

CAHILL UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
Pastor **A. J. Hillin**
Organist **Lynn Moore**

January 24, 2010
Third Sunday after the Epiphany

GREETING AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

PRELUDE

* **PRAISE HYMN** *This Is The Day* **UMH # 657**

* **CALL TO WORSHIP**

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.

We do not live by bread alone.

We live by every word that proceeds from the mouth of God.

The law of the Lord is perfect, reviving the soul

Blessed are they whose ways are blameless,
who walk according to the law of the Lord

The ordinances of the Lord are true and righteous altogether.

The word is near you; it is in your mouth and in your heart. That if you
confess with your mouth, "Jesus is Lord," and believe in your heart that
God raised him from the dead, you will be saved.

***It is with our hearts that we believe and are justified,
and it is with our mouth that we confess and are saved.***

The word has become flesh and dwells among us, full of grace and truth.

Praise be to God, forever and ever, Amen.

* **HYMN OF PRAISE** *Wonderful Words of Life* **UMH # 600**

PRAYER OF APPROACH

**We come, O God of joy and peace, to praise you and worship you
and to hear your Word afresh for our lives. Lord, pour out your
Spirit upon us that our worship may be more than words, more
than mere duty, but that it may be alive with your power and link
us to you and you to us in a deep embrace. Break open the
Scriptures that we read so that Your Way may be known again to
us - fresh and new as when we first heard it. We ask this in the
name of Jesus, the Light of the world. Amen.**

SHARING GOD'S BLESSINGS/* DOXOLOGY

CHILDREN'S SERMON

THE WORD IN SCRIPTURE

Old Testament, page 402, Nehemiah 8:1-3, 5-6, 8-10

New Testament, page 53, Luke 4:14-21

This is the word of God for the people of God. **Thanks be to God!**

HYMN OF PRAYER *My Jesus, I Love Thee* **UMH # 172**

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

GIFT OF MUSIC **Jack Morton**

SERMON **"Why?"** **A. J. Hillin**

***HYMN OF INVITATION** *Here I Am, Lord* **UMH # 593**

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.

Cahill United Methodist Church

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

CAHILL ANNOUNCEMENTS

Potluck Dinner After Worship Today
VBS Planning Mtg. After Worship Jan. 31st

Memorials To Polly Boyd

Stephen Todd - Dan Fisher - Roy Brandon - Mary Clifford -
Lloyd Adair - Sarah Pollard - JoAnn Walker - Mr/Mrs. Jack Morton
Sandra Wade - Geraldine Adams - Lana Kaut - Robert Bruner
Benton Kelly - Mary Shaw - Mr./Mrs. L. Givler

PRAY FOR OUR TROOPS

Our Military

Jessica Keays – Gulf Bryan Dryer – Afgh. Wayne Fannin, Jr – Navy
Tim House - Navy Robert Simon - Iraq Jessica Simon - Army
Danny Dennison–Iraq Tyler Wilson - Navy Seth Norman - Iraq
Eric Harris - Iraq Matt Finnell - Afghanistan Paul Dietrich - Army

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

Will you be loyal to the United Methodist Church, and uphold it by your prayers, your presence, your gifts, and your service?