

UNITED EVANGELICAL UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST
East Avenue and Dillon St. Baltimore, Md.

The Rev. W. Scott Hengen, III - Pastor
Mr. Robert Gundlach Director of Music
Sunday, February 11, 1979

SIXTH SUNDAY AFTER EPIPHANY

Silence and Meditation - Pew Prayers

Prelude: "Great God Of Wonders" Newton 1

*Processional Hymn

*Solemn Declaration, Psalm 103:6-8 (p.533)

Gloria Patri

Call to Confession and Confession of Sin

Pastor: Isaiah, the prophet, tells us that God, the Holy One, the Creator, is doing a new thing. He sees it as a path in the wilderness, water in the desert, a cool drink to those chosen to do God's tasks.

People: We would like to know what that new thing is that God is doing. We have come to this time and place to discover it for ourselves.

Pastor: Isaiah says that this God blots out all our transgressions for his own sake. Our sins are no longer remembered. We can experience a new kind of religious freedom for everyone.

People: We would like to believe that kind of freedom is really possible. We would like to believe there is still hope for us and our future as a people. We need to look beyond a past not to be remembered.

Pastor: The Apostle Paul reminds us that God is most faithful and in Jesus Christ those promises of God find full expression. In Him we find the "Yes" answer to our need for hopeful help.

All: Lord Jesus Christ, we bring ourselves to You as sin-sick souls. We need Your healing mercy. We ask your help to change us toward a more hope-filled future. Cleanse us of our sickness. And give us new freedom that we do not deserve. Amen

Pastor: Lord, have mercy upon us.

People Sing: Lord, have mercy upon us.

Pastor: Christ, have mercy upon us.

People Sing: Christ, have mercy upon us.

Pastor: Lord, have mercy upon us.

People Sing: Lord, have mercy upon us.

Pastor: Hear the promises of God: "Ask, and it will be given you; seek, and you will find; knock, and it will be opened to you." "If we confess our sins, God is faithful and just, and will forgive our sins." I announce therefore in the name of Jesus Christ, that we are forgiven.

Praise Versicle (No. 517)

Pastor: O Lord, open our lips.

People Sing: And our mouths shall show forth Thy praise.

Hymn of Praise

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Sacrament of Holy Baptism (10:30 a.m.)

Collect and The Holy Scriptures:

Old Testament: Lev. 13:1-2, 44-46 (p. 97)

Epistle: 1 Cor. 10:31 to 11:1 (p.163)

*Gloria Tibi #497

*Gospel: Mark 1:40-45 (p. 38)

*Laus Tibi #497

Sermon: "From Outsiders To Insiders"

Statement of Faith (Front of Hymnal)

Hymn

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Announcements and Moments of Concern(G.Tuerk)

Presentation of Tithes and Offerings

Offertory: "Interlude"

Haydn

Special Music:

8:00 a.m. - Solo - Mrs. Linda Schneider -
"Amazing Grace"

10:30 a.m. - Choir - "Let All The People
Praise Thee" Powell

Morning Prayers and Lord's Prayer (Response)

*Benediction

*Recessional Hymn

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Silence and Meditation

Postlude: "Postlude in C"

Purcell

*Congregation Standing

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Altar Flowers today are a "Love Gift" to the Church in loving memory of mom, Mrs. Inez McGeoch on St. Valentine's Day. Presented from Earl, Roberta and Rob Jackson.

The Sacrament of Holy Baptism will be administered at the 10:30 a.m. Worship Service to John Robert McCullough, Jr., born December 5, 1978, son of Mr. and Mrs. John R. McCullough, Sr., nee Cheryl Piercy.

HOSPITALS:

Mrs. Louise Martin - Maryland General
Mrs. Lillian Ramia - Greater Baltimore
Mrs. Catherine Smith - Baltimore City
Mrs. Marie Voelker - Maryland General
Mrs. Lillian Wyman - Lutheran

When you are admitted to or released from the hospital please call the Church Office.

