

THE WORSHIP OF GOD

January 29, 2012

9:00 & 11:00 Service of Worship

Fourth Sunday after Epiphany

WELCOME – ANNOUNCEMENTS – OPENING PRAYER

**11:00am Service*

*Holy Spirit, Thou are welcome in this place,
Holy Spirit, Thou are welcome in this place,
Omnipotent Father of mercy and grace,
Thou art welcome in this place.*

*MOMENTS WITH CHILDREN

PRELUDE AND LIGHTING OF THE CANDLES

*As the prelude begins we honor the offerings of our musicians as we
prepare our hearts and minds for worship with our prayerful silence*

HYMN OF PRAISE

*“Love, Mercy and Grace”
“How Great Thou Art”*

*Cokesbury # 153
UMH # 77

AFFIRMATION OF FAITH

I believe in God the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth; And in Jesus Christ his only Son our Lord: who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; the third day he rose from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and sitteth at the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

GLORIA PATRI

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost. As it was in the beginning is now and ever shall be World without end. Amen! Amen!

MORNING PRAYER/THE LORD’S PRAYER

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be Thy name. Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread, and forgive us our trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For Thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory forever. Amen.

HYMN OF DEDICATION

*“Love Lifted Me”
“How Can We Name A Love”*

*Cokesbury # 233
UMH # 111

OFFERING OF OURSELVES AND OUR GIFTS TO GOD

(Please Pass Pew Registration Booklets)

*Offertory Anthem

“I Love You, Lord”

DOXOLOGY

**Praise God from whom all blessings flow. Praise Him all creatures here below.
Praise Him above ye heavenly hosts. Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.**

SCRIPTURE

Colossians 2:6-7

SERMON

“Stay In Love With God”

Dr. R. Allen Stewart
Senior Pastor

HYMN OF INVITATION

**“Near to The Heart Of God”
“Gift Of Love”**

Cokesbury # 194
***UMH # 408**

BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE

**11:00am Service*

Our Prayer Ministry

“Give thanks to the Lord because He is good, because His faithful love lasts forever.” Psalm 107:1

Prayer Needs: Rev. Dean & Jean Kring, Jim Dennis, Caren Rice, Ray Haywood, James Herring, Harvey DeVoe, Curt Robison, Jody DiMarco, Maureen Sokol, Nancy Wroblewski, Joe Garringer, Stephen Ministry Care Receivers, Unspoken Request

Other Prayer Needs: Emily Brookins—Daughter of Steve & Amy Lloyd; Jenelle Fleming—Mother of Bobby Fleming; Pat McCollum; Craig Ingalls & Family—Brother of Barbara Setchel; Marie Duncan—Aunt of Sandi Carter; Claire Phillips—Daughter of Jimmy & Beth Carter; Dave Hetland; Bucky Coggin—Father of Pam Fleming; Ron Smith—Relative of Karen & Gerry Sweeney; Cliff Morris (Afg.)—Husband of Andi S. Morris; Brenda Vickery—Mother of Missey Hampe

Brown Convalescent Ctr—Helen Thornton

Hart Care—Elinor Bond, Clara Teasley, Roger Dennis

Hartwell Health Care Ctr—Gladys Woody, Rachel Chapman, Amy Phillips

Lake Point—Joe Seawright, Hazel Newberry, Myra Dunning, John Peppers, Mary Cunningham

Gables—Helen Leonard, Bob & Dee Glenn

Homebound—Stan Shaw, Maryleene Basinger, Fred Sokol, Thelma Norment, Nina Wilson, Mary Madden, Kathryn Frye, Jean Condict, Helen Stanifer

