

Inman United Methodist Church

Bulletin for Sunday Morning

January 10, 2021

Baptism of the Lord



Inman United Methodist Church
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Welcome Guests

If you are worshiping at Inman as our guest, we pray you will experience the warmth of Christ's love as we worship together. Please let us know if we can serve you in any way.

Welcome Children!

Nurseries are available for infants and toddlers (Room 102) during the 11:00 Worship Service. **Early Childhood Sunday School** for ages PreK-through 2nd meets in Room 105. Children in preschool through second grade are welcome to go to **Children's Church** following the Children's Sermon.

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Gathering Music

DIADEMATA,

Ace Edwards

tune to "Soldiers of Christ, Arise" and "Maker, in Whom We Live"
By Charles Wesley

Call to Worship

Lord, Listen to Your Children Praying

Jolynn Stevens

Welcome & Opening Prayer

UM Hymn #147

All Things Bright and Beautiful (1 & 3)

Song leader and Congregation

Refrain

*All things bright and beautiful, all creatures
great and small, all things wise and wonderful:
the Lord God made them all.*

Verse 1

*Each little flower that opens, each little bird
that sings, God made their glowing colors, and
made their tiny wings.*

(Back to Refrain)

Verse 3

*The cold wind in the winter, the pleasant sum-
mer sun, the ripe fruits in the garden: God
made them every one.*

(Back to Refrain)

Announcements & Prayer Requests

***Greeting:**

Ascribe to the Lord, O heavenly beings, ascribe to the Lord glory and strength.

Ascribe to the Lord the glory of his name; worship the Lord in holy splendor.

The voice of the Lord is upon the waters; the God of glory thunders, the Lord, upon many waters.

The voice of the Lord is powerful, the voice of the Lord is full of majesty.

Offering & Offertory

O Worship the King

Ace Edwards

Doxology

Praise God from whom all blessings flow. Praise Him all creatures here below.

Praise Him above ye heavenly hosts. Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost.

Children's Moment

Anthem

Down to the River to Pray

Jolynn Stevens

UM Hymn #496

Sweet Hour of Prayer (Vs. 1, 2 & 3)

Song leader and Congregation

Verse 1

*Sweet hour of prayer! Sweet hour of prayer!
That calls me from a world of care, and bids me
at my Father's throne make all my wants and
wishes know. In seasons of distress and grief, my
soul has often found relief, and oft escaped the
tempter's snare by thy return, sweet hour of
prayer!*

Verse 2

*Sweet hour of prayer! Sweet hour of prayer! The
joys I feel, the bliss I share of those whose anx-
ious spirits burn with strong desires for thy re-
turn! With such I hasten to the place where
God my Savior shows his face, and gladly take
my station there, and wait for thee, sweet hour
of prayer!*

Verse 3

*Sweet hour of prayer! Sweet hour of prayer! Thy
wings shall my petition bear to him whose truth and
faithfulness engage the waiting soul to bless. And
since he bids me seek his face, believe his word and
trust his grace, I'll cast on him my every care, and
wait for thee, sweet hour of prayer!*

Psalm 90:1-2,113-17 (CEB)

Lord, you have been our help, generation after generation. Before the mountains were born, before you birthed the earth and the inhabited world – from forever in the past to forever in the future, you are God. Come back to us, Lord! Please, quick! Have some compassion for your servants! Fill us full every morning with your faithful love so we can rejoice and celebrate our whole life long. Make us happy for the same amount of time that you afflicted us for the same number of years that we saw only trouble. Let your acts be seen by your servants; let your glory be seen by their children. Let the

kindness of the Lord our God be over us. Make the work of our hands last. Make the work of our hands last!

Mark 11:12-25 (CEB)

The next day, after leaving Bethany, Jesus was hungry. From far away, he noticed a fig tree in leaf, so he went to see if he could find anything on it. When he came to it, he found nothing except leaves, since it wasn't the season for figs. So he said to it, "No one will ever again eat your fruit!" His disciples heard this.

They came into Jerusalem. After entering the temple, he threw out those who were selling and buying there. He pushed over the tables used for currency exchange and the chairs of those who sold doves. He didn't allow anyone to carry anything through the temple. He taught them, "Hasn't it been written, My house will be called a house of prayer for all nations? But you've turned it into a hideout for crooks." The chief priests and legal experts heard this and tried to find a way to destroy him. They regarded him as dangerous because the whole crowd was enthralled at his teaching. When it was evening, Jesus and his disciples went outside the city.

Early in the morning, as Jesus and his disciples were walking along, they saw the fig tree withered from the root up. Peter remembered and said to Jesus, "Rabbi, look how the fig tree you cursed has dried up."

Jesus responded to them, "Have faith in God! I assure you that whoever says to this mountain, 'Be lifted up and thrown into the sea' - and doesn't waver but believes that what is said will really happen - it will happen. Therefore I say to you, whatever you pray and ask for, believe that you will receive it, and it will be so for you. And whenever you stand up to pray, if you have something against anyone, forgive so that your Father in heaven may forgive you your wrongdoings."