WEEKLY CALENDAR:

today - Pastor's Study Group, 9:15 a.m.
Monday- Pre-School, 9:00 a.m. - Senior Citiz.-
Scouts - Christian Education Committee
Meeting, 7:30 p.m.
Tuesday-Sewing Group, 10 a.m. - Pastor's Stdy.
Group, 1 p.m. - Scouts - Church School
Meeting, 8 p.m.
Wednesday-Pastor's Study Group, 6:30 p.m.
Thursday-6:30 p.m. Confirmation I - 7:30 p.m.
Senior Choir - Conway Diet
Saturday-Youth Group Disco Dance, 7-11 p.m.

Our sympathy is extended to the family and friends of Mr. Robert W. Erdman, Sr., whose funeral was held on Tuesday.

The Youth Choir will have rehearsal today right after the late service.



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There will be no Ladies Aid Meeting in March. All members are asked to help the Sewing Group with their Bake Sale that day. Due to the illness of many Ladies Aid members, the Cod Fish Cake Luncheon and supper scheduled for March 9 has been postponed indefinitely.

The Ladies Aid will have the Bake Sale on Ash Wednesday, February 28. Baking can be done either at the church that day or at home. Please try to have baked goods at the church by 7:00 p.m.

The next meeting of the Ladies Aid will be on April 4.

Please note the announcement on the Bulletin Board in the Narthex about a World Mission Seminar to be held at St. John's UCC, Catonsville, on March 9-11.

Our special congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Barry Fraser nee Angelina Rose Dinisio who were married here yesterday.

The Choirs want to congratulate Mr. Robert Gundlach in his new position of Director of Music. We wish him well in all of his endeavors.

We welcome all visitors to our worship today and always. If you have no current, active church connection elsewhere, we invite you to consider active membership here. Merely speak to an usher or the Pastor.

MEMORIALS

In loving memory of my beloved husband, George F. Gross, on his birthday, February 15. Presented from wife, Norma L. Gross.

In memory of Mrs. Lillian Durdin who passed away February 4, 1979. Presented from the following:

Mrs. Mildred Sanders
Mrs. Lillian Kraft
Mrs. Elizabeth Schaemlzle

In memory of Mr. Robert W. Erdman, Sr., who passed away February 3, 1979. Presented from the following:

Grandchildren - Barbara, Kathy,
Mary Ann and Jerry
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Mrs. Mae Kellner
Young Women's Guild
Mrs. Esther Leader
Mr. and Mrs. George Becker
Robertta Jackson
Mrs. Margaret Hanan
Mr. and Mrs. William Eckes
George and Lillian Sauer
Mrs. J. Albert Fader, Sr.
Sadie Zinn
Lillian and Charles Buschman
Pearl and George Hamer
Marie Hamer and Children
John and Louise Boblitz
Sewing Group
Bill and Emma Koehler
Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kodetsky
Edna and Lou Oberlander

ANNOUNCEMENTS (Continued)

The Church will be open and the Pastor present every Wednesday evening from 6 to 6:30 pm for special prayers and meditation. Please enter the Dillon Street entrance. Prayer requests accepted.

The Senior Choir and Youth Choir are planning a Dinner and Show to be held on Friday, April 20 at 6:30 p.m. All former and potential new members of these choirs are encouraged to participate now in this fun and fellowship experience. More details later.

Needed immediately: Someone to do light housework and care for 20 month old child. Temporary - small salary. Call the Church Office if you can be of help.

Today is being celebrated as Boy Scout Sunday and we welcome the boys, parents, and leaders of Troop 19 as they worship with us.

If you are opposed to local retail stores being open seven days (including Sundays), Affiliated Merchants Incorporated urges you to express those feelings to your State Delegates and Senators by phone or letter as soon as possible.

Needed immediately: an oversized wheelchair for a needy neighborhood person. If you know of one available for loan free, please contact Margaret Hart at the SECO Hotline (276-3322) or Pastor Hengen.

The Youth Task Force of Chesapeake Association is planning another series of Dinner-Shows on April 21, 28, May 5 and 12. If interested, contact the Church Office or Pastor. More details later.