

# THE CHURCH GATHERED FOR WORSHIP: Join Us!

## PREPARING FOR WORSHIP

The ringing bells signal a movement into liminal or transitional space – we are attuning our bodies to look beyond the ordinary toward the sacred. More keenly aware of God's presence, we are invited to gather together in reflective worship, celebrating God's goodness and listening for God's guidance.

RINGING OF THE HOUR

THE READING OF THE GREAT COMMANDMENT

WELCOME & WORK OF THE CHURCH

Rev. Jessica McDougald  
Rev. Bob Stillerman

SYMBOLS OF OUR FAITH

CHIMING OF THE TRINITY

MOMENT OF MEDITATION

*Moment By Moment*

Phil Mullinax, Organ

## ENTERING INTO WORSHIP

INVOCATION

SHARING GOD'S PEACE

May the peace of Christ be with you.  
**And also with you.**

† SONG OF FELLOWSHIP *Shine, Jesus, Shine*

*Shine, Jesus, shine, fill this land with the Father's glory*

*Blaze, Spirit, blaze, set our hearts on fire*

*Flow, river, flow, flood the nations with grace and mercy*

*Send forth Your word, Lord, and let there be light (repeat)*

## PRAISING GOD'S FAITHFULNESS

FIRST LESSON

1 Corinthians 12:12-20, 27

COMMUNITY PRAYER

Rev. Jessica McDougald

CHILDREN'S INVITATION TO GATHER

*Jesus loves me, this I know, for the Bible tells me so.*

*Little ones to him belong; they are weak, but he is strong.*

*Yes, Jesus loves me! Yes, Jesus loves me!*

*Yes, Jesus loves me! The Bible tells me so.*

CHILDREN'S MOMENT

Rev. Jessica McDougald

† HYMN OF PRAISE *To God Be The Glory*

Hymn #349

OFFERTORY PRAYER

Heather Jennings

OFFERTORY *O Love*

MBC Sanctuary Choir

† Please stand as you are able to in body and spirit.

† DOXOLOGY

Old 100th

*Praise God from whom all blessings flow:*

*Praise God all creatures here below.*

*Praise God above ye heavenly host.*

*Creator, Christ and Holy Ghost. Amen.*

*PROCLAIMING GOD'S WORD*

SECOND LESSON

Nehemiah 8:1-10; Luke 4:14-21

REFLECTIONS

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Rev. Bob Stillerman

*RESPONDING IN FAITH*

INVITATION TO COMMUNITY

† HYMN OF INVITATION

*Come Ye Sinners, Poor And Needy*

Hymn #471

BENEDICTION

Rev. Bob Stillerman

† SONG OF RESPONSE

*Go tell it on the mountain over the hills, and ev'rywhere;*

*Go, tell it on the mountain that Jesus Christ is born.*

*While shepherds kept their watching o'er silent flocks by night,*

*Behold, throughout the heavens there shone a holy light. (Refrain)*

DEPARTING REFLECTION

*More Than Wonderful*

Phil Mullinax, Piano

# MILLBROOK BAPTIST CHURCH



**THIRD SUNDAY AFTER EPIPHANY**

**JANUARY 26, 2025**

The Spirit of the Lord is upon me, because he has anointed me to bring good news to the poor. He has sent me to proclaim release to the captives and recovery of sight to the blind, to set free those who are oppressed, to proclaim the year of the Lord's favor.

— Luke 4:18-19