

*You are My beloved Son*



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The Service of Worship  
Sunday After the Epiphany  
*\*Please turn the sound off on your cell phone*

January 12, 2025

11:00 a.m.

**Prelude**

**Lighting of the Altar Candles**

**Ringling of the Church Bells**

**Choral Introit**

Chancel Choir

**Words of Welcome, Announcements Signing of Registration Pads**

**\*Call to Worship**

**Leader** The voice of God calls over the waters, "Do not fear, for I have redeemed you."

**People** **The Spirit of God moves among us, declaring, "You are my beloved."**

**Leader** Christ is revealed, bringing life and light to the world.

**People** **We come to worship, to remember our baptism, and it recommit to our call as children of God.**

**\*Hymn**

[When Jesus Came to Jordan](#)

#252

**Prayer (Unison)**

God of good tidings, you gladden our hearts with your favor. Our ears are attuned to your words of mercy. Whenever we look, we see the signs of your presence: Christ has truly come to set the captives free. Washed clean by your grace and renewed by your Spirit, we put on the mantles of praise and raise our voices in glad adoration: All glory to you, O God of splendor and majesty, for in Christ we receive the gift of new life. Amen.

**Anthem**

**Pastoral Prayer**

**The Lord's Prayer** (in unison)

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.

**\*Affirmation of Faith**

The Nicene Creed

#880

**\*Gloria Patri**

#70

## Giving of Our Tithes and Offerings

### Offertory Prayer (unison)

Gracious God, as we bring our offerings before you, we remember the baptism of Jesus and the gift of the Holy spirit descending like a dove. May our gifts today be filled with the same Spirit, spreading your love and grace to all who are touched by them. We pray that his offering serves your kingdom and reflects the promise of your beloved Son in the world. We pray in your holy name. Amen.

**\*Doxology** #95

**\*Hymn** [Wash, O God, Our Sons and Daughters](#) #605

**Scripture** [Luke 3: 15-17, 21-22](#)

**Special Music** Kathi Hiett

**Message** We are God's Beloved Rev. Ken McDonald

**\*Hymn** [Fairest Lord Jesus](#) #189

### Benediction

### \*Postlude

## Schedule of Our Opportunities

<b>Today</b>	9:00 a.m.	Heart of Worship in the Social Hall
	10:00 a.m.	Sunday School
	11:00 a.m.	Worship in the Sanctuary
		Service broadcast on <a href="http://wfbr1590.weebly.com/">wfbr1590.weebly.com/</a> or 1590 AM/ Facebook Live Stream

### Looking Ahead

Jan 14 <sup>th</sup>	10:00 a.m.	Prayer Shawl – Rm #59
Jan 19 <sup>th</sup>	6:30 p.m.	Trustees Meeting – Social Hall
Jan 27 <sup>th</sup>	7:00 p.m.	Administrative Meeting – Social Hall
Feb 4 <sup>th</sup>	10:00 a.m.	UMW Circles – Social Hall
Feb 4 <sup>th</sup>	7:00 p.m.	Deborah Circle – Social Hall
Feb 5 <sup>th</sup>	10:00 a.m.	Quilting Group (every Wed.) – Ward Room
Feb 8 <sup>th</sup>	9:00 a.m.	UMM Breakfast – Social Hall
Feb 11 <sup>th</sup>	10:00 a.m.	Prayer Shawl – Rm #59
Feb 22 <sup>nd</sup>	9:00 a.m.	Potato Drop – Social Hall/Parking Lot