



BASCOMB NEWS

FEBRUARY 4, 2021

Worship Service Sunday at 10AM

We are having in-person worship while still providing online services on Facebook, our website, and FM 95.3.

Protocols for Bascomb in-person worship:

- *Enter through the sanctuary ONLY using the propped doors to avoid touching handles.
- *Masks are required – and wash or sanitize your hands (wipes are available) upon arrival and departure or when exiting the bathrooms (please use ONLY the bathrooms in the Narthex-Lobby).
- *Every other row is blocked to maintain distance and space is provided between groups of seats to separate households. Please sit in household units ONLY.
- *Let the band and the choir sing for you – say the words in your heart as a prayer.
- *Offering plates are available as you enter or depart the service.
- *Please exit from back to front as the ushers direct – please do not gather until you are outside.



February 7 — 5th Sunday after the Epiphany

Sermon Title: "I Just Don't Need It"

Scripture: 1 Corinthians 9:16-23 (CEB)

How do we present a gospel to people who say they **just don't need it**? Bishop Willimon offers two examples:

Driving along a rural road in North Carolina, I passed two little churches with signs in front of each church. PREPARE TO MEET THY GOD, read the sign at the first church. SING A NEW SONG UNTO THE LORD, read the sign at the second church. There you have the difference... threats, obligations, payoffs, psychological manipulations, and attempts to "get right with God" [or]a [grateful] response to a gracious God. Someday I'm going back and worship at that second church. I'll wager that those folk know how to worship because they know **whom to worship!**

Let us be that second church this Sunday!



Documents are attached in this email for those participating at home. Drive through ashes available 3:00-4:00 p.m. and following the service.

