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**To each is given
the manifestation
of the Spirit
for the common good.
1 Corinthians 12.7**