

Please join us in worship on Sunday at 10:00 a.m. Pastor Ivo's sermon is titled "Jesus Is Baptized" from [Mark 1: 4-11](#).

Serving communion will be ordained officers Tina Brown, Karen Muldoon, Scott Sabo and JoAnn Sabo.

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The Deacons greatly appreciate the monetary support which our church family members contribute to continue the work which we are dedicated to provide. Envelopes can be found in the church pew racks every Sunday. Thank you in advance for your generosity.

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The annual meeting of the congregation and corporation has been called for Sunday, February 04, 2018. It is the goal of office staff and volunteers to have the booklet prepared and in your hands on or before the Sunday prior. **The deadline for all end-of-year reports from our various committees, groups and organizations is Monday, Jan. 8.**

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Lunch Bunch will be going to Olive Garden on January 10. The van leaves at 11:30am for those who need a ride. If you prefer to drive yourself, meet us there at noon.

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Our first Soup Sale of the season will be January 14th. (If you'd like to help by donating your specialties or if you need containers see or call Donna at 432-5150.) Many of your favorites will be available at \$7/quart and \$4/pint. Stop by the table in Madden Hall to make your purchases! The next sale will be on February 11.

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Family Promise guests will be staying with us the week of January 14-21. They will be spending nights here and be transported to the day center in Egg Harbor City during the daytime hours. If you can assist with meals or spend time in fellowship with our guests while they are here please see Leo!

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The Christian Readers Book Club had to postpone their November meeting so on January 17 the books "Shaken" by Tim Tebow and "Twelve Days of Christmas" by Debbie Macomber will be reviewed. These books are available at the library. Come join us for a lively discussion. We meet in the lounge at 6:30 Wednesday night January 17.

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Please check your mailbox in the hall. Also, if you see any mail left which you can deliver to those unable to come to church could you please be so kind and do so. The church is not responsible for postage to mail any leftover cards.

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Sunday Servants

Lay Assistant
Leo Ransone

Head Ushers
Vic & Rita Abelson

Acolyte
Franklin Nale

Offering
Joan Nale, Franklin Nale

Nursery
Gloria Achamizo

Deacon of the Month
Naida Burgess

Refreshments
Vic & Anna Mae Werner

Van Driver
John Channell

Breakfast Club Kitchen Crew
Set-up: Priscilla Schultheis
Cook: Melvin Washington
Clean-up: Deb Wong, Betsy Eberhard

Counting Team
Barbara & Bob Hudak

Please Remember in Prayer

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| Family of Dottie Hanlon | Zach Perry | Jinny Wolcott |
| Barbara McLaughlin | Jim Mong | Joan & David Smith |
| Bob Gillis & Family | Mildred Felsberg | Gus & Doris Steele |
| Ethel Washington | Taylor | Isaac Umoren |
| Ruth Bird | Russ Adkisson | Monica |
| Nicholas | Barbara Hughes | Ferd Morgan |
| Jordan Torjussen | Virginia Loeb | Susan Little |
| Ruth Carmen | Robin McBrearty | Rose Scott |
| Betsy Cunius | Kayla Storr | Chuck Inman-Sergott |

The homeless and poor suffering in the weather
Christians in Pakistan & the Middle East, People of South Sudan
Pastor Udo, his Churches & all Christians in Nigeria
Conflict and unrest throughout our nation and around the world

This Week in Our Church . . .

Sunday

8:30 Breakfast
8:50 Adult Sunday School
9:00 Bridges
10:00 Worship
11:00 Refreshments

Monday

4:45 Rock Solid

Tuesday

4:30 King of Kings

Wednesday

11:30 Lunch Bunch to Olive Garden

Thursday

9:00 PB & J
11:30 Serve at Sister Jean's
7:00 Chancel Choir Rehearsal

7:00 PNC, chapel

Friday

Saturday