

The Altar flowers today are given to
Welcome Home Pastor Don!

Would you like to purchase flowers for a special Sunday?

Call the church office to place your order.

The cost is \$20 per vase.

Outreach

Loose Change

These donations will go towards missions.

CHURCH OFFICE HOURS

Monday - Friday 8:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.

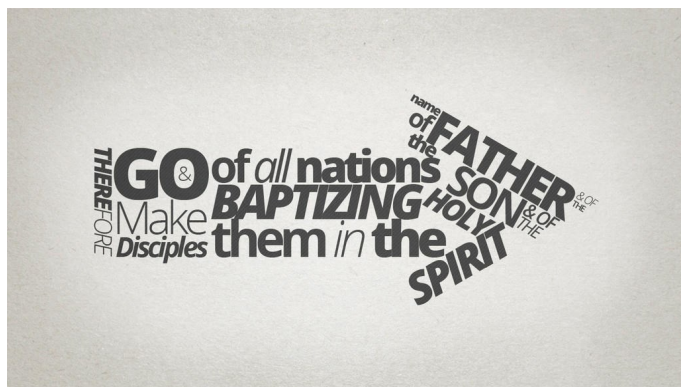
DEADLINES

Items for the **Prayer List** are due by the end of business hours on Wednesday of each week.

Be sure to submit no later than Wednesday prior to desired posting for
The Weekly Messenger.

Send those requests to **Rachelle Heldt** at: rachelle@uticaumc.org

Information received after the deadlines will be added the following week.



January 21, 2024
3rd Sunday after Epiphany



Welcome and Announcements

*Call to Worship	See Screen
<p>Call to Worship</p> <p><i>Psalm 100</i></p> <p>Refrain: Praise the Lord, O people of the Lord, Praise the Lord, O people of the Lord.</p> <p>Leader: Praise the Lord, O people of the Lord, Praise the Lord, O people of the Lord.</p> <p>People: Praise the Lord, O people of the Lord, Praise the Lord, O people of the Lord.</p>	<p>Call to Worship</p> <p><i>Psalm 100</i></p> <p>Refrain: Praise the Lord, O people of the Lord, Praise the Lord, O people of the Lord.</p> <p>Leader: Praise the Lord, O people of the Lord, Praise the Lord, O people of the Lord.</p> <p>People: Praise the Lord, O people of the Lord, Praise the Lord, O people of the Lord.</p>

Pastoral Prayer

Lord's Prayer	See Screen
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Scripture Lesson	Jonah 3:1-10	See Screen
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Offertory Prayer

Offertory **“Be Thou My Vision”**
The Chancel Choir

***Doxology** **UMC Hymnal 94**

***Song of Preparation** **“Rock of Ages, Cleft for Me”**
UMC Hymnal #361

*Gospel Lesson	Mark 1:14-20 Pew Bible Page 990	See Screen
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Message **"Refusing (to use your giftedness for) God"**
Rev. Don Gotham

Song of Celebration **“Grace Greater than Our Sins”**
UMC Hymnal #365

***Benediction** ***(Stand, if able)**

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