



**February 5, 2023  
10 am Worship**

**Season after the Epiphany /  
Holy Communion**

**Message  
Jesus - The Bread  
from Heaven!**

**Scripture:  
John 6: 35, 41-51 NIV**



*Our Mission*

*The mission of the church is to make disciples of Jesus Christ  
for the transformation of the world.*

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## Season after the Epiphany / Holy Communion

*Prelude*

*Welcome and Announcements*

*\*Opening Prayer (unison)*

Living Bread, we come eager to be refreshed in the body and the spirit, for we are hungry for the bread that comes down from heaven. By the presence of your Holy Spirit, build up our community of faith, that we may abide as beloved children and live as imitators of God. Amen.

*\*Call to Worship: (responsive)*

Pastor: Come to the Bread of Life.

People: **Whoever comes to Christ will never be hungry.**

Pastor: Whoever believes in him will never be thirsty.

People: **Come to the Bread of Life.**

*Hymn of Praise*

*Let Us Break Bread Together #618*

*Presentation of our Tithes and Offerings*

Offertory

\*Doxology

*Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow #95*

Prayer of Dedication

*Our Time of Prayer and The Lord's Prayer*

*Hymn*

*Glory be to the Father #70*

\* Please stand as you are able.



**Scripture**

John 6: 35, 41-51 NIV

<sup>35</sup> Then Jesus declared, “I am the bread of life. Whoever comes to me will never go hungry, and whoever believes in me will never be thirsty.

<sup>41</sup> At this the Jews there began to grumble about him because he said, “I am the bread that came down from heaven.” <sup>42</sup> They said, “Is this not Jesus, the son of Joseph, whose father and mother we know? How can he now say, ‘I came down from heaven’?”

<sup>43</sup> “Stop grumbling among yourselves,” Jesus answered. <sup>44</sup> “No one can come to me unless the Father who sent me draws them, and I will raise them up at the last day. <sup>45</sup> It is written in the Prophets: ‘They will all be taught by God.’ Everyone who has heard the Father and learned from him comes to me. <sup>46</sup> No one has seen the Father except the one who is from God; only he has seen the Father. <sup>47</sup> Very truly I tell you, the one who believes has eternal life. <sup>48</sup> I am the bread of life. <sup>49</sup> Your ancestors ate the manna in the wilderness, yet they died. <sup>50</sup> But here is the bread that comes down from heaven, which anyone may eat and not die. <sup>51</sup> I am the living bread that came down from heaven. Whoever eats this bread will live forever. This bread is my flesh, which I will give for the life of the world.”

**Message**

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**Holy Communion** - Page #12 in Hymnal

**\*Hymn of Dedication**

This is the Day #657

**Benediction**

*Worship for today is over, but your service to God for the week is just beginning.*

## weekly schedule

All are welcome!  
Please contact the office for more information.





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| Sunday 10 am        | Worship / Holy Communion                   |
| Sunday 11 am        | Prayer Meeting (Prayer Room)               |
| Sunday 5 pm         | Girl Scouts                                |
| Monday 9:30 am      | Tai Chi (Fellowship Hall)                  |
| Monday 6:30 pm      | Cub Scouts (Fellowship Hall)               |
| Monday 7 pm         | Boy Scouts (4 <sup>th</sup> Fl Annex Hall) |
| Tuesday 10 am       | Line Dancers (Fellowship Hall)             |
| Tuesday 7 pm        | Just Recovery (Fellowship Hall)            |
| Friday 10 am        | Line Dancers (Fellowship Hall)             |
| Saturday and Sunday | Homeless Ministry (Fellowship Hall)        |

## upcoming events

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| Sunday 02/12/23                      | Church Council Meeting<br>~ following worship and light lunch  |
| Thursday 02/16/23 11am               | <i>The Story</i> Bible Study resumes<br>~ Session 28 "New Beginnings"  |
| Saturday 02/18/23<br>10 am - 12 pm   | Family Mardi Gras Event - <b>Join us for some family fun!</b><br>Games ~ Prizes ~ Relay Races ~ Corn hole<br>All Welcome!<br><b>Please RSVP: Ann@hpumc.com</b> |
| Wednesday 02/22/23<br>4 pm - 6:30 pm | Ash Wednesday - Ashes and Communion will be available<br>from 4 pm to 6:30 pm  |

### A Note from Pastor Don

Members and Friends, Please contact me directly by cell phone text or email if you need to speak with me. My contact information is located in the bulletin as well as on the business cards in the back of the Sanctuary. Thank you.

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### Holy Communion Schedule

Holy Communion will be held on the first Sunday of February, June, August, October, and December, as well as on Ash Wednesday and Maundy Thursday.