



## Huguenot United Methodist Church

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**January 12, 2025, at 11 a.m. – Third Sunday After Christmas Day**

*\*Please stand as able.*

*If Thou but Suffer God to Guide Thee  
Freely, Freely*

*On Eagles' Wings  
Blessed Quietness*

*Lead Me, Guide Me  
Connie Salmeri*

*Prelude*

*I Sing the Almighty Power of God*

*Salmeri*

*Welcome, Registration of Attendance and Announcements*

*Sheila Blankenship*

### *\*Call to Worship*

**Leader:** Holy Triune God, author of community,

**People:** *Come baptize us. Remind us what it means to belong to one another.*

**Leader:** God who tears the heavens, come baptize us.

**People:** *Reveal to us your power that ushers in new realms.*

**Leader:** God who calls us beloved, come baptize us.

**People:** *Declare to us your great delight and hold us in your pleasure.*

**Leader:** God of vulnerability, come baptize us.

**People:** *Welcome us into the paradox of strength that comes from weakness.*

**Leader:** Together, let us remember this day.

**All:** *In the Creator's love we are held, into Christ's body we are baptized, and by the Spirit's power, we are claimed. All glory to God. Amen.*

### *\*Hymn of Praise*

*We Would See Jesus*

*UMH # 256*

*Psalter*

*Psalms 29, UMH # 761*

*Blankenship*

*Reading*

*Baptism of the Lord, UMH # 253*

*Blankenship*

*Anthem*

*Sing a New Song to the Lord*

*The Choir*

*Offering/Doxology*

*God Will Take Care of You*

*Salmeri*

### *\*Hymn of Preparation*

*When Jesus Came to Jordan*

*UMH # 252*

*Scripture*

*Luke 3: 15-17, 21-22*

*Sprouse*

*Homily*

*John's Handoff to Jesus*

*James C. Sprouse*

*Pastoral Prayer and The Lord's Prayer*

*Hymn of Dismissal*

*We Meet You, O Christ*

*UMH # 257*

*\*Benediction*

*Sprouse*

*Postlude*

*Go, Make of All Disciples*

*Salmeri*



We also welcome you to Huguenot United Methodist Church this morning!

### HUMC Highlights

- Our nursery caregivers are here and ready to welcome children this morning! Childcare is provided from 10:45 a.m. to 12:15 p.m.
- The **Adult Bible Study** met today at 10 a.m. in the Fellowship Hall. *Please plan to join us next Sunday!*

### Upcoming Events

- Fri. and Sat., Jan. 24-25 – Cub Scout Pinewood Derby (FH)

### **Happy Birthday to**

JillMarie Hoover Bowers (Jan. 12)  
Betty Clatterbaugh (Jan. 14)  
Jon Smith (Jan. 16)

### This Week's Church Calendar

#### **Sunday, January 12 – Third Sunday after Christmas Day**

10 a.m...Adult Bible Study (FH)  
11 a.m...Worship

#### **Tuesday, January 14**

10 a.m...Library in use for meeting (L)  
10:30 a.m...United Women in Faith Meeting (FH)  
7 p.m...Handbell Rehearsal

#### **Wednesday, January 15**

7 p.m...Choir Practice (CR)

#### **Thursday, January 16**

10:30 a.m...Women's Bible Study (FH)

#### **Sunday, January 19 – Fourth Sunday after Christmas Day**

10 a.m...Adult Bible Study (FH)  
11 a.m...Worship

**CR** – Choir Room    **FH** – Fellowship Hall  
**K** – Kitchen    **L** – Library    **PR** – Puppet Room

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To learn more about the United Methodist Church, please go to [www.vaumc.org](http://www.vaumc.org)

### *Huguenot Ministry Staff*

*Pastor:* James C. Sprouse (703) 608-3045  
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*Director of Music:* Constance Salmeri  
*Lay Leader:* Gerry Flinchbaugh  
*Office Administrator:* Elaine Grider  
*Preschool Director:* Debbi Mintz  
*Nursery Caregivers:* Rosalie Koch and OPEN

### *Mission Moment*

Thanks to the designated gifts for missions from members of our HUMC congregation, we were able to send a check to United Methodist Family Services in Richmond and a check to UMC missions in Haiti. Both checks were for \$645.00 each. Thank you for your generosity.

Gerry Flinchbaugh  
HUMC Missions Chairperson

**“To Be a Church in Service and in Witness to Our Members and Community.”**