



**Hutterthal
Mennonite
Church**

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Christ-centered - Living, Relating, Serving

**January 6, 2019
Epiphany Sunday**

Praise Music

As with gladness men of old

HWB #218

Worship the Lord in the beauty

HWB #220

Prelude

Epiphany medley

Call to worship

Leader: Arise, shine, for our light has come and the glory of God has risen upon us!

People: Nations will come to the light, and kings to the brightness of your dawn.

Leader: The love of God for all peoples and nations is revealed through his Son, Jesus Christ.

People: We are now one world and one family, called to be children of God.

All: Arise, shine, for our light has come!

Lighting of Advent Candle

Welcome

Gathering Hymn

Help us to help each other

HWB #362

Baptism of Jaden Thomas

Children's Time

Offering

Star of the East

Take, O take me as I am (2 times through)

STJ #81

Sharing Time

Congregational Prayer

Scripture

James 2(Page #637 in pew Bible)

Sermon

"When You Suffer"

Sending Hymn

Water has held us

STJ #82

Benediction

Musical Response

Postlude

Prayer Requests

- The family of Bill Brockmueller- pray for comfort and peace with his passing
- LeRoy Hofer- coping with cancer
- Matt Glanzer- continued prayer for he and his family
- Additional Requests



TODAY - January 6- Epiphany Sunday

Greeters: LeRoy & Kathy Pullman

9:30 am: Praise Music led by Marj Hofer

9:45 am: Worship Service

Accompanists: Norma Lee Hofer

Lighting of Advent Candle: Donovan & Sherryl Friesen

Worship Leader: Edie Tschetter

Baptism: Pastor Jack Scandrett

Children's Time: Pastor Jack Scandrett

Scripture Reading: Twyla Hofer

Message: Pastor Jack Scandrett

Coffee Time: Steve & Charlene Friesen

10:45 am: Sunday School for all ages

12:00: Soup & Study- Child care provided

NEXT SUNDAY - January 13

Greeters: Todd & Suzanne Koerner

9:30 am: Praise Music led by

9:45 am: Worship Service

Accompanist: Paige Zachariasen

Worship Music: Joann Stahl

Worship Leader:

Children's Time: Pastor Jack Scandrett

Scripture Reading: Eric Neuharth

Message: Pastor Jack Scandrett

Coffee Time: Stan & Jill Hofer

10:45 am: Sunday School for all ages

12:00 pm: Soup & Study- Child care provided

Calendar of Events

Today, January 6: Baptism of Jaden Thomas
Noon: Soup & Study, child care provided

January 10-14: Ted Lewis visiting HMC
**Please keep your schedule open
for these days**

January 13: Communion & Benevolent
Fund Offering
Noon: Soup & Study, child care provided

January 16, 7:00 pm: Board Meeting

January 18: *Connection!* submissions due

January 20: No Soup & Study

January 27: Soup & Study, child care provided



Websites for sermon series and prayer:

LifeWay.com

Sermon Series: Pressure Points/Book of James/
Bible Studies for Life.

Praying: James Chapter 1 (Part One) Kristi F

Questions for Bible Study:

“When You Suffer”.

Come prepared to talk about suffering and the lessons God has taught you.

What would you want to say to someone going through a time of suffering?

How has suffering enhanced your faith?

What are questions has suffering left you with?

January Projects

Congregational Ministries: Blankets, sheets & towels for MCC

Children's S.S. Department: Food Pantry



It's a new year, and that means time to start healthy new habits. How about creating a new habit of volunteering your time to our mission? If you've ever thought that you'd volunteer SOMEDAY – let 2019 be the year you start! **Et Cetera Shoppe** is currently seeking **new volunteers** to fill a variety of positions, including: clothing steamer (2-3 mornings OR afternoons per month, flexible), housewares pricer (Friday mornings), sock pricer/organizer (a couple hours per month, flexible). And we ALWAYS need new clerks and new rug weavers! Please call the shop

at 925-7098 to express willingness and to kick off your new year by joining our team of volunteers that are making a real difference to people in need.

Community and Beyond

On Friday, November 30, 2018, Northeast Oklahoma was hit by tornadoes. The hardest hit areas were the Cookson and Lake Tinkiller. The tornado was on the ground for approximately 50+ miles as it moved on into Northwest Arkansas. There was a lot of damage to trees, homes (mostly mobile homes) There is a lot of cleanup that needs to get done such as chain saw work, cleaning up debris and separating metal from trash.

This project is planned to run the following weeks:
January 7-12, 14-18, 21-25, 1/28-2/2.

To volunteer your time and talents please contact your MDS coordinators, Dennis Ries 925-7788 or LeRoy Pullman 925-7422.

Salem Mennonite Home Notice Of Annual Meeting

Tuesday, January 8, 2019 7:00 p.m. in the Activities area of the Salem Home, 106 W. 7th St., Freeman The Salem Mennonite Home for the Aged is a South Dakota nonprofit corporation and operates an assisted living facility and independent living apartments. All Interested Parties Are Encouraged To Attend Any one person, who, during his/her lifetime, makes a monetary contribution of \$25.00 to the corporation or its institutions, shall be entitled to a membership in the corporation.

Members of the Salem Mennonite Home Corporation are entitled to vote upon business and other matters arising at annual and special meetings. Refreshments will be available during the meeting. 3D representations of the building project for assisted living and independent living twin homes will be available for viewing and comments are welcomed.

The **Freeman Network for Justice and Peace** will be meeting on **Wednesday, January 9, 12:00 pm** in the Freeman Public Library meeting room. Anyone is welcome to attend.

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