

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, January 13, 1980
FIRST SUNDAY AFTER EPIPHANY

Silence and Meditation - Pew Prayers
Prelude: "To Jordan Came Our Lord, The
Christ"

Bach

- *Processional Hymn 8
*Solemn Declaration, Psalm 8:1-2 (p.478)
*Gloria Patri

Call to Confession and Confession of Sin
Pastor: *The event of Epiphany is happening.
We celebrate together God's coming to earth
as a person. Come and join with me as we
bring honor and glory to Him who does all
things well. Lift up your hearts in praise
and adoration to the Living God.*

People: *We respond personally to your call.
We bring greetings to all who respond to
God's gift of His Son, Jesus. We come in
faith to Him who has given us the most precious
gift of all.*

Pastor: *Come also with your love and hope as
well. Bring the openness of your lives to Him
and to others so that God's love may abound.
And find in the Christ-child the hope you
need for at least another year. Come seek His
mercy, and He will abundantly pardon.*

All: *We come seeking faith, hope, and love.
And the greatest of these is love. We need
God's love because our love is incomplete.
We need God's mercy because our loving does
not extend far enough. We need God's for-
giveness because He has shown us the com-
pleteness of His love for all of us. Hear us,
love us, and forgive us anew. For we ask it
in Jesus' Name.*

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 there-
fore 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 13

Collect and the Holy Scriptures:

Old Testament: Genesis 1:1-5 (p. 1)

Epistle: Eph. 2:11-18 (p.183)

*Gloria Tibi #497

*Gospel: Luke 3:15-17, 21-22 (p.60)

*Laus Tibi #497

Sermon: "And There Was Light"

Statement of Faith (Front of Hymnal)

Hymn 122

Announcements and Moments Of Concern

Presentation Of Tithes and Offerings

Offertory: "Morning Has Broken" - Youth
Choir

*Dedication Of Offerings and Doxology

Special Music: "Let All The World In Every
Corner Sing" - Senior Choir

Morning Prayers and Lord's Prayer (Response)

*Benediction

*Recessional Hymn 187

Silence and Meditation

Postlude: "How Firm A Foundation" Jordan

*Congregation Standing

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Sunday Bulletins today are a "Love Gift" to the Church in honor of Mother, Mrs. Bertha M. Will, on her 89th birthday, January 12. Presented from the family.

HOSPITALS:

Mrs. Elizabeth Raddatz -- Church Home - Room 302
Mrs. Lillian Walsh - Church Home - Room 411
Mrs. Lillian Schaller - Bon Secours -- Room 425A
Mrs. Mamie Langenfelder -- Mercy - Coronary Intensive Care
Mrs. Anna Scheufel - Franklin Square - Room 4203B
Mrs. Caroline Nowak -- Good Samaritan -- Room West 528-1
Mrs. Marie Schmuck - South Baltimore General - Room 333A North

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

WEEKLY CALENDAR:

Today - Nursery Committee Meeting, 9 a.m.,
Friendship Hall - Congregational-
Dinner Meeting immediately following
Worship Service - Youth Group Meeting
Widows & Widowers Only Meeting Together
at the Congregational Dinner
Monday- Senior Citizens, 10 a.m - Scouts
Tuesday-Sewing Group, 10 a.m. - Scouts
Wednesday-Young Women's Guild Meeting, 8 p.m.
Thursday-Confirmation I, 6:30 p.m. - Senior
Choir - Conway Diet, 7:30 p.m.

Our sympathy is extended to the family and friends of Mr. Alfred P. Ziethen, Sr., whose funeral was held on Thursday.



*To every thing there is a season
Eccl. 3:1*