The background of the entire image is a photograph of a snowy winter scene. A path or road is visible, covered in snow and partially cleared, leading into the distance. The path is flanked by numerous trees whose branches are heavily laden with snow, creating a dense, white canopy. The overall atmosphere is quiet and serene.

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They were
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at his
teaching,
for he
taught them
as one having
authority.

KNOWING JESUS AND
MAKING JESUS KNOWN

JANUARY 28, 2024



PRELUDE

Mary Jane Seanor

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

*** OPENING HYMN**

UMH #62

“All Creatures of Our God and King”

*** CALL TO WORSHIP**

Psalms 111:1–4

Leader: Praise the Lord.

People: I will give thanks to the Lord with my whole heart,
in the company of the upright, in the congregation

Leader: Great are the works of the Lord, studied by all who have
pleasure in them.

People: Full of honor and majesty are the works of the Lord
whose righteousness endures for ever,

Leader: Who has caused his wonderful works to be remembered;
the Lord is gracious and merciful.

People: Great are the works of the Lord,
which abound to the ends of the earth.

*** OPENING PRAYER**

From the Book of Worship

We confess to you, all-knowing God, what we are. We are not the people we like others to think we are. We are afraid to admit, even to ourselves, what lies in the depths of our souls. But we cannot hide our true selves from you. You know us as we are, and yet you love us. Help us not to shrink from self-knowledge. Teach us to respect ourselves for your sake. Give us the courage to put our trust in your guiding power. Raise us out of the paralysis of guilt into the freedom and energy of forgiven people. And for those who through long habit find forgiveness hard to accept, we ask you to break their bondage and set them free; through Jesus Christ our Redeemer. Amen.

NEW TESTAMENT READING 1 Corinthians 8:1-13

CHILDREN'S MOMENT

Children's Church Dismissal

CHORAL ANTHEM

"From Generation to Generation (Thou Art God)"

A COMMUNITY IN PRAYER

Joys & Concerns

Pastoral Prayer & The Lord's Prayer

* **HYMN OF PREPARATION** TFWS #2225

"Who is My Mother, Who is My Brother"

* **NEW TESTAMENT READING** Mark 1:21-28

SERMON

Rev. Matthew Tate

INSTALLATION OF LEADERS

AFFIRMATION OF FAITH

UMH #882

The Apostle's Creed

TITHES & OFFERINGS

With thanksgiving in our hearts, we give of our resources to our ever-present Lord. See the back page for a variety of ways to give.

Offertory

Mary Jane Seanor

* Doxology

UMH #95

* Prayer of Thanksgiving

* **HYMN OF CELEBRATION** UMH #547

"O Church of God United"

* **BENEDICTION**

POSTLUDE

Mary Jane Seanor

* We stand in body or in spirit to give glory to God.

UMH = United Methodist Hymnal

TFWS = The Faith We Sing



For easier access to the web links in the bulletin, download the PDF at

<https://hollywoodumcmd.org/news-events/announcements/>

Let us know you joined us in worship by filling out our Connect Card!

[Just scan the QR Code with your phone's camera or click here!](#)

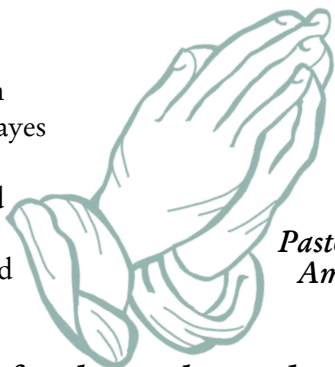
PRAYER REQUESTS

Pray for the healing of our church family, friends & relatives

Wendy Borja (9/18)	Estelle Elmore (1/2)	Dr. John Roach (12/12)
David Bruton (9/6)	Liz Halvosa (1/3)	Craig Sanders (1/2)
Jenny Carroll (10/3)	Tommy Johnson (11/3)	Macie Shumpert (10/23)
Christine Clontz (7/5)	Max Long (1/2)	Pari Thomas (12/11)
Ashley Dorsey (11/8)	The Lucchesi Family (1/9)	
Mary Dorsey (12/21)	Jim & Carole Lupis (1/2)	

*Pray for our
Homebound*

Oneita Dohrman
Robert & Sharon Hayes
Lynne McGuffie
Connie Langford
John Porter
CD & Judy Wood



