

Service of Worship

9:00 & 10:45 AM

+Please stand where indicated if it is comfortable for you.
All are welcome in this place of worship.
As you are seated, please silence your cell phones.
For those with infants a staffed nursery is available.

We Gather Around the Word

PRELUDE

In Christ There Is No East or West Gilbert M. Martin

Silence is kept during the prelude to prepare our hearts for worship

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

Linden Hustedt, Lay Leader

CHIMING OF THE TRINITY

+PROCESSIONAL HYMN #660

"God Is Here" Abbot's Leigh

+OPENING PRAYER

Give us grace, O Lord, to answer readily the call of our Savior Jesus Christ and proclaim to all people the Good News of his salvation, that we and the whole world may perceive the glory of his marvelous works; who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. *Amen.*

+GLORY BE TO GOD, CREATOR

Glory be to God, Creator, glory be to God the Son, glory be to God the Spirit, known as Three, yet God the One. As it was in the beginning, it is now and so shall be in a world without an ending, glory through eternity. Holy, holy God Almighty, holy, Prince of Peace, holy, holy wind of Presence, holy, holy, holy. Amen.

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

Tabitha Jordan
Children are welcome to attend Sunday School

WORSHIP IN MUSIC (10:45)

"Holy Spirit, Living Breath of God" arrr. Mary McDonald
Lighthouse Choir

We Hear the Word

PRAYER OF ILLUMINATION (In unison)

Father of all mercy, your Son proclaimed good news to the poor, release to the captives, and freedom to the oppressed: anoint us with your Holy Spirit as we hear your word now; through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord. Amen.

EPISTLE LESSON

I Corinthians 12: 12-31a Pew Bible NT Page 163
The Word of the Lord
Thanks be to God

+GRADUAL HYMN #568 vs. 1-2

"Christ for the World We Sing" Italian Hymn

+GOSPEL LESSON

Mark 12: 28-34 Pew Bible NT Page 46
The Word of God for the People of God
Thanks be to God

+GRADUAL HYMN #568 vs. 3-4

"Christ for the World We Sing" Italian Hymn

SERMON

"Won't You Be My Neighbor?" The Rev. Dr. Matthew M. Williams

We Respond to the Word

HYMN OF ADORATION #347 vs. 1-2

"Spirit Song" Spirit Song

MORNING PRAYER

THE LORD'S PRAYER #895

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, and the power, and the glory, forever and ever. Amen.

OFFERTORY PRAYER

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Verset on "Balm in Gilead" Jon Spong

+DOXOLOGY 94

Lasst Uns Erfreuen

Praise God from whom all blessings flow!
Praise God all creatures here below!
Alleluia! Alleluia!
Praise God the source of all our gifts!
Praise Jesus Christ, whose power uplifts!
Praise the Spirit, Holy Spirit!
Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

+PRAYER OF CONSECRATION

We Bear the Word in the World

+RECESSIONAL HYMN #157

"Jesus Shall Reign" Duke Street

+BENEDICTION

+POSTLUDE

Stand Up and Bless the Lord Robert J. Hughes

CONNECT CARD



WELCOME! We'd like to

help you get connected.

Please fill out this card & place it on the offering plate.

Let us know how we can reach out to you!

Name _____

Address _____

City _____

Zip _____ Phone _____

Email _____

How long have you attended LH Church?

- 1st time guest 2nd time guest
 guest from out of town
 regular attendee member

I am interested in:

- Having the Pastor Contact Me
 Youth and Families
 Small Groups
 Missions
 United Methodist Women
 Men's Prayer Group
 Strawberry Festival Volunteer
 Stephen Ministry
 Greeting and Ushering
 Communion Stewardship
 Fellowship Hour Hospitality
 Singing in the Choir

PRAYER REQUESTS

In everything by prayer...
Let your requests be made known
unto God.

Philippians 4:6

Please write your request here
and place it in the offering plate or
hand it to an usher.

Please pray for

Requested by

Date _____

Phone number () _____

Email _____

**PRAYER REQUESTS ARE HONORED
UNTIL NOTIFICATION IS RECEIVED
OTHERWISE. PLEASE KEEP US UP-
DATED AT 941-964-2479**

I would like someone to
contact me to pray over
more confidential
matters.

Welcome!

All are welcome into the life and ministry of the United Methodist Church. We are honored that you are here. Please join us for refreshments after the service in the Fellowship Hall. We hope you will worship with us again as we continue to discover the difference God's love makes in our lives! For those with infants, a staffed nursery is available; please ask one of the ushers for directions.

**VISITORS, PLEASE PICK UP A GIFT BAG IN THE NARTHEX AS A
TOKEN OF OUR APPRECIATION!**

WINTER WORSHIP SCHEDULE

8:00 - 8:30 AM— A Service of Word and Table
9:00 AM & 10:45 AM— Festive Liturgical Services

LIGHTHOUSE CHURCH HAS A NEW MAGAZINE!

Our new magazine is loaded with helpful information about Lighthouse Church, including worship service times, seasonal events, missions, families and kids, and discipleship opportunities. Copies are available in the narthex and in Fellowship Hall. Check it out!

UPCOMING LIGHTHOUSE CHURCH COMMITTEE MEETINGS

Endowment Committee	Tuesday, January 29 at 1:30 PM
Board of Trustees	Tuesday, January 29 at 3:30 PM
Discipleship Committee	Tuesday, February 5 at 10:30 AM
SPR Committee	Tuesday, February 12 at 2:00 PM

THE 2019 STRAWBERRY FESTIVAL NEEDS YOUR "STUFF"

Cleaning out drawers, closets or storage spaces? If so, the United Methodist Women are happy to accept donations of your unwanted items for the annual Strawberry Festival March 2, 2019. Money from the sale of these items benefits women and children, supporting Charlotte and Lee County charities and others worldwide. If you have household items, jewelry, books, art work, linens, toys and games you would like to contribute, please contact Jan Myers at 941-964-0562 to set up delivery.

