



*Sunday, January 18th, 2026
11am ~ Traditional*

We are called by Jesus Christ to worship, make disciples, and serve.

January 18, 2026

Human Relations Day

2nd Sunday after the Epiphany

Welcome

Rev. Carol L. Pazdersky

Centering our Hearts on God (*by Dag Hammerskjold*)

“You who is over us and one of us: Give me a pure heart that I may see you; a humble heart that I may hear you; a loving heart that I may serve you; and faithful heart that I may abide in you. Amen.”

Prelude

*Call to Worship

Frank Long

Spirit of the Living God, fall afresh on us.

Fill us with your Spirit.

We remember our Christian family around the world who worship with us today.

Inspire us to work for justice and dignity for this great family in all places.

Raise our vision above the barriers of color, culture, and creed that divide us.

Give us wisdom as we deal with one another.

Help us to recognize and to respect differences rather than to judge.

Jesus came not to be served, but to serve.

Following the example of Jesus, we now serve others.

Let our hands become your hands as we help others.

Let our hearts become your heart as we love others.

Let our lives glorify you in prayer, praise, proclamation, and practice!

*Opening Hymn

“Lord God, Your Love Has Called Us Here”

UMH 579

Prayer of Honesty and Hope

Let us pray: Lord, we do not always live in the fullness of our humanity. At times we fail to love you with our whole being or love others as ourselves. We have moments when we erect barriers between us and those who do not seem like us. (All reflect in silence.) Forgive us, Lord. Give us compassion and a generosity of heart and life for all whom you created and love.

The saying is sure and worthy of full acceptance: Christ Jesus came into the world to save sinners. As we turn to him in trust and faith, we are forgiven!

Thanks be to God for this good news! Amen!

Anthem

“Lamb of God”
Chancel Choir

C. Casciolini

*Gospel Lesson

John 1:29-42

The next day he saw Jesus coming toward him and declared, “Here is the Lamb of God who takes away the sin of the world! This is he of whom I said, ‘After me comes a man who ranks ahead of me because he was before me.’ I myself did not know him, but I came baptizing with water for this reason, that he might be revealed to Israel.” And John testified, “I saw the Spirit descending from heaven like a dove, and it remained on him. I myself did not know him, but the one who sent me to baptize with water said to me, ‘He on whom you see the Spirit descend and remain is the one who baptizes with the Holy Spirit.’ And I myself have seen and have testified that this is the Chosen One.” The next day John again was standing with two of his disciples, and as he watched Jesus walk by he exclaimed, “Look, here is the Lamb of God!” The two disciples heard him say this, and they followed Jesus. When Jesus turned and saw them following, he said to them, “What are you looking for?” They said to him, “Rabbi” (which translated means Teacher), “where are you staying?” He said to them, “Come and see.” They came and saw where he was staying, and they remained with him that day. It was about four o’clock in the afternoon. One of the two who heard John speak and followed him was Andrew, Simon Peter’s brother. He first found his brother Simon and said to him, “We have found the Messiah” (which is translated Anointed). He brought Simon to Jesus, who looked at him and said, “You are Simon son of John. You are to be called Cephas” (which is translated Peter).

Message

*Hymn of Response

“The Summons”

TFWS 2130

Offering our Best to God

Offertory

*Doxology

“Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow”

UMH 95

*Prayer of Dedication

Ever-Present and Calling God: You have claimed us as your own and entrusted to us the sacred task of taking your light into the world. We know that your grace goes before us and your strength works through us. Receive these gifts of gratitude. Use them—and us—to invite others to “come and see” for themselves your great love found in Jesus Christ our Lord. We pray this in his name. Amen.

Sharing our Lives

Kathy Whitson

Community Prayer

The Lord's Prayer

UMH 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. Amen.

*Hymn of Commitment

“Christ for the World We Sing”

UMH 568

*Blessing

Postlude

*Please rise in body or spirit.

UMH – The United Methodist Hymnal (hardcover)

TFWS – The Faith We Sing hymnal supplement (black softcover)

W&S – Worship & Song hymnal supplement (green softcover)

Also serving the community in worship:

Ushers – Barbara Thompson & Angela Gaskin

Acolytes – Luke McDonold & Ella Burgess

Tech Support – Jacob Smith (XP), Winston Bain & Hannah Warren (11:00), Cheryl Kempler (ZOOM)

Counting Team – Cheryl Kempler, Joyce Kraft, Anita Obinger

Children's Sunday School Facilitator – Karen Warren

Adult Studies Facilitator – Sue Garrison



Human Relations Day calls the Church to recognize the right of all God's children to realize their potential as human beings in relationship with one another.



KNOWN PRAYER CONCERNS WITHIN THE CONGREGATION

<i>Insiders</i>	<i>Special Concerns</i>	<i>Hospitalized</i>	<i>Recently Bereaved</i>
<i>Shirley Curtain Dottie DeCarlo Helen Fringo Robert Lentz Jackie Potter Mary Foster Betty Conrad Florence Littleton</i>	<i>Marvin Gyr Dave Kalendek Edna Halcott Cheryl Welsh Cheryl Stephens</i>	<i>Mary Lynn Lentz</i>	<i>The Whitson Family upon the death of Dave Whitson.</i>

Use this space for your personal prayers.

We want to know about the gift of your presence with us today. Please take a moment to sign the friendship pad found in each pew.

Visiting today? We are so happy that you chose to worship with us. If you have any questions about our missions, ministries, or outreach opportunities, any of our members would be glad to answer them! If you did not receive a Welcome Packet when you came in, please ask for one as you leave today to learn more about our church.

Interested in membership? If the Spirit is moving you to make a commitment to Camp Chapel with your prayers, presence, gifts, service, and witness, please contact the church office: 410-256-5561 or office@campchapel.org.

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 21ST
CREATION CARE

UPCOMING
EVENTS

Join one or both in Fellowship Hall. Hot tea and cider planned to warm our hearts as we gather as One.

- **1-2:30pm - UM Creation Movement Cafe** where UM's from all over gather to listen and share in an informal, virtual space that facilitates conversation, connection, and community focused on creation care and justice issues.
- **6-7 \pm Creation Care Winter Meeting - Yes, We Can Each Make a Difference!**

The calendar gives us a New Year to begin anew. God, however, gives us grace to begin again “morning by morning”—even minute by minute. With that gift of grace, we renew our resolve to care for Earth and justice.

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THIS WEEK AT CCUMC

Sunday 1/18	Monday 1/19	Tuesday 1/20	Wednesday 1/21	Thursday 1/22	Friday 1/23	Saturday 1/24	Sunday 1/25
9:15a Sunday Hospitality 9:30a Sunday School	7:30p Bell Choir Rehearsal		1pm Creation Care 6pm Creation Care Winter Meeting 7p Band of Brothers	730p Chancel Choir Rehearsal			9:15a Sunday Hospitality 9:30a Sunday School



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