



"Happiness is the spiritual experience of living every minute with love, grace and gratitude." Denis Waitley

GATHERING TO PRAISE GOD

PRELUDE AND LIGHTING OF THE CANDLES

WELCOME GREETING

Rev. Karen Griswold

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Rob Painter

*CALL TO WORSHIP

Leader: The glory of the Lord is too great for you to bear.

People: We are not afraid, we will not turn back

Leader: The mystery of God runs too deep for you to fathom.

People: We are not deterred. We will not turn back.

Leader: The fiery chariot of Elijah is not for mortal sight to see.

People: We are blessed with the eyes of faith. We will not turn back.

Leader: Come then, and worship our God, who took Elijah up to heaven in a whirlwind.

ALL: We will worship the Lord, who transfigured Moses, Elijah, and Jesus to shine like the sun.

RINGING of the BELL

*HYMN

"When Morning Guilds the Skies"

#215

MESSAGE FOR THE CHILDREN

Irene Crouch

SPECIAL MUSIC

"Just a Little Talk with Jesus"

Adult Choir

PASTORAL PRAYER

SILENT MEDITATION

THE LORD'S PRAYER

*RESPONSE & PRESENTATION OF GIFTS AND OFFERING

"How Great Thou Art" (refrain)

#147

*PRAYER OF DEDICATION

*HYMN

"Fairest Lord Jesus"

#87

SCRIPTURE

Psalm 50:1-6 & Mark 9:2-9 (NRSV)

Rob Painter

TODAY'S MESSAGE

"Revealing Light"

Rev. Karen Griswold

*HYMN

"Be Thou My Vision"

#562

*BLESSING & BENEDICTION

*CLOSING HYMN OF PRAISE

"Holy Ground"

#138

VALENTINES DAY SWEETHEARTS

Please take your seat and watch the overhead screens

POSTLUDE

*Please stand if you are able.

A supervised nursery is provided for babies and toddlers in the basement.

CHURCH EVENTS & ANNOUNCEMENTS

TODAY

Youth Bake Sale in the overflow room

Souper Bowl lunch – plan to join the Deacons and Hospitality Team for lunch

3:00 – 5:00 pm United in Christ – Mardi Gras/SOUper Bowl Party

3:30 – 6:00 Scout meetings

Feb 14

6:00 pm Ash Wednesday Service

Feb 17

6:00 pm Small Group at the Smith's home

Feb 18

Education Team meeting after Church

2:30 – 5:30 Unity & In Unison youth Mardi Gras Super BOWL Party

Feb 19

Newsletter deadline – please provide information to Kathy

Feb 25

Worship & Property Team Meetings after Church

- Your continued support is appreciated and may be mailed to West Liberty UCC PO Box 427, West Liberty.

PRAYER REQUESTS and JOYS (*New addition to prayer list)



Lucy & Luke

Bill Loudon

Jan Smucker

Chuck Buck

Sue Hines

Megan Lacher

Cole Tiedemann

Vicki Lingrell

Our nursing home residents

Our service men & women

Organist: Rose Michael

Song Leader: Lauren Flora

Ministers: The Entire Congregation

Serving Today

Nursery: Kathy Etgen

Children's Message: Irene Crouch

Sound: Dennis McIntosh

Screens: Ed Armentrout

Videotaping: Jim Hoffman

Organist: Rose Michael

Song Leader: Lauren Flora

Ministers: The Entire Congregation

Serving Next Week (Feb 18, 2024)

Nursery: Olivia Wilcox

Children's Message: Patty Kauffman

Sound: Elisa Lash

Screens: Kaylee Powell

Videotaping: Jim Hoffman