Sermon

“Why Pray”
Sermon Series: Prayer

Rev. Tommy Ross

Closing Prayer

Closing Song

May the Road Rise to Meet You

Congregation

*May the road rise to meet you,
May the wind blow at your back,
May the sun shine warmly on your face;*

*May the rain fall softly on your field;
And until we meet again,
until we meet again,*

Benediction





Tithes and Offerings: We are grateful for your continued financial support to cover basic & necessary expenses. Tithes and Offerings can still be mailed to the church, brought to the church and dropped in the secure mailbox by the office door, or given online at www.inmanmethodist.org.

Children & Youth: Children join us via Zoom at 9:30am to 10:15am each Sunday morning,

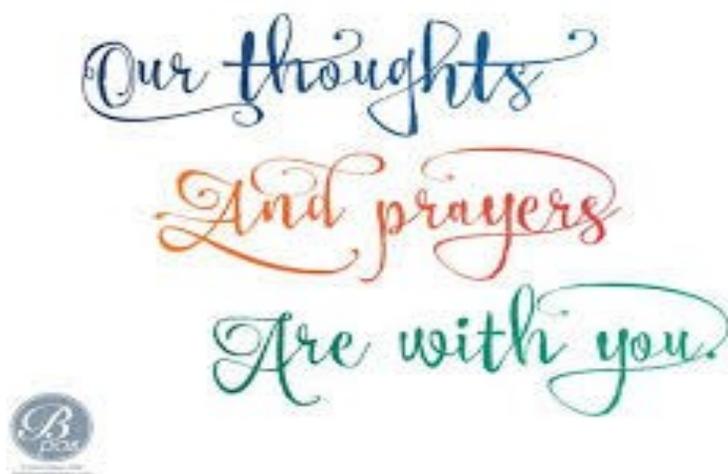
Technology Team:

SermonByPhone: Just dial 770-528-5691 to hear the most recent Sunday's service. We are interested in your feedback as to whether you will continue using this service. Please send feedback to membership-care@inmanmethodist.org or technology@inmanmethodist.org.

Alter Flower: If anyone would like to purchase alter flowers for 2021 please contact Jean McChargue. As of right now there will not be any flowers delivered. We will resume the alter flowers when we re-open.

Please keep these requests in your prayers this week:

- Please continue to pray for Sue Mahaffey, Linda Wagner's mother, as she continues to improve.
- Please pray for Rebekah Ross's mother, Angie Reid, because she broke her ankle
- Prayers are requested for Ruth Sitton's niece, Martha Burdette, and nephew, Tracy Burdette, as they continue to need our prayers.
- Continue to keep Judy Roehm's brother, Reese, in prayers as he continues to progress.
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January 3rd Attendance

11:00 a.m. Service: 12 Online viewers: 30

Giving Record for December is as follows:

Tithes & Offerings received December 27th:	<u>\$ 4,045.00</u>
Total Giving for December:	<u>\$ 18,724.60</u>

Our Prayers

For healing from health concerns

Carlos Allen (Gloria Reid's brother)
Angus Anderson
Sara Ballard
Roger Barnhill
Michael Barb
Ray Barday (Charles Cox)
Liz Beardon (Judy Becco's sister)
Gene Benton (Sandy Mathis)
Glenda Berman (Dixie Berner)
Jack Brannon (Jeff Wedge)
Henry Cawthorn
Cheryl Chance
Russell Clarke (Maggie Clarke)
Darleen Cornelison
Kay Cox
Lane Cox (Lyn Wheeler)
Karen Glessner (Kay Cox)
Brenda Harp
Charles Harp
David Harp
Nicole Henry
John Kozisek
William LaTerre (Martha Kozisek)
Tammy Mardies (Mary Jane Fortner)
Tommy Mask
Joanne Minter
Eugene Pritchard
Miriam Schmidt
Scott Smith (Melanie Wagner)
Ruth Sitton
Jane St. Amour
Claire Starkey
Roger Starkey
Katy Swanger
Marvin Tidwell
Lee Wagner (Brad Wagner's father)
Luz Webster (Gloria Reid)
Jeff Wedge
Rhonda Wheeler (George & Lynn Wheeler)
Kathey Young

For healing from cancer

Roger Allgood
Tim Barnes
Katherine Bennett (Linda Wagner)
Gail Bloomer
David Booth (Martha Kozisek)
Brandon Brown (Claire Starkey)
Tim Casteel (Dena Anderson)
Billy Bob Cheek (Donna Stilwell)
Jackie Clayburn
Nancy Cox (Cox's sister-in-law)
Walter Delia (Martha Kozisek)
Dan Dudley (Pat Pratt)
Mary Lee Giddings
Bill Haleday
Sig Hall (Ed Roehm)
Leigh Hawkins
Daniel Houghton (Martha Kozisek)
JL Houze (Charles Cox)
Burl Hurley
Jean Jones (Nancy Allgood)
Luke Key (Mary Jane Fortner)
Matt Kirkindall
Carol Kline (Linda Chaffin)
Katie Schmidt (Brenda Schachle)
Joey Shelton (Deborah Morris)
Bobby Smith (Tammy Cox)
Brent Taylor (Jim & Karen Blue)
Earl Terry (Charles Cox)
George Wheeler
Bobby Williams (Rick Minter)
Louise Woods (Ann Hembree)
Kay Young (Forrest & Sara Ballard)

For Those Mourning the Death of These Loved

Ones

Donna Hilton
Ann Talant (Caroline Akeman)
John Bullard
Willene Jackson
Bobby Jackson

Other Concerns

For the children/youth programs of Inman
Unspoken prayers of the congregation