

# CAHILL UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

Pastor: A J Hillin  
Organist/Music Director: Lynn Moore  
February 22, 2009

## WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

### MUSICAL PRELUDE

\* PRAISE HYMN *Majesty, Worship His Majesty* UMH # 176

\* WORDS OF WELCOME AND CALL TO WORSHIP (based on Psalm 19:1-4)

The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God,  
and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

*And also with you.*

The heavens declare the glory of God.

*The skies proclaim the work of his hands.*

Day after day they pour forth speech.

*Night after night they display knowledge.*

They have no speech, there are no words, but their sound goes out to  
all the lands, their words to the ends of the earth.

\*HYMN OF PRAISE *How Great Thou Art* UMH # 77  
*Verse 1 and 2, then Refrain; Verse 3 and 4, then Refrain*

### PRAYER OF APPROACH

God of love and of justice, God of holiness and of mercy, God of  
thunder and of the still small voice within, we pray you to shine forth  
upon us today. Bestow upon us a double portion of your Spirit and  
help us to hear your word and perceive the marvels you are  
performing. Grant that we may see beyond the turmoil of our world  
and behold your anointed one in all his glory. Touch us and lift us into  
the light and peace of your presence. Strengthen us for your service  
as we worship you - we ask it in Christ's name. Amen

### SHARING GOD'S BLESSINGS

\* DOXOLOGY

### CHILDREN'S SERMON

### THE WORD IN SCRIPTURE

Old Testament, page 308, 2 Kings 2:1-12;

New Testament, page 38, Mark 9:2-9

This is the Word of God for the people of God

Thanks be to God!

HYMN OF PRAYER *Near To the Heart of God* UMH # 472

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE / PASTORAL PRAYER/ THE LORD'S PRAYER

### GIFT OF MUSIC

SERMON A J. Hillin

\*HYMN *Soon and Very Soon* UMH # 706

### THE INVITATION TO DISCIPLESHIP

You are invited to meet the pastor at the altar to place your  
membership in the church by profession of faith, transfer of  
membership, or to recommit your life to Christ.

\*THE RECEPTION OF NEW MEMBERS UMH #48

### \*COMMISSIONING

In the power of the Holy Spirit we now go forth into the world, to  
fulfill our calling as the people of God, the body of Christ.

### \*BENEDICTION

Welcome, Visitors.

We are pleased you have chosen to worship with us  
this morning and we invite you to come again.

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Worship Services Sundays 9:30 am  
Sunday School 10:45 am

**CAHILL NEWS & ANNOUNCEMENTS**

Wednesday Lenten Bible Study - Feb. 18 – Apr. 1 7:00 pm  
Potluck Dinner After Worship Today  
Ash Wednesday Service 7:00 pm Feb. 25th

Cahill UMC is sponsoring a team to participate in the Relay for Life Cancer Awareness walk in April. Donations may be placed in the can on the table at the back of the Sanctuary. See JoLynn Linville or Debbie Darling for more information.

**PRAY FOR OUR TROOPS**

**Our Military**

Jessica Keays – Gulf Bryan Dryer – Iraq  
Wayne Fannin, Jr – Navy Tim House - Navy  
Jessica Simon – Korea Danny Dennison – Iraq

**WANT TO JOIN OUR CHURCH?**

If you believe God is calling you to a relationship through this church, please come forward when the invitation is given. If “coming forward” isn’t comfortable for you, see “the Rev” after the service and you can do a “No Stress” form of joining Cahill United Methodist Church. (Present this form to the pastor during the last hymn.)

Name(s) \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Children’s Names:

Former Church \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Joining By:

- \_\_\_\_\_ Baptism and Profession of Faith  
(Never Baptized, no previous church membership)
- \_\_\_\_\_ Transfer from another United Methodist Church
- \_\_\_\_\_ Transfer from another denomination