

\*HYMN OF RESPONSE No. 2175      *Together We Serve*      SAN ANSELMO

*During the singing of the hymn of response, you are invited to bring forward  
your hunger offering for the Famine Crisis in the Horn of Africa,  
UMCOR Advance #982450 and place it in the basket on the chancel rail.*

\*COMMISSIONING AND BLESSING

\*CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE NO. 2184      *Sent Out in Jesus' Name*      EVIADO

**Sent out in Jesus' name, our hands are ready now to make the earth  
the place in which the kingdom comes. Sent out in Jesus' name, our  
hands are ready now to make the earth the place in which the  
kingdom comes. The angels cannot change a world of hurt and pain  
into a world of love, of justice and of peace. The task is ours to do,  
to set it really free. O help us to obey and carry out your will.**

\*POSTLUDE      *Come, We That Love the Lord*      LOWRY/MANSFIELD

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## ALTAR FLOWERS

The flowers on the altar this morning are given by Mary and Marshall  
Brown, in celebration of the triplets' 9<sup>th</sup> birthday.

## SUNDAY WORSHIP RECEPTION

Following today's worship service, please join us for a reception in the  
Fellowship Hall, hosted by Alex and Brenda Miller

*"Our mission is to be the helping hands of God,  
reaching out to all people with the love of Christ."*



**Lord, help me when I'm "puffy" —  
when I'm so puffed up with importance that I tear others down;  
when I'm too puffed up to focus on loving God and being loved by God;  
when I suck in words and spew out thoughts that are far removed  
from holy.**

**Remind me that puffy thoughts can pound and wound your people.**

**Lord, let the hot air out of my balloon when I'm tempted to be "puffy."**

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# Charles Wesley United Methodist Church

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Rev. Candace L. Martin      *Fourth Sunday After Epiphany*      January 29, 2012

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Hearing devices are available. Please ask an usher for assistance.  
Those who are able are invited to stand for the acts of worship marked with an \*

PRELUDE      *In Christ There Is No East or West*      ARR. WARRINER

## WELCOME AND REGISTRATION OF ATTENDANCE

*Please note your presence on the red hospitality pads at the end of the pew and pass it on so others may do likewise.*

## CHORAL INTROIT

## \*CALL TO WORSHIP

Leader: People of faith, come and worship!

**People: We rejoice in this opportunity to worship together.**

Leader: People of faith, come and praise!

**People: We rejoice in this opportunity to sing with heart and voice.**

Leader: People of faith, come and pray!

**People: We rejoice in this opportunity to open ourselves to God's leading.**

Leader: People of faith, come and listen!

**People: We rejoice in this opportunity to hear the scriptures and to respond with faithful service.**

\*HYMN OF PRAISE No. 2170      *God Made from One Blood*      ST. DENIO

## \*OPENING PRAYER

**Lord, so often we have failed to reach out and be the witnesses of your grace that you would have us to be. And so often our words have been good, but our hearts and deeds have fallen short of how you would have us to live. Forgive us, Lord, and give us the courage and strength to openly live the witness you would have us lovingly share with the world. In Christ we pray. Amen.**

## \*GREET ONE ANOTHER WITH WORDS OF PEACE

HYMN OF CENTERING No. 2164      *Sanctuary* (sing twice)      SANCTUARY

## PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

## PASTORAL 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.**

## GIVING OF OUR TITHES AND OFFERINGS

## OFFERTORY PRAYER

**Creator of all things great and small, inspire us with the presence of your Holy Spirit, that we may, like a little yeast, raise up the families of the world. Make us ready, a perfect sacrifice of love, to become your living will in the world. Bless these gifts this day. In Christ's name we pray. Amen.**

OFFERTORY      *Come Ye Sinners Poor and Needy*      ARR. BIRCHWOOD

\*SUNG THANKSGIVING NO. 95      *Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow*      OLD 100th

**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.**

\*HYMN OF THE HEART No.560      *Help Us Accept Each Other*      ACCEPTANCE

EPISTLE LESSON      1 Corinthians 8:1-13 (NLT)      Dale Thompson

ANTHEM      *Great is God*      POORMAN

MESSAGE      *Our Better Angels*      Rev. Candee Martin

**WEEK OF JANUARY 29 - FEBRUARY 5, 2012**

**SUNDAY**

9:00 am Disciples Group Sunday School – Disciples’ Room  
9:00 am Young Adults’ Sunday School – Downstairs Voyagers’ Room  
9:00 am One Room Sunday School (pre K and elementary) – Downstairs  
Sunday School Room  
10:30 am Sunday Worship Service  
11:30 am Refreshments in Fellowship Hall

**MONDAY**

10:00 am AA Group Meeting – Disciples’ Room  
7:00 pm Missions & Justice Meeting - Disciples’ Room

**TUESDAY**

10:00 am AA Group Meeting – Disciples’ Room  
7:00 pm Boy Scout Troop 1130 – Fellowship Hall

**WEDNESDAY**

7:00 pm Choir Practice

**THURSDAY**

6:45 pm AA Group Meeting – Disciples’ Room

**SATURDAY**

7:30-12:30PM World Children’s Choir – Sanctuary & Fellowship Hall  
10:00 am Vital Congregations Meeting

**NEXT SUNDAY**

9:00 am Sunday School  
10:30 am Sunday Worship Service  
11:30 am Refreshments in Fellowship Hall

