



CALVARY UNITED  
METHODIST CHURCH

Second Sunday After Epiphany  
In Honor of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr.  
9:20 a.m. - January 14, 2018

**REMEMBERING**  
MARTIN LUTHER KING JR.

Prelude

Ann Bartlow

Greeting and Announcements

(Be sure to sign the attendance pad and pass it to your neighbor!)

\*Passing the Peace

\*Opening Songs      “I Will Follow”  
                                 “The Same Love”  
                                 “Oceans”

\*Call to Worship

Sisters and brothers, rejoice. We live sustained by God's presence and love.

**Thanks be to God.**

As we mourn the wounds of God's children,

**God weeps with us.**

As we give thanks for brothers and sisters who have lived in faith,

**God gives thanks with us.**

As we struggle for justice,

**God struggles with us.**

As we strive for peace,

**God strives with us.**

As we work to build the beloved community,

**God works with us.**

As we offer our gifts to all,

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(\*Congregation, please stand as able)

## **God blesses us.**

Sisters and brothers, rejoice.

**Sustained by God's presence and love we worship God.**

Children's Moment

Choral Response "Go Now in Peace"

Old Testament Lesson I Samuel 3:1-10 (11-20)

Litany

The Lord knows you and loves you. Let God's light shine in the darkness so that others may see the good works and glorify God.

(Sung) **This little light of mine.....I'm gonna let it shine.**

Jesus has seen you, waiting for the call to ministry and mission. He calls you now to open your hearts to those around you; to people in need, to those who sorrow, to those who just need someone to talk with.

(Sung) **This little light of mine.....I'm gonna let it shine.**

Just as God called the boy Samuel, God is reaching out to you to be a witness to God's awesome love and power.

(Sung) **This little light of mine.....I'm gonna let it shine,  
Let it shine, let it shine, let it shine!**

You won't hide it under a dark cover, will you?

**No, I'm gonna let it shine!**

You won't extinguish it because you're afraid and feel unworthy, will you?

**No, I'm gonna let it shine!**

Will you let God's light shine through your life?

**Everywhere I go, I'm gonna let it shine!**

Will you brave the deepest darkness with God's light in your life?

**All through the darkness, I'm gonna let it shine.**

Then, beloved of God, let that light shine on you, in you and through you always.

**Praise be to God. AMEN.**

Sharing Joys and Concerns  
Pastoral Prayer  
Lord's Prayer

Gospel Lesson - John 1:43-51

Sermon Called to Follow Rev. Deb Scott

Invitation to Offering

Offertory "Awake, Awake" Adult Choir

\*Response "Great is Their Faithfulness" (chorus)

\*Offering Prayer

**Merciful God, you provide us with so many opportunities to follow Jesus' teaching and to live as modern-day disciples. We sometimes respond to your call with excuses or unfounded worries. We confuse our spiritual longing with the need for worldly objects. Yet these things provide only a false sense of security. As we offer these financial resources, transform us so that we are stirred to hear your call on our lives. We pray in the name of the Redeeming One, Jesus the Christ. Amen.**

\*Closing Song "Here I Am Lord"

\*Benediction

\*Choral Response "We Shall Overcome" (vs. 1)

Postlude

## Welcome to Calvary United Methodist Church!

Children & Youth (infant-8th grade)

God's children of all ages are always welcome in worship. We also have the following options available:

**Nursery:** Children under 3, located in Room 101. Children can be taken by parents to the nursery at any time (sound and seating also available in the church lobby).

**Preschool Classes:** Children ages 3 and 4 (by September 1, 2016) will begin in their respective classrooms at 9:20am. Parents please take children to room 102 (3-year-old class) or room 103 (4-year-old class).

**Elementary Classes:** Children will begin the service in worship and be dismissed to the lobby where they will be guided to their classrooms. See page 5 in the Sunday and Beyond or the board in the lobby to find where to pick up your children after worship.

**Middle School Class:** Students will begin in worship with their families and be dismissed to Room 207. Students will be dismissed from class after the 9:20 service has ended.



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