The liturgical color is white, receiving the gift of God in His Son.

**Order of Worship**

**Baptism of the Lord Sunday**

January 12, 2020

Prelude

“Andante amabile”
arr. Johann Kuhnau

*The Prelude is a pathway into the presence of God. Therefore, let the worshipers remain silent and contemplative. Lift up a prayer for your church family, staff, ministers and the work of Christ in the world.*

Opening Praise

Send the light, the blessed gospel light let it shine from shore to shore.
Send the light, the blessed gospel light let it shine forevermore.

Welcome

Rev. Dr. George K. Howle 8:30
Rev. Meredith M. Dark 11:00

*Please turn off or silence electronic devices before you enter for worship.*

* Opening Hymn

“Holy, Holy, Holy”
UMH Pg. 64

* Passing of the Peace of Christ

* Affirmation of Faith

UMH Pg. 881

* The Gloria Patri

UMH Pg. 70

Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost; as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen. Amen.

Choral Call to Prayer

Pastoral Prayer

Rev. Dr. George K. Howle 8:30
Rev. Meredith M. Dark 11:00

The Lord’s Prayer

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. Amen.

Celebrating Grace by Returning God’s Tithes and Giving Our Offerings

(Offering Stewards will come forward at this time)

Offertory

“As with Gladness Men of Old”
arr. Henry J. Markworth

* The Doxology

“Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow” (Olde Hundredth) UMH Pg. 95

Praise God from whom all blessings flow; praise him, all creatures here below; Praise him above ye heavenly host; Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost. Amen.

Children’s Sermon

Jennifer Hupko 8:30
Harriet Clark 11:00

Children 3 years old to 2nd Grade are invited to Little Church.
Please pick them up following the service in room 201, Wesley Building.

* Hymn of Preparation

“Sweet, Sweet Spirit”
UMH Pg. 334
* Sermon Text   Matthew 3:13-17   Craig Thomas 8:30
    Harriet Clark 11:00

Anthem   “Shall We Gather At the River”   arr. Carter

Sermon   “To Fulfill All Righteousness”   Rev. Dr. George K. Howle 8:30
    Rev. Meredith M. Dark 11:00

Remember Your Baptism

Baptism Reflection   “Down to the River to Pray”   arr. Curry

* Hymn of Response   “Spirit Song”   UMH Pg. 347

* Benediction

* Postlude   “Andantino”   Ch. H. Rinck

(*) Indicates please stand as you are able.

Flowers
The flowers are given to the Glory of God and in honor of Marion Bellamy’s birthday on January 11th from his family.

Flowers are needed for the following dates: Jan 19, Feb 2, 16, 23. To place flowers in honor or in memory of a loved one, please contact Jennifer Julian in the church office, 843-448-7164 x207 or jennifer@fumcmb.org. The flowers live on past Sunday mornings through faithful volunteers as flowers are designed into small arrangements and delivered to homes, hospitals and nursing homes.

Attendance
Members and regular visitors, please let us know of your attendance this morning by signing the attendance book. If you are a first time visitor, please fill out the visitor information attached to the Steeple and place in the offering plate, and don’t forget to stop by our visitor area in the narthex… we have a gift for you!

Sunday School
We offer Sunday school for children age 3 through adult each Sunday from 9:45-10:45AM.

Children
First Church invites families to worship together. We also offer “Little Church” to children ages 3 through 2nd grade following the Children’s Sermon Time. Little Church is a child-friendly “mini” worship service in room 201 of the Wesley Building (upstairs). Parents, please pick up your children immediately after worship.

***Ask the ushers for children’s Wiggle Bags, hearing devices and large print hymnals***

Steward Teams for January

8:30AM | Co-Captains: Ted Bellamy, Marc Smith
Don Altman, Roger Beavers, J.C. Bellamy III, Marion Bellamy, Ronald Eldridge, Earmie Nitz, Bob Poston, Donald Royal, Richard Whitman
11:00AM | Captain: Annette Willett
Carol Ann Felts, Ronnie Felts, Dabney Joyner, Beth Rozier, Jim Rozier, Dennis Ruby, Al Wendler, Ed Willett

Greeters for January

Front Entrance
8:30 | Brenda Bellamy
11:00 | Norman & Brenda Bellamy

Broadway Entrance
8:30 | Susan Guinn
11:00 | Sharri Hammond

Office Entrance
8:30 | Ellie Albright
11:00 | Roger & Judy Hall

Assisting in Worship

Acolyte
8:30 | Morgan Clemmons
11:00 | Lily Langway

Bible Bearer
8:30 | Anna Kate Brittain
11:00 | Summer Stewart

Little Church
8:30 | Cindy Johnson
11:00 | Emily Ann Skews

Video
Jim Lewis
8:30 | Dan Fleming
11:00 | Dylan Jollie

Crucifier
11:00 | Summer Stewart

Audio
11:00 | Dylan Jollie