

## The Practice of Eucharist

The sacrament of Eucharist was instituted by Jesus at the Last Supper (Luke 22:7-20), practiced by Him after His resurrection (Luke 24:30-35) and given further explanation by the Apostle Paul to the church in Corinth (1 Cor. 11:17-34).

In taking Eucharist, we are not only remembering Jesus' sacrifice of body and blood for the redemption of the world, we are also mysteriously united with Christ. The Apostle Paul takes this union seriously, "Is not the cup of thanksgiving for which we give thanks a participation in the blood of Christ? And is not the bread that we break a participation in the body of Christ?" (1 Cor. 10:16). Furthermore, Eucharist, while personal and intimate, is more than individualistic as we believe that followers of Jesus are also united and mysteriously made one body by sharing in the bread and cup (1 Cor. 10:17).

While we believe nothing magical occurs during Eucharist, something mysterious, real and powerful does. As a result of our theology, we partake in Eucharist on a weekly basis, generally at the end of our worship gathering as a crescendo.

We invite ALL (regardless of denomination) who have begun the journey to trust Jesus as Savior, Teacher and Lord to partake in the Sacrament of Eucharist. If you have not made a decision to follow Christ, please feel free to abstain as we are seeking to create an atmosphere of authenticity in which no one is manipulated into acting against their conscience. Practicalities: When you come forward for Eucharist, come when you feel ready at your leisure down the center aisle. Receive a piece of bread and then dip that piece of bread into either wine or grape juice before eating it. Then you may return to your seat.

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Sunday, February 27

Epiphany

**Order of Service**

**Welcome/ Candle Lighting**

**Call to Worship**

Gathered in the name of Jesus Christ,  
inspired by the Holy Spirit,  
and blessed by God,  
**we come to worship one, holy God.**

The kingdom of this world has become  
the kingdom of our Lord, and of His Christ,  
and He shall reign forever and ever!  
**We give thanks to You, Lord God Almighty,  
who was and is and is to come!**

**Songs of Praise**

**Prayers of the People/ Offering**

**Children's Church Lesson**

**Ministry of the Word**

***Witness that Wins! 11:1-18***

## **Response in Worship**

### **Communion**

(Please check out back of bulletin)

### **Song**

### **Benediction**

### **Unity Prayer**

ALL ARE WELCOME AT THE TABLE OF GOD, EVERY MAN, WOMAN, AND CHILD.

FOR CHRIST BRINGS PEACE TO ALL, TEARING DOWN EVERY HOSTILE WALL, SO THAT THE MANY MAY BECOME ONE—

ONE HEART;

ONE FAMILY;

ONE NEW HUMANITY.

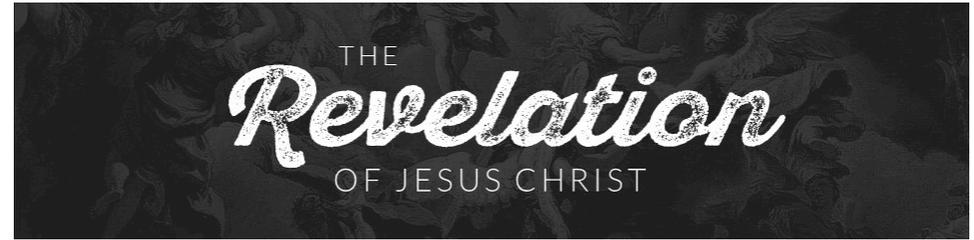
FOR GOD, WHO IS LOVE, THROUGH CHRIST, WHO IS ALL AND IN ALL, SHOWS NO PARTIALITY AND MAKES NO DISTINCTION,

SO NEITHER RACE NOR CLASS, GENDER NOR PRIVILEGE, POLITICS NOR RELIGION, PERSONALITY NOR NATIONALITY COUNT FOR US OR AGAINST US. THE LIGHT OF CHRIST ENLIGHTENS ALL.

CHRIST THE PRISONER AND THE NAKED, CHRIST THE HUNGRY AND THE SICK, CHRIST THE THIRSTY AND THE STRANGER.  
CHRIST THE OTHER.

MAY GOD'S SPIRIT HOVER OVER OUR CHAOS, OUR HATRED AND INDIFFERENCE, DESCEND IN OUR HEARTS WITH LOVE AND PLEASURE, BREATHE US OUT INTO THE WORLD TO LISTEN AND TO SERVE, SETTING US ABLAZE TO RECONCILE AND HEAL.

FOR WE ARE ALL WELCOME AT THE TABLE OF GOD, EVERY MAN, WOMAN, AND CHILD.



### **SERMON OUTLINE:**

#### **Witness that Wins! – Revelation 11:1-18**

Context:

What does John see?

What is the church to be doing?

How do we know Revelation 11 is about the church?

Walk through the text:

Vs.1

Vs.2

Vs.4

Vs.5

Vs.6

Vs.7

Vs.11

Vs.13

Implications:



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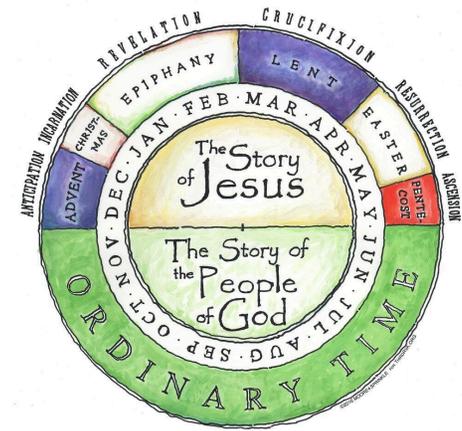
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