

Season of Epiphany



ST. PETER'S
UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST

February 2, 2020

ORDER OF WORSHIP

*Special large print bulletins and large print hymnals are available.
Please ask one of the Ushers.*

**(Stand as you are able.)*

WORDS OF WELCOME

CALL TO WORSHIP *from Psalm 118:24*

*"This is the day that the Lord has made, let us rejoice and be glad in it."
Worship has begun.*

A TIME OF GATHERING AND WELCOME

PRELUDE: "Holy Spirit, Truth Divine" by Haydn

*OPENING HYMN #481 "Stand Up, Stand Up for Jesus"

*RESPONSIVE PRAYER OF INVOCATION *From Psalm 15:1-5 - Psalter NCH*

A TIME TO PRAISE GOD WITH MUSIC

GOSPEL SINGERS "In Remembrance" arr. by Robert F. Douglas

TIME OF UPDATES AND PRAYER

CHILDREN'S TIME

SHARING OUR JOYS AND CONCERNS

SILENT PRAYER

PASTORAL PRAYER

HANDBELL CHOIR "Just As I Am" by Lamb

A TIME OF LISTENING TO GOD'S WORD

SCRIPTURE READING Matthew 5:1-12 *(pew bible page 785-786)*

SERMON: *Brave. Humble. Strong.*

REFLECTION HYMN # 179 NCH Insert

A TIME OF GIVING

OFFERING INVITATION

Offertory: "Interlude in A Minor" by Hesse

*Doxology #625
praise God from whom all blessings flow;
praise God all creatures here below;
praise God above ye heavenly host; **
praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost. Amen.

*Prayer of Dedication

*(**alternate: Creator, Christ and Spirit, One. Amen)*

A TIME TO RECEIVE HOLY COMMUNION

POST COMMUNION PRAYER *(sung)*

Blest Be the Tie That Binds *(Hymn #286 verse 1)*

A TIME OF GOING OUT

THE PEACE OF CHRIST

(We offer one another the peace of Christ for the week ahead.)

*PARTING HYMN # 473 "Victory in Jesus"

BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE

WORSHIP TEAM

Interim Senior Pastor
Music Director & Organist
Worship Leader
Ushers

Acolyte

Pastor Arlen G. Vernava
Pam Schuster
Judy McCurdy
Geoff Gatz, Linda Gatz,
Lynn Hollstein, Jim Kubuski
Reese Maderitz



**Welcome Everyone! Feel at home,
for Christ Jesus is our host.**

The Psalmist sings: "Worship the Lord with gladness;
come into God's presence with singing... thanksgiving...
and praise." We pray peace and joy to you, dear friend.

Please fill out an attendance card: thank-you. Refreshments and
visiting follow worship, downstairs, in the Hall.

This week's loose offering will go to **Haven Center Homeless
Shelter**. Next Week's loose offering will go to the **Deacon's Fund**.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Sunday Sermons

Our Sunday sermons can be found on our website stpetersamherst.org under the visitors tab.

Free Legal Advice

The Legal Aid Society of Cleveland will be offering free legal advice on civil matters only on the following dates. This is a first come, first served program. Please remember to bring all important papers with you. For questions you may call 216-687-1900 or visit www.lasclev.org.

Tuesday, February 11

2-3:30PM

Oberlin Depot –

Oberlin Community Services

240 South Main Street, Oberlin

Call 440-774-6579 for an appointment

Tuesday, February 25

2-3:30PM

El Centro

2800 Pearl Ave, Lorain

Tuesday, March 10

2-3:30PM

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Chuck Faragher has been moved from Mercy to Amherst Specialty into Room 203.

THIS WEEK'S EVENTS

Mon, Feb 3	Yoga 9:30-10:45AM MovementWorks 1:30-3:15PM
Tue, Feb 4	Bible Study 10 AM Fireside Room Circle Six Meeting 7Pm Fellowship Hall MovementWorks 4:30-8:30 PM Bible Study 7PM Penny K's House
Wed, Feb 5	Yoga 9:30-10:45AM MovementWorks 4:30-7:30
Thur, Feb 6	MovementWorks 4:30-7:30PM Girl Scouts Mtg. 6-7PM Fellowship Hall Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal 7PM Handbell Choir Rehearsal 8PM
Sat, Feb 8	MovementWorks 9AM-12:15PM
Sun, Feb 9	Worship Service 10 AM, Sanctuary Sunday School 10-11AM Fellowship 11AM

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