

St. Paul United Methodist Church

Order of Worship

Extravagant Generosity Series

11:00 a.m.

February 5, 2012

Extravagant Generosity: The Heart of Generosity
"Visions and Hope Are Inspirations of the Heart"

GATHERING: "Open the Eyes of My Heart, Lord"

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WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

Dana Overton-Garrett, Pastor

Please sign the Attendance Pad and pass to your neighbor in the pew.
Visitors, please fill out the Guest card and place it in the offering plate.

STORYTELLING

Lucy Agresta

INTROIT: "With All of My Heart"

Worship Ensemble

BRINGING IN THE LIGHT OF CHRIST

* CALL TO WORSHIP

Mike McMillin, Liturgist

Open our eyes, Lord, that we may see your vision for our church. Give us eyes to see and ears to hear you clearly.
Give us the courage to trust in and act upon the vision
that comes from you.

* HYMN: "How Great Thou Art"

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* OPENING PRAYER

Liturgist

SACRAMENT OF HOLY BAPTISM

Samantha Beatrice Draper

* THE PEACE

* HYMN: "Seek Ye First"

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CELEBRATIONS, CONCERNS, AND PRAYERS

Pastor / People

Morning Prayer
The Lord's Prayer

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.

OFFERING

PRAYER
OFFERTORY: "My Hope"
* DOXOLOGY

Liturgist
Worship Ensemble
Number 95 / Old 100th Tune

Praise God from whom all blessings flow;
Praise Him, all creatures here below;
Praise Him above, ye heavenly host!
Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost! Amen.

SCRIPTURE: Joel 2:28; Colossians 3:1; Matthew 6:33

Pastor

SERMON

Rev. Dana Overton-Garrett

THE SACRAMENT OF HOLY COMMUNION

PRAYER OF GREAT THANKSGIVING

Pastor

* HYMN: "My Hope Is Built"

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* TAKING THE LIGHT OF CHRIST INTO THE WORLD

* BLESSING

Pastor

Pastor: The formal time of worship has ended,
People: so now the service of the church truly begins.
Pastor: Go with courage and passion to live out this big,
bold vision that God has laid before us.
And don't keep it to yourself.
People: We will spread it around so that all may see
who God truly is.

* GOING FORTH

* Indicates, "Those who are able, please stand."