

**Nottingham United Methodist Church**  
**Sixth Sunday After Epiphany**  
**February 16, 2020 11:00 am**

LIGHTING OF THE CANDLES -----Children

OPENING PRAISE "Praise The Name of Jesus" "Turn Your Eyes Upon Jesus"

WELCOME, JOYS and ANNOUNCEMENTS

CALL TO WORSHIP "Psalm 103"-----UMH 824  
"Deuteronomy 30: 15-20"

AFFIRMATION OF FAITH-----UMH 881

†HYMNS "Nothing but the Blood"-----UMH 362  
"Sweet, Sweet Spirit" -----UMH 334

PRAYER TIME AT THE ALTAR/MUSIC BY PATSY

CHILDRENS CHURCH

WORSHIP WITH TITHES & OFFERINGS -----Music by Patsy Mercer

†DOXOLOGY-----UMH 95

SONG "Spirit of the Living God"-----UMH 393

SCRIPTURE/SERMON -----Pastor Bill Porter

INVITATIONAL HYMN "He Touched Me"-----UMH 367

CLOSING PRAYER

FOLLOWING THE LIGHT

† CONGREGATION STANDING

*Greetings and Welcome - We're glad you are here today. Today is the day the Lord hath made, let us rejoice and be glad in it. If you are visiting with us today, please fill in the information in the red folder located in the pew. You are Loved!*

**PASTOR:** *Bill Porter*

**LAY LEADER:** *Velena Wheatley*

**GREETER:** *Franky Hale*

**MUSICIANS:** *Patsy Mercer, Norma Safriet*

**USHERS:** *Joey, Maira, & Makayla*

**ACOLYTES:** *Children*

**NURSERY WORKER:** *Robin Jessee*

**ROVING USHER:** *Bob Bays/Bruce Ecker*

**AUDIO/VISUAL TECHS:** *Gary Smith*

*Aaron Sams*

**Tellers Today:** *Doneva Bays & Norma Shaw*

**Prayer List:** *Sam Kelly Family, Marian Kurapka Family, Stan Wells Family, Helen Tipton Family, Gladys Goode Family, Douglas Cox Family, Elliott Smith Family, Ray Kerney Family, Everett McConnell Family, Frances Fields Family, Jim Williams Family, Bill Jones Family, Tony Vitale Family, Larry Taylor Family, Scott Fields Family, Charlie & Lois Anderson, Dwight Bishop, Bird Blackburn, Edna Carico, Mary Cole, Wayne Collins, Cayden Cox - 2 yr. old, Larry Crawford, Brian Davis, Debbie Davis, Rick Davis, Otis Dockery, , Kristen Dyke, Midge & Larry Falin, Faye Fansler, Vivian Farley, Phyllis Ferrell, Gran Fields, Orbin Fleenor, Dwight & Margie Gardner, Missy Gardner, Charles Goode, Wanda Helms, Kenneth & Patsy Herron, Melanie Horne, Nadine Horton, Richard & Sherri Jones, Susan Kerney, Burton Kessie, Drexie & Ken Key, Herb & Lois Kyllonen, James Lane, Jackie McConnell, Mike McConnell, Sally McDowall, Patsy Mercer, Shelia Newton, Perkins Family, Betty Osborne, John Page, Kenny Pleasant, Kim Potts, Linda & Melinda Porter, Nell Powers, Jim Putman, John Renfro, Elsie Richards, Ruth Richards, Martha Richardson, Bonnie Robinson, Norma Safriet, Michelle Salling, Gary & Norma Smith, Joan Taylor, Karen Taylor, Trish Jo Taylor, Helen Tipton, Connie Turner, Kate Warren, Jayne Wolfe, Rev. Jeff Wright & Sandy Wright, Ray Yates the lost, our troops, the brokenhearted & discouraged, our President and leaders.*

**Today - Love for South Sudan** - Because of a civil war in South Sudan many people have been misplaced in Uganda since July of 2016. Basic needs are urgently needed. The churches across the Holston Conference will receive a special offering today. Please search your hearts and give generously to this cry for help.

**Mendota Worship** - Today at 3:00 pm. Please come worship with us.

**UMW Meeting** - Monday @ 2pm

**Trustee Meeting** - Monday @ 7pm

**Bible Study** - Wednesdays - 11 am at Mendota; 2:30 and 7:00 pm at Nottingham. We began the video based 5-session study "The Overcomer". We are watching the movie first and then start the study. The first session was "Who Are You?" Last week's session was "You are Broken". This week's session is " You Are Chosen.". Please plan on joining us this week.

**Hilton Community Churches** are hosting a fundraiser at Hilton Elementary on Saturday, February 22nd to raise money for medical expenses for Kyla Young, a second grade student. Chris Holder and Journey Home will perform. Please help and support this worthy cause.

**Nottingham Gems** - We invite all individuals age 50 + to join us for our meetings and trips. We have some great meetings planned for this year. Come be a part of the "Gems". Our next meeting has been rescheduled for Tuesday, February 25 at 1:00 pm.

**2020 Hands On Mission Project** - School Kits for Zimbabwe. We would like to surpass the number of backpacks we contributed last year. Pick up a flyer on foyer table.

**Planning for 2020** - This includes Lent and Easter activities. A meeting will be held on Thursday, February 27 at 6:30 pm. Please plan to attend.

**Announcements of Upcoming Interest**

Hearth Warming Offering - February 23 - MEOC Emergency Fuel Fund

Seeds of Bounty Offering - March 1

Ash Wednesday - Lent Begins - February 26

# **Calendar**

## **Sunday, February 16, 2020**

10:00 am Sunday School/Youth  
11:00 am Morning Worship  
11:30 am Children's Church  
3:00 pm Mendota Worship

## **Monday February 17, 2020**

UMW 2 pm  
Trustee Meeting - 7 pm  
Convocation

## **Tuesday, February 18, 2020**

Convocation

## **Wednesday, February 19, 2020**

Bible Study Mendota 11:00 am  
Nottingham 2:30 & 7:00

Convocation

## **Thursday, February 20, 2020**

## **Friday, February 21, 2020**

Pastor's DCOM 8:30 am - 1:30 pm

## **Saturday, February 22, 2020**

## **Sunday, February 23, 2020**

10:00 am Sunday School  
11:00 am Morning Worship  
11:30 am Children's Church/Youth  
3:00 pm Mendota Worship

## **February Birthdays:** Terry Farmer (6);

Alicia Bellamy Hamm (8); Shelia Newton (9);

Martha Richardson (12); Vena Wheatley (15); Liz Kiser (19) Debbie Davis (20);

Janet Mosier (22); Keith Blackburn (28)

## **February Anniversaries:** Terry and Anna Farmer (12)

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