BACH ORGAN CONCERT

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 16 AT 4:00 PM
LIGHTHOUSE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

Please join us for an afternoon of musical selections by renowned composer Johann Sebastian Bach, performed on the organ in the sanctuary of Lighthouse United Methodist Church by Dr. Wojciech Wojtasiewica. Seating is limited. A sign up sheet is in Fellowship Hall.

USHERS AND LITURGISTS

Please consider serving as ushers and liturgists this winter season. Sign up sheets are in the Fellowship Hall.

THANK YOU FOR YOUR INVESTMENT!

Prayers, presence, gifts, service, and witness

Our gifts as of January 20, 2019

2019 OPERATING BUDGET	<u>\$600,000.00</u>
PLEDGES, OFFERING, PLATE RECEIVED	<u>\$40,361.00</u>
MISSION GIVING	<u>\$3694.00</u>
CAPITAL CAMPAIGN	<u>\$1,789,806.00</u>

Special Thanks for Serving in the Lord's House today!

Ushers: 9:00— Jane & Ron Wittenberg

Cross Bearer: Abigail Turner

Acolytes: Lachlan Barrett & Ian Egbert

Liturgists: 9:00— Candy Rost, 10:45— Ray Smedley

Hospitality Hosts: Jean & Bill Steinman,
Ellie & Pete Durno

Audio Visual Technology: Mike Hilton

Sunday School: Chas Jordan



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Al Nethery, Accompanist

Cindy Crespo, Sexton

Abigail Turner, Nursery Attendant

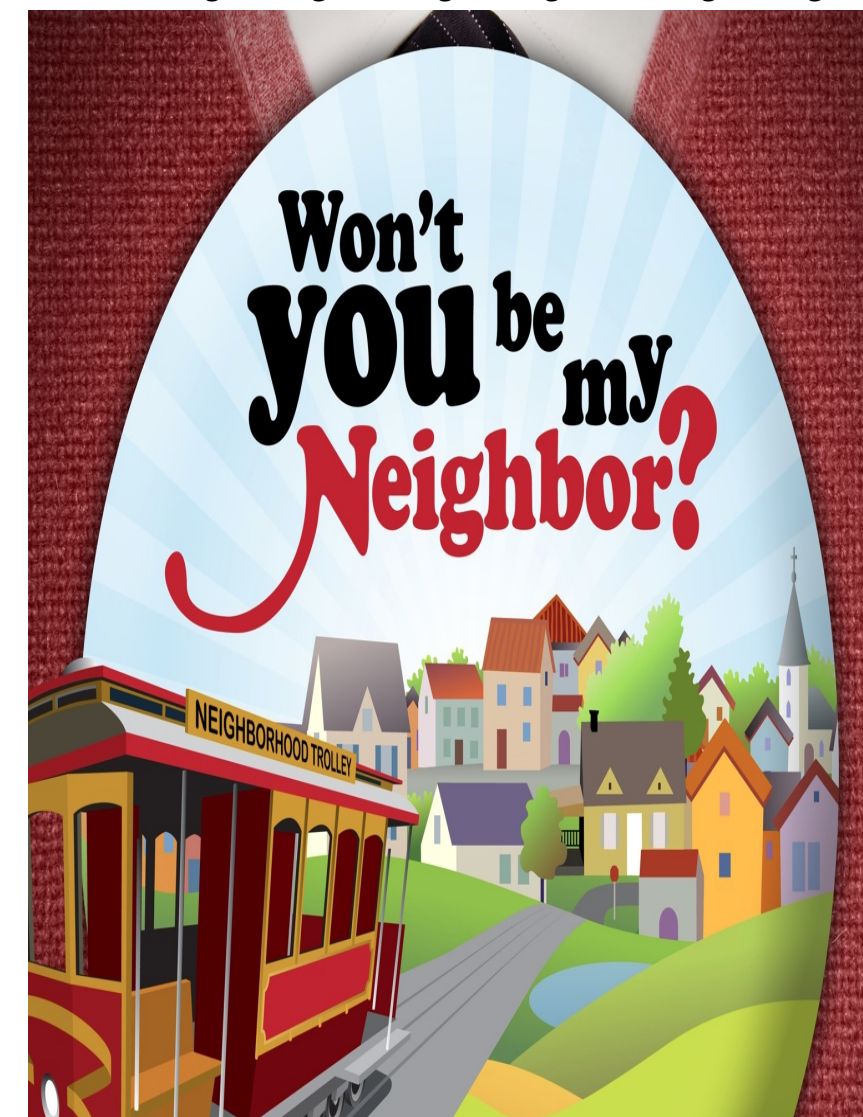


BOCA GRANDE
Lighthouse Church
A United Methodist Congregation

January 27, 2019

Third Sunday after the Epiphany

Receiving the Light, Being the Light, Sharing the Light



In Mark's Gospel, Jesus responds to a teacher of the law with the greatest commandment to love God and love your neighbor as yourself. Jesus reveals that he is the living fulfilment of Isaiah's prophecy that God would establish a Kingdom of justice and righteousness. The Holy Spirit rests upon Jesus, and in Paul's letter to the Corinthians, we see the promise of the Spirit shared with all believers. Each member of the Church will be equipped with the gifts necessary to unite the living body of Christ and usher in the coming Kingdom of God.