Announcements

<u>UNITED WOMEN IN FAITH</u> Next meeting will be in February.

<u>CHURCH COUNCIL</u> Tuesday, January 14th on Zoom at 6:30 pm. All are welcome to attend. Contact the office if you need the link.

<u>LET'S DO LUNCH</u> Thursday, January 16th at Noon at Applebee's in Gresham.

<u>SNOWCAP CLOTHING</u> Will not take place this week. Our next session will be January 23rd at the new building on Stark Street.

<u>MARTIN LUTHER KING'S BIRTHDAY</u> Mark your calendar for a celebration of Martin Luther King's birthday, the evening of January 20th.

Prayer Requests

prayers@greshamumc.com or Prayer Box at back of Sanctuary

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Gresham United Methodist Church

A Spiritual Community, In the Christian Tradition, Where Everyone is Welcome







Baptism of the Lord

Order of Worship

If able, please stand when indicated by the asterisk *

January 12th, 2025

Pastor Rev. Dr. Troy Lynn Carr

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Welcome

Prelude "Morning Has Broken"

Call to Worship

Opening Hymn * "God of Grace and God of Glory" UMH 577 Choir Anthem "Come to the Water"

Passing of the Peace of Christ

Prayer of the Day

Scripture Readings

Old Testament: I Gospel: I

Isaiah 43:1-7 Luke 3:15-17, 21-22 *****

Gospel Response

"Alleluia" UMH 186

Sermon "The Lord's Baptism" Rev. Dr. Troy Lynn Carr

Sermon Hymn "Borning Cry" TFWS 2051

Prayer for the People

Lord's Prayer

Offering/Offertory "Water, River, Spirit, Grace"

Doxology *

"Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow" UMH 94

Receiving of the Gifts *

"All Things Come of Thee, O Lord" UMH 588

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Closing Hymn * "Let There Be Peace on Earth" UMH 431

Benediction *

Postlude "Wade in the Water"

Lectionary Readings 1/12–1/19

> Isaiah 62:1-5 Psalm 36:5-10 1 Corinthians 12:1-11 John 2:1-11