

\*Offering Prayer Lay Reader

\*Closing Hymn "Take My Life, and Let It Be" UMH #399  
(vs. 1 & 3)

**\*Benediction (Unison Prayer)**

**A Covenant Prayer in the Wesleyan Tradition**

I am no longer my own, but Thine.

Put me to what Thou wilt, rank me with whom Thou wilt.

Put me to doing, put me to suffering.

Let me be employed by Thee or laid aside for Thee.

Let me be full, let me be empty.

Let me have all things, let me have nothing.

I freely and heartily yield all things

To thy pleasures and disposal.

And now, O glorious and blessed God, Father, Son, and Holy Spirit

Thou Art mine and I am Thine. So be it.

And the covenant which I made on earth,

Let it be ratified in heaven. Amen.

\*Postlude Jill Kohler

*\*stand if you are able*

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**Leaders in Today's Worship Service**

ACCOMPANIST: JILL KOHLER  
ACOLYTE: YOUTH  
GREETER: DEE DEE CASAGRANDE  
LAY READER: KIM NAVE  
USHERS: MATT MCCOMAS & VOLUNTEER

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**Welcome to Minooka United Methodist Church**

January 12th, 2020

**Baptism of the Lord Sunday** 9:00 am

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**1 Corinthians 9:24-27 (The Message)**

You've all been to the stadium and seen the athletes race. Everyone runs; one wins. Run to win. All good athletes train hard. They do it for a gold medal that tarnishes and fades. **You're after one that's gold eternally.** <sup>26-27</sup> I don't know about you, but **I'm running hard for the finish line. I'm giving it everything I've got.** No sloppy living for me! **I'm staying alert and in top condition.** I'm not going to get caught napping, telling everyone else all about it and then missing out myself.

**1 Corinthians 6:19-20 (The Message)**

Didn't you realize that your body is a sacred place, the place of the Holy Spirit? Don't you see that you can't live however you please, squandering what God paid such a high price for? **The physical part of you is not some piece of property belonging to the spiritual part of you. God owns the whole works. So let people see God in and through your body.**

*Welcome! As we gather to worship God, we pray that you feel at home and encouraged. We praise God, who binds us together in Jesus Christ, our Savior. May the Lord strengthen your spirit as we work for the sake of compassion, justice, and hope. Let us worship together.*

## Procession

Jill Kohler

## Welcome, Announcements, Prayer &

### \*Sharing of the Peace

Lay Reader

*(For health reasons, we recommend elbow bumps or waving hands instead of hugging and shaking hands.)*

## Exercises

### Prelude

Jill Kohler

*Let us quietly prepare our hearts for worship to our Great God.*

### \*Call to Worship

Lay Reader

Leader: How amazing is Your love, O God.

**People: How eager we are to rest under Your wings.**

L: To eat our fill at the banquet You spread.

**P: As You fill our cups with living water.**

L: You're the fountain of cascading light and You open our eyes to the light.

**P: Thank you for opening our eyes to Your love.**

L: Let us pray the prayer Jesus taught his disciples to pray...

**All: "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"**

### \*Opening Hymn

"Be Thou My Vision"

UMH #451

*(Pass your prayer cards to the ushers in the center aisle.)*

## Consecration of 2020 Leadership Team (see insert)

**Congregational Prayer:** Almighty God, pour out your blessings upon these your servants. Grant them grace that they will give themselves wholeheartedly for your service and witness. Give them strength, energy, and vision for the year ahead. Guide them. Assure them that you are with them always. Gracious Lord, what we pray for them, we pray for ourselves. May we all be faithful in our walk with you, our worship of you, and our witness for you. Amen.

## Remember Your Baptism

"Remember your baptism and be thankful."

**Prayer:** Living God, when the Spirit descended on Jesus at his baptism in the Jordan, you revealed him as your own beloved Son. You anointed him with the Holy Spirit. Grant that all who are baptized into his name may keep the covenant they have made, now and forever. Amen.

## A Time Mostly for Children

Powell Patterson

### Anthem

Chancel Choir

### \*Hymn

"There's Something About That Name"

UMH #171

## Nurse for New Year 2

Kerrienne Nischke

(RN Morris Hospital Cardiovascular Specialist Dept.)

**Scripture** 1 Corinthians 9:24-27 & 1 Corinthians 6:19-20 Lay Reader

*L: The word of God for the people of God.*

**C: Thanks be to God**

### Sermon

"Live Well & Healthy 2: Not Your Own"

Rev. Sarah Hong

### Offering Invitation

Lay Reader

*"In all your ways, acknowledge God, and He will make your paths straight." (Proverbs 3:6)*

### Offertory

Jill Kohler

### \*Doxology

"O How He Loves You and Me"

TFWS #2108

(vs. 1)

O how He loves you and me! O how He loves you and me!  
He gave His life. What more could He give?  
O how He loves you; O how He loves me;  
O how He loves you and me!