

ORDER OF WORSHIP

January 9, 2022

Baptism of the Lord

**Indicates the congregation stand if able*

Invitation to Centering

Chuck Kestle

Prelude

Welcome and Announcements

Welcoming the Christ Light

Acolytes

Call to Worship

When upon life's billows you are tempest-tossed.

When you get discouraged thinking all is lost.

Sometimes it seems like everything is coming apart. My life, my work, even my body!

Are you ever burdened with a load of care? Does the cross seem heavy you are called to bear?

Jennie is sick again, there's a leak in the roof and I think the car is on its last legs.

When you look at others with their lands and gold, Think that Christ has promised you his wealth untold.

I can't believe they cut back my hours at work.. I wonder if they are going to lay me off?

So amid the conflict whether great or small, Do not be discouraged God is over all.

But I guess I sometimes just feel sorry for myself. I really need to stop doing that.

Count your many blessings, name them one by one. And it will surprise you what the lord has done.

*Opening Hymn

#246 UMH

"Joy To The World"

Young Theologians

Brad Belke

*Sharing the Peace of Christ

Joys and Concerns

Chuck Kestle

Prayer Hymn

#2193 TFWS

“Lord, Listen to Your Children Praying”

Pastoral Prayer

Silent Prayer

Lord’s Prayer #895 UMH

*Doxology

#94 UMH

“Praise God, From Whom All Blessings Flow”

*Offertory Prayer

Message

Brad Belke

"State of the Union: A time of Hope and Blessings"

Holy Communion

*United Methodists practice “open communion”
where everyone is welcome to receive. Everyone!*

*Hymn of Benediction

See Insert

“Count Your Blessings”

*Benediction

Postlude

Please wait for the ushers to dismiss you. Thank you.

Sunday, January 16, 2022
Speaker: Pastor Matthias Krier