Pray for

Michael Spence
OUR PRESCHOOL

Pray for

*Pastor Matthew & Danielle, and
Amelia, Simon, and Ambrose*

Pray for those who are battling cancer

Mike Britt	Connie Evans	Paloa Maggi	Janet Taylor
Tim Buckheit	John Felicitas	Bob Napier	Patsy Webster
Beth Carter	Pam Grace	Wendy Pratley	James Wild
Cynthia Chan	Curtis Graves	Leanne Riley	Denny Woodruff
Gabriel Crow	Nathan Gray	Myrna Robbins	Sarah Zsak
AJ Davis	Gene Keller, Jr.	Jessica Royal	
Sandy Denison	Mike Knight	Richard Sandidge	
Jason Duke	Lance Lupis	Bronson Sweeney	

REJOICE
ALWAYS,

PRAY
WITHOUT CEASING,

**GIVE
THANKS**
IN ALL
CIRCUMSTANCES.
1 THESSALONIANS 5:16-18 NRSV

Names in bold indicate new prayer requests or those who need extra prayer this week.

Please keep us updated on the status of your prayer requests.

To request prayer, fill out a Keeping in Touch card, call or email the office during the week, or email Pastor Matthew by noon on Saturdays to ensure they are included in Sunday's service.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

YOUTH GROUP

There will be no Sunday night youth group tonight. Next Sunday evening, Maria Wolcott will be providing dinner for youth group! If you would like to provide dinner for the youth group on a future Sunday evening, contact Sarah. Plan now to attend the annual **Pancake Supper** on Tuesday, February 11!



Filling Empty Little Tum mies

These are the items we need the most:
pop tarts; veggie cups or cans; fruit juice
boxes/pouches; and shelf-stable milk!

Thank you for supporting this ministry!

PRAYER SHAWL MINISTRY

If you would like a prayer shawl for yourself or a friend in need, contact Karen Melotti at 301-481-8093. If you would like to join Karen in creating shawls or have yarn to donate, contact her.

how to hear God

a simple guide for normal people

Our next Men's Bible Study will be "How to Hear God" and will begin on Monday, February 19. You can order your book from Amazon. See Pastor Matthew for more info.

ANNUAL GIVING STATEMENTS

Please scan the QR code or [click this link](#) to complete our online survey or call or [email the office](#) to let us know how you would like to receive your annual giving statement for 2023. If you request to pick up your statement on a Sunday morning, it will be on the Narthex counter. If we do not hear from you, we will assume that you plan on printing your statement on your own via Realm. Thank you for your continued and faithful giving that helps us further our mission of **Knowing Jesus and Making Jesus Known!**



ANNOUNCEMENTS



SOUPER BOWL

AFTER SERVICE ON
SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 11

Sign up in
the Narthex!

PANCAKE SUPPER



TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 13

5:00—7:00 PM

LOVE OFFERING FOR OUR YOUTH GROUP

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Wednesday

February 14 7:00 PM

WEEKLY EVENTS

Sundays	9:00 AM	Sunday School for All Ages
	10:00 AM	Morning Worship Service (In-Person/ YouTube)
	5:00 PM	Youth Group
Mondays	6:45 PM	Ladies Bible Study (Youth Room)
	7:00 PM	Men's Bible Study (GH)
Tuesdays	9:00 AM	Jazzercise (GH)
	6:45 PM	Ladies Bible Study (Youth Room)
Wednesdays	10:00 AM	Wednesday Bible Study (Youth Room)
	Noon	Lunch Bunch (GH)
	6:30–8:00 PM	Choir Rehearsal
Thursdays	9:00 AM	Jazzercise (GH)
	10:00 AM	Deadline for Bulletin Info for Next Sunday
Fridays		Pastor's Sabbath
	9:00 AM	Jazzercise (GH)

~~Event~~ indicates a weekly event that will not be held this week.

UPCOMING EVENTS

Wednesday, January 31	Statistical Reports Due
Sunday, January 28	No Evening Youth Group
Sunday, February 4	Local Food Pantry Donation Collection
Sunday, February 11	
After Worship Service	Souper Bowl Sunday!
Tuesday, February 13	
5:00 PM	Pancake Supper
Wednesday, February 14	Ash Wednesday/Valentine's Day
7:00 PM	Ash Wednesday Service
Sunday, February 18	First Sunday of Lent
Monday, February 19	Presidents' Day—Office Closed
	No School (SMCPS)
7:00 PM	Men's Bible Study Resumes
Sunday, February 25	Second Sunday of Lent
Thursday, February 29	Leap Day
Friday, March 1	No School (SMCPS)



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