Church Family in Military—Ben DeWitt—Son of Lynne Adams; Keith David (Jordan) & Chris David (Afg.)—Sons of Dale & Cindie David; Karl Lindquist—Son of Bob & Norma Lindquist; Trav George—Grandson of Travis George; Josh Black—Brother of Joel Black; Caitlin Whittington (Libya)—Granddaughter of Dottie Sisson; James Goddard (Afg.)—Husband of Jennifer Vickery Goddard; CW05 Edward A. Stoots, Jr (Afg.)—Son-in-law of Barbara & Ed Weaver; Sonny Chavis (Afg.) & Matt Chavis—Grandsons of Myrt & Charlie Higgins; Trevor League (AFG.), Alan League (Italy), Tristan League—Sons of Nancy League; Sgt. Michael Swenson (Afg.)—Grandson of Rev. Barbara & Rev. Joe Stiles; Terri Duenas (Afg.)—Cousin of Stephen Giddings

The Flowers on the Altar

*The flowers are placed on the Altar to the glory of God and honor of Nancy Moureau,
in celebration of her birthday. They are given by Richard & Nancy League.*

Volunteers for the Week

Nursery: Tracy Evans & Brittany Bailey

Children's Church: Doug & Margaret Blomberg

Acolyte: Ayers Honiotes & John Gordy

Ushers: Bill Beasley, David Turner, Robert Story & Bob Lindquist

Care Group: #5 Al & Brenda Iseley, Linda & Don Potratz

Attendance Last Week

9:00am Service—76; 10:00am Service—146; 11:00am Service—146;
Blast Off—56; Sunday School—116

<u>Unified Budget</u>	<u>1/22</u>	<u>To Date</u>		
Received	\$ 7,105	\$ 58,196	Opening Doors 2011 Receipts:	\$ 6,961
Needed Weekly	\$ 13,070	\$ 52,280	Loan Amount to Date:	\$1,116,176

Opportunities for Worship and Service

Monday, January 30

5:00pm Bible Study-Lib

5:15pm UMW Executive Board Meeting-Lib

Tuesday, January 31

10am/6pm Ladies Bible Study-Lib.

Thursday, February 2

7:00am Men's Prayer Group-Bojangles

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9:00am BS/Mission Study-Read at S. Hart

Wednesday, February 1

10:00am Staff Meeting-Lib.

11:30am Sojourner's Meeting-FH

1:30pm Prayer Group-Lib.

4:30pm Children Bible Study

4:30pm Youth Bible Study-Lib.

5:30pm Family Night Supper-FH

6:00pm Children WNW

6:05pm MS Youth-Gym

7:00pm Choir Practice

Sunday, February 5

6-10pm HS Youth—Gym

**Remember to bring Canned Goods
next Sunday for the Food Pantry**

Rose on the Altar

The rose placed on the Altar, is to the glory of God and in honor of the birth of Graham Hudson Nissen, son of Thor & Allison Nissen. Graham was born on January 13, 2012 in Atlanta.. His proud grandparents are Richard & Sally Frady.

Family Night Supper for February 1st—Menu: BBQ Pork Loin

Dr. Stewart will continue the four part study on *"The Three Simple Rules-A Way of Life"*. What do they mean for us as Methodist and as the Church. Please fill out the yellow Reservation cards and place in the offering plates, in the box in the contemporary service, or call the church office by noon on Monday.

Renowned Christian Recording Artist—Paul Saik—in Concert

Sunday, February 12th—4:00pm—Sanctuary

"Paul Saik could easily stand alone as a remarkable tenor whose power and passion create an exciting experience for a listener. However, his professionalism on both piano and organ make him a truly unique and amazing performer."

Dr. Ginger Beazley Ars Nova School of the Arts

Stephen Ministry

A Ministry of Christ caring for people through people.

"Let us not love with words, but with actions and in truth." 1 John 3:18



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Three Simple Rules:

Do No Harm; Do Good; Stay in Love with God

Colossians 2:6-7

*6*As you therefore have received Christ Jesus the Lord, continue to live your lives in him, *7*rooted and built up in him and established in the faith, just as you were taught, abounding in thanksgiving.

By attending upon all the ordinances of God; such are:

The public worship of God.

The ministry of the Word, either read or expounded.

The Supper of the Lord.

Family and private prayer.

Searching the Scriptures.

Fasting or abstinence.

The mission of Hartwell First United Methodist Church is to be a community of faith through which all persons can come to know Jesus Christ, accept His saving grace, and become faithful disciples, witnessing to God's love in the world.