St. James United Church

February 16, 2014 Epiphany 6

Minister: Rev. Terrie Burry

Minister of Visitation/MUN Chaplain: Rev. Pamela Jones-Fitzgerald

Minister of Youth/Christian Education: Susan Sheppard, DLM

Organist: Christine Tiller
Choir: Youth/AOTS
Youth/AOTS Choir Director: Doreen Brown

Please remain seated comfortably until invited to stand. Please turn off your cell phone during the Service.

Organ Prelude: Aria tanana Aria Rawsthorne

Welcome and Life and Work of St. James

Introit: Glory to God to Our Church Choir

Call to Worship: (responsive)

One: Beloved, let us love one another, All: Because love is from God.

One: God's love was revealed among us in this way:

All: Jesus Christ came into the world.
One: Since God loved us so much.

All: We are called to love one another. Come, let us worship.

Opening Prayer: (together)

All who thirst, come to the water and drink deeply of these living streams. Come, all who are weary; come, all who yearn for forgiveness. As the waters of the Jordan washed over Jesus, so the Holy Spirit washes over you and me. Our gracious God beckons us and blesses us. Let us give praise for new life in Christ. Amen.

Hymn: *Great Is Thy Faithfulness* 288

Time with the Children

Hymn: Amazing Grace 266

Invitation to the Offering

Offering: Piano Solos Kirsten McDonald

Laura Mayo

Offertory Hymn: Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow 541

Offertory Prayer: (together)

Receive our gifts, O God. May they be used to show forth to the world the greatness of Your love. We ask this in the name of Jesus the Christ, Your

perfect gift and our Saviour. Amen.

SCRIPTURE READINGS

Hebrew Scripture: Deuteronomy 30: 15-20

Responsive Psalm: Psalm 119: Parts 1 & 2

Hymn: Blest Be the Tie That Binds 602

Gospel: Matthew 5 : 21-26

Anthem: Goliath Youth Choir

Sermon

Prayers of Concern

Closing Hymn: Lead On, O Cloud of Presence 421

Choral Benediction: My Peace

Blessing & Sending Forth

Organ Postlude: Riquudon Campra

Ushering this week is provided by: Ushers in Charge: Ross Pilgrim

Greeters: Don Blackmore. Ruth Baker

Ushers: Cator & Jean Brown, Barbara Adams, Oliver Wellon, Betty Pilgrim,

Marilyn Adams