**Ministers of the Gospel** ..... Every Baptized Christian  
**Pastor**.....Candace L. Martin  
**Minister of Administration**..... Marcie Tuggle  
**Minister of Music**..... Matt Duckery  
**Organist**.....Mary Brown  
**Minister of Media**..... Dick Lowry  
**Ushers**..... Charles Carney, Bob Schneider, Soon Young Carroll  
**Greeter**..... Marilyn Barden  
**Acolyte** ..... Gregory Beard  
**Nursery**..... Alex/Brenda Miller, Tylee Smith  
**Flower Arranger**..... Jann Thompson  
**Altar Guild** ..... Diane McCullough & Virginia Spencer  
**Offering**.....Vicki Herrmann and Charles Carney  
**Steward of the Month**..... Dick Lowry

**JOIN WITH US IN PRAYER THIS WEEK:**

**Our men and women of the military serving in Afghanistan and Iraq and their families waiting at home:** Captain Nick Eberling and his wife, Amy (family friends of Rev. Candee).

**Congregational Concerns:** Russ and Vickie Hawes, Dale and Jann Thompson, Joanne Gray, Jane Starkey, Frances Tyahla, Marilyn Barden, Thelma Brown, Matt Martin (Rev. Candee’s nephew), Barbara and Bill Powell, Bill Martin (Rev. Candee’s father), Amy and Tucker Lofgren, Joe Reid, Jane Jordan, Virginia Barnes and other family and friends of Elsie Beach, Trudy Cooke and her family, the friends and family of John Adams.

**Residential Care:** Pearl and Bob Flath, John Swafford, Bob and Dortha Tripp

**World Concerns:** Dr. Elma Jocson (Medical Missionary), people under persecution and living in slavery, refugees everywhere, the people of the Republic of South Sudan, the people of Iraq, Afghanistan and Pakistan, the people of the Democratic Republic of the Congo, our world community as we face and address the issues of climate change and economic crisis, Israeli-Palestinian conflict, N. B. Whitfield Memorial United Methodist Church in Buchanan City, Liberia, those suffering the effects of natural disasters, the people of Egypt, Bahrain, Yemen, Syria and Libya, the people of Japan, those suffering from the famine in the Horn of Africa.

**National Concerns:** President Barack Obama and Congress, the unemployed and under-employed, the uninsured and underinsured, children and youth at risk, those struggling with addictions, people who’ve lost their homes to the economic crisis, the homeless, those affected by the flooding, those who’ve lost family, friends, neighbors, homes and communities to natural disasters.

**Local Concerns:** Our community, our Boy Scouts, Northern Virginia Christian Children’s Center children and staff, our church and visioning process, 3 church ministry process, the 5 Talent Academy process, the people SHARE serves.

***Please let the office know if there is someone you wish to add or remove from this prayer list.***

**If you are interested in baptism or becoming a member of Charles Wesley United Methodist Church, please contact Reverend Candee Martin at 703-356-6336 or at revcandee@cox.net.**



## Missions Corner . . .

**Famine in the  
Horn of Africa  
UMCOR Advance  
#982450**



**January's** monthly hunger offering will support the famine relief efforts of UMCOR, the United Methodist Committee on Relief. UMCOR is recognized worldwide as the not-for-profit global humanitarian aid organization of the United Methodist Church. Let God speak to you about the 11 million to 12 million people, especially the very young and very old, in Kenya, Ethiopia, Somalia and Djibouti who are affected by the worst drought in decades. You may also give online at [www.charleswesleyumc.org/africafamine](http://www.charleswesleyumc.org/africafamine)

**If you wish to give to aid in this crisis today, you may write a check to: Charles Wesley UMC and indicate in the memo line that it is for the Horn of Africa Crisis, UMCOR Advance #982450.**

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## SHARE, Inc.

This week SHARE's community ministry is asking for the following items:

**Ground Coffee  
Cooking Oil  
Catsup  
Fruit Juice**

**Diapers Sizes 4-5-6  
Paper Towels  
Sugar**

*Also needed are gently used sheets & towels. If donating a set of sheets and pillow cases, tie or tape them together and mark the size.*

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

### Mark Your Calendars...

- Tuesday, Feb 21st: Shrove Tuesday Pancake Supper, 5:00-7:00 pm
- Wednesday, Feb 22<sup>nd</sup>: Ash Wednesday Service, 7:30 pm

➔ **The Missions and Justice Committee will be meeting tomorrow (Monday, Jan 30) evening at 7:00 pm in the Disciples' Room**

➔ **There is a Vital Congregations meeting scheduled for Saturday, February 4<sup>th</sup> at 10:00 am.**

### 2012 CHURCH DIRECTORIES ARE READY!

You may pick yours up in the narthex today and *please* be sure to let the office know of any changes you may have throughout the year.

### EMPTY INK AND TONER CARTRIDGES –

*you have them and the office needs them so please drop them off any time -- thank you to all who have already contributed, 20 were just redeemed last week!!*



## Inclement Weather Policy

On the occasion of hazardous weather conditions, Charles Wesley UMC may be closed. To find out if Sunday School and Sunday Worship are cancelled, please refer to the website: [www.charleswesleyumc.org](http://www.charleswesleyumc.org) or call the office voice mail for info: 703-356-6336.

For cancellation of activities during the week due to weather, the leaders of Missionettes, UMM, UMW, choir, etc. will contact their members directly.