

**Next Sunday's Scriptures:**

Micah 6:1-8  
Psalm 15  
1 Corinthians 1:18-31  
Matthew 5:1-12

**Thought for Today:**

*Isaiah 9:1-4*  
But there will be no gloom for those who were in anguish. In the former time he brought into contempt the land of Zebulun and the land of Naphtali, but in the latter time he will make glorious the way of the sea, the land beyond the Jordan, Galilee of the nations. The people who walked in darkness have seen a great light; those who lived in a land of deep darkness—on them light has shined. You have multiplied the nation, you have increased its joy; they rejoice before you as with joy at the harvest, as people exult when dividing plunder. For the yoke of their burden, and the bar across their shoulders, the rod of their oppressor, you have broken as on the day of Midian.

**Kingdom Value: Praying**

For God's wisdom and guidance.

**Our Thoughts & Prayers to:**

Susan Ogburn, Dub Hornsby, Chuck Cramer, Katharine Kinton,  
Beth Shores and family, Shirley Hicks, Joann Myers, Ira Sears, Willie Williams, Maxine Senter, Eddie Ragan, Bill Colagiovanni, Alice Schmelzer, Joe Weede, Joe Cooke, Kevin & Debbi Braswell, Vickie Cardin, Diane Rubin, John & Beth Silveira, Dorothy Herring, Phil McCray, PJ Ramsey, Clay King, Ellen Tinsley, Bob Spencer, Ronnie Elliot

**Statement of Faith:**

We are a people of God sustained by our faith in Jesus Christ and called to do God's work through the power of the Holy Spirit. We invite all to celebrate God's presence with us through worship and to support one another in Christian Fellowship. In prayerful obedience to Christ's teachings, we proclaim the Good News, teach the Scriptures, and serve others with the love of Christ.

**Sunday, January 23**

12:00 pm Missions - Bolivia Team  
2:00 pm All God's Children Game Day  
2:00 pm BS God & Church / God & Life  
3:00 pm Pulse  
3:30 pm Youth Choir  
4:00 pm Alleluia Ringers  
4:30 pm Kids for Christ (KFC)  
4:30 pm FaithWeaver Friends  
4:30 pm Lifeline Youth  
4:30 pm Confirmation  
5:00 pm FANFARE  
6:30 pm Adult Bible Studies  
6:30 pm Discovery Planning Mtg  
7:30 pm Monte de Olivos Worship

**Monday, January 24**

9:00 am ESL Classes  
9:00 am Seeds of Faith Preschool  
9:30 am Women's Bible Study - PinC  
9:30 am Walk the Walk  
6:00 pm Heartland Hospice  
6:30 pm Wake Tech GED  
7:00 pm Banded Brothers  
7:00 pm BSA Troop 320  
7:00 pm Visioning Team

**Tuesday, January 25**

9:00 am ESL Classes  
9:00 am Seeds of Faith Preschool  
6:00 pm reJoySing  
6:30 pm Women's Bible Study  
7:00 pm Finance Committee  
7:00 pm Cub Scout Pack Night

**Wednesday, January 26**

9:00 am ESL Classes  
9:00 am Seeds of Faith Preschool  
9:30 am Walk the Walk  
10:30am Pastor Al's Bible Study  
4:30 pm Kidz NPraise

**Wednesday Continued...**

6:00 pm Youth Handbells  
6:30 pm Adult Bible Studies  
6:30 pm Drama Team  
6:30 pm Youth Bible Study  
6:30 pm Facilities Committee  
7:00 pm Instruments of Praise  
7:00 pm Worship Choir  
7:30 pm Youth Bible Study  
8:00 pm Souly Brass

**Thursday, January 27**

6:00 am Sowers Bible Study  
9:00 am ESL Classes  
9:00 am Seeds of Faith Preschool  
6:00 pm Praise Team Bible Study  
6:30 pm Wake Tech GED  
7:00 pm M.E.T.S.-Men Eager to Serve  
7:00 pm Praise Team/Choir

**Friday, January 28**

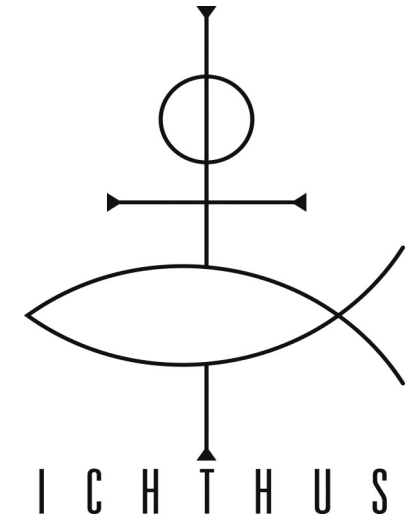
9:00 am Seeds of Faith Preschool  
4:00 pm Discovery Weekend  
7:00 pm Monte de Olivos Bible Study

