

ORDER OF WORSHIP Third Sunday after Epiphany Sunday, January 26th, 2019

THE GATHERING

Prelude Welcome and Centering Words * Hymn "Praise to the Lord, the Almighty" UMH 139

*Call to Worship

Leader: Who is Mighty **People: The God of the Heavens**

Leader: What is the power of our Lord and Savior? What is this forgiveness? **People: Help us to proclaim the power of your love we pray.**

Hymn:	"Victory in Jesus"	UMH 370

Opening Prayer:

Almighty God, healer of mind and body, we sometimes suffer at the hands of physical, mental, and spiritual ailments. Quiet our minds, still our hearts, and empower our bodies, that we may be whole and healed. Amen.

THE PROCLAMATION OF THE WORD

Scripture Reading: Mark 5:1-20

Sermon:	Reverend Jesse Ruch	
THE RESPONSE TO THE WORD		
*Hymn: "Be Thou My Vision"	UMH 451	
Apostles' Creed	UMH 881	
Pastoral Prayer Lord's Prayer	UMH 895	

Prayer of Confession

Merciful God, we confess that we have not loved you with our whole heart. We have failed to be an obedient church. We have not done your will, we have broken your law, we have rebelled against your love, we have not loved our neighbors, and we have not heard the cry of the needy. Forgive us, we pray. Free us for joyful obedience, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Pardon

Leader: God is mighty, he is our rock and our salvation, so we can proclaim the truth. Leader: In the name of Jesus Christ, we are forgiven! **People: In the name of Jesus Christ, we are forgiven! All: Thanks be to God, Amen.**

Passing of the Peace Leader: Let us share signs of peace with one another.

Offering & Anthem *Doxology

UMH 94

*Offertory Prayer

Almighty God, we offer these gifts to you. We give what we can and ask that you bless and multiply our offering, so that our sisters and brothers near and far may know your abundant love and your tender mercy. Amen.

SENDING FORTH

Announcements

- * Hymn "Trust and Obey" UMH 467
- * Benediction
- * Congregational Response Blest Be the Tie That Binds UMH 557

*Please stand as you are able, in body or in spirit. Bold print indicates congregational response. •

PRAYER CONCERNS: Charlie and Ruth, Bob, Erma, Amanda, Dot, Anette, Fred, Lana, Lloyd, Rich, Nick, Herbie, Ken, Emma, Lucy, Bill, those serving in the armed forces, both here and abroad. Cathy and Janet who are in ministry in the D.R.

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Broadway United Methodist Church 2233 Route 57 Broadway, NJ 08808 https://www.broadwaynj.org

Pastor: Rev. Jesse S Ruch Jr.

Worship: 9:15 a.m.

Musician: Peggy Lance

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Port Colden United Methodist Church

64 Port Colden Road Washington, NJ 07882 httsps://www.portcoldenumc.org

Pastor: Rev. Jesse S Ruch Jr.

Worship: 11:00 a.m.

Musician: Mildred Guarriello