**Saturday, January 29**

6:30 pm Discovery Weekend Prayer Service

**Sunday, January 30**

3:00 pm Pulse  
3:30 pm Youth Choir  
4:00 pm Alleluia Ringers  
4:00 pm Kids for Christ (KFC)  
4:30 pm FaithWeaver Friends  
4:30 pm Lifeline Youth  
4:30 pm Confirmation  
5:00 pm Benefit Concert Series  
4:30 pm Adult Bible Studies  
6:45 pm One Achord  
7:30 pm Monte de Olivos Worship



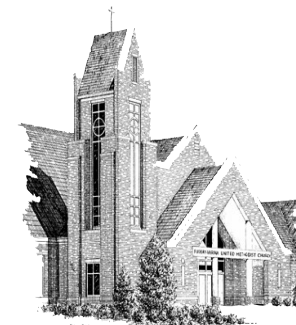
**Accepting That We Are Accepted**

**January 23, 2011**

**Welcome to Fuquay-Varina United Methodist Church!**

We are blessed by your presence with us today. If you are new to our congregation please take a moment to fill out the "Guest Information" in the fellowship pads on each row.

Persons are available in the Welcome Center following each worship service so that we might personally greet you and share further information about the ministries of the church. God Bless You!



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Office Manager Jane Gue  
Administrative Assistant Terri Pavone  
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Organist/Pianist Diana D. Thomas  
Nursery Toni Drapkin  
Property Manager/Custodian Bob Anderson

**Church Office Hours**  
**Mon.-Fri.**  
**8:30am - 5:00pm**

**By Our Presence:**

Worship Attendance:  
**By Our Gifts:**  
Received last week  
Budget needed weekly  
Average received/week  
Received (Year to date)  
Budget needed (Year to date)  
Difference

**1/16/11**

701  
**1/9/11**  
\$18,870.47  
\$24,032.00  
\$20,330.42  
\$60,991.26  
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# 8:15 Worship

## *Third Sunday After the Epiphany*

Gathering Music Diana Thomas & Mary Siachames  
Words of Greeting and Grace  
Silent Reflection  
Centering Music *Sweet, Sweet Spirit* Celebration 391  
Opening Prayer  
Hymn of Praise UMH 173  
*Christ Whose Glory Fills The Skies*  
Celebrations and Concerns  
Call to Prayer *Spirit of God*  
Pastoral Prayer  
Offertory Scripture 1 Corinthians 12:4  
Offertory *Your Love Compels Me* reJoySing  
Offertory Chorus Celebration 63  
*All Creatures Of Our God and King*  
Prayer for Illumination  
Scripture Lessons Isaiah 9:1-4  
Matthew 4:12-23  
Sermon *Accepting That We Are Accepted*  
Rev. Albert Shuler  
Prayer of Confession  
The Great Thanksgiving  
The Lord's Prayer  
Holy Communion  
*Lord, You Have Come to the Lakeshore* UMH 344  
*I Want to Walk as a Child of the Light* UMH 206  
Prayer After Receiving Communion  
Benediction and Sending Forth  
Choral Benediction UMH 396  
*O Jesus, I Have Promised*  
Postlude

# 9:30 Worship

## *Third Sunday After the Epiphany*

Gathering Music  
Call to Worship Praise Team  
*Great and Mighty Is He*  
Welcome  
Songs of Praise  
*Hosanna*  
*Rising*  
*Open the Eyes of My Heart*  
  
*Children (K-2nd grade) may now move toward the lobby with their leaders to continue their worship through the ministry of Children's Church.*  
Special Music One Achord  
*Who Is Gonna Tell The Child?*  
Scripture Lessons Isaiah 9:1-4  
Matthew 4:12-23  
Sermon *Accepting That We Are Accepted*  
Rev. Albert Shuler  
Offertory Prayer  
Offertory *Christ Is The Rock*  
Men's Ensemble  
Celebrations and Concerns  
Call to Prayer *Joyous Light*  
Pastoral Prayer  
Closing Song *Today Is The Day*  
Benediction

# 10:50 Worship

## *Third Sunday After the Epiphany*

Prelude Diana Thomas  
Call to Worship Men's Ensemble  
*Come Thou Almighty King*  
Words of Greeting and Grace  
Gathering Chorus Celebration 391  
*Sweet, Sweet Spirit*  
Hymn of Praise *Jesus Calls Us* UMH 592  
Anthem *Christ Is The Rock*  
Blessing of the Quilts  
Celebrations and Concerns  
Call to Prayer Celebration 86  
*Jesus Name Above All Names*  
Pastoral Prayer with the Lord's Prayer  
Offertory Scripture 1 Corinthians 12:4  
Offertory One Achord  
*Who Is Gonna Tell The Child?*  
Offertory Chorus UMH 94  
*Praise God From Whom All Blessings Flow*  
Prayer after Receiving Offering  
Prayer for Illumination  
Scripture Lessons Isaiah 9:1-4  
Matthew 4:12-23  
Sermon *Accepting That We Are Accepted*  
Rev. Albert Shuler  
Affirmation of Faith *The Apostles Creed* UMH 881  
Closing Hymn  
*Would I Have Answered When You Called*  
Benediction and Sending Forth  
Choral Benediction Celebration 232  
*God Be With You*  
Postlude Instruments of Praise