Kindness Inviting Including Friendship Patience
Teaching Helping Listening Serving Hospitality
Playfulness Guiding/Mentoring Speaking Up Supporting
Caring Loving Encouraging Mercy Loyalty Wisdom
Advocating Creating Building Praying Hopefulness
Giving Organizing Leading Learning Problem-solving
Thoughtfulness Dreaming Generosity Other?

9:00 a.m. Worship • January 19, 2025

## Exploring Faith. Changing Lives.

Sardis Presbyterian Church is an inclusive Congregation called to equip disciples of Jesus Christ to impact the world by:

- PRAISING God our Creator, Redeemer, and Sustainer
- **LEARNING** about God's will for our lives
- **LOVING** one another unconditionally
- SERVING neighbors near and far
- SHARING the gifts with which we have been blessed
- **WITNESSING** to the Good News of Jesus Christ to provide hope for the world.

We are honored that you chose to worship God with us today. If you are looking for a church home, we would love to help you explore the possibility that Sardis is the place God is calling you to worship and serve.

# **Worshiping God Together**

† Please rise in body or in spirit.

† OPENING SONG Invitation Song

† WELCOME Beth Williams

ANNOUNCEMENTS Rev. Dr. Allysen Schaaf

MINUTE FOR MISSION Families Forward Charlotte Essential Baskets Carrie Christian and Vicky Hovis

SONG We Are One in the Spirit/I'm Gonna Live

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION Rev. Dr. Joe B. Martin

SCRIPTURE LESSON I Corinthians 12:1-11

SERMON Dr. Martin

OFFERING Beth Williams

† OFFERING SONG Take My Life

TIME WITH YOUNG DISCIPLES OF CHRIST Amanda Hooks

PRAYER STATIONS Dr. Schaaf

THE LORD'S PRAYER Dr. Schaaf

† CLOSING SONG The City on The Hill

† BENEDICTION AND PASSING OF THE PEACE Dr. Martin

Please share the peace of Christ with your neighbor.

## All Are Welcome

**Contemporary Worship:** This service is designed to be an experience that allows us to connect with one another, be challenged by God's word, and be equipped to put our faith into action in the world through an inspiring, welcoming, interactive, joyful, and relaxed worship service.

God's children of all ages are welcome in worship! Children's worship activity bags can be found at the welcome table. The open rug spaces up front are provided for children 5 and under to experience all aspects of worship in ways that meet their developmental needs. The nursery is also open during worship for children 5 years and younger in the Education Building. Ask an usher if you need directions and speak with one of the pastors or Amanda Hooks if you have questions about how best to include your child in the experience of worship.

**Connect:** Please fill out the friendship register on the clipboard in your row or the online connect card.

**Check out** the Sunday and Wednesday emails or *sardis.org* for more events, activities, and Zoom links.

Today's Ushers are members of the Session Ministry.

#### We have several offering options for you!

- Option 1: Make a credit card gift online using your mobile device: go to <u>sardis.org</u> and click on "Make a Gift Now".
- Option 2: Text Sardis + amount to 73256 (e.g. 'Sardis 100' = \$100)
- Option 3: Scan the QR code here to go directly to the secure online form.
- Option 4: Place your offering in the offering plate.

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Thank you for your gifts and support of Sardis Presbyterian Church.

## THIS WEEK AT SARDIS

Sunday, January 19		
3:00 p.m	Room In The Inn	Sardis House
Monday, January 20		
9:00 a.m.	MLK Day of Service	Fellowship Hall
	Church Office Closed	
Tuesday, January 21		
9:00 a.m.	Yoga	Sardis House
10:00 a.m.	Exploring the Bible	Room 210
Wednesday, January 22		
3:00 p.m.	Room In The Inn	Sardis House
7:00 p.m.	Apostles' Creed Study	Room 210 & Zoom
7:00 p.m.	High School Bible Study	Off Campus
7:30 p.m.	Coventry Ringers	Bell Room
Thursday, January 23		
9:00 a.m.	Yoga	Sardis House
10:00 a.m.	Apostles' Study	Room 210 & Zoom
3:00 p.m.	Room In The Inn	Sardis House
6:30 p.m.	Throne Together	Choir Room
7:30 p.m.	Sanctuary Choir	Choir Room

### **Announcements**

**MLK Day of Service for Children and Families & Food Truck!** Join us for a day of service on Monday, January 20 from 9:00 a.m.-1:00 p.m. Sign up at *sardis.org/events*. Food Truck will be onsite from 11:30 a.m.-1:30 a.m. open to all ages and the community.

Save the Date for Sardis' 235th Birthday Worship and Potluck Lunch! Join us for on February 9th as we celebrate Sardis' birthday with one combined special worship service in the Fellowship Hall. We will have gospel music led by Beth Williams and guest music leaders with a potluck lunch to follow. Boy Scout Troop 33 will provide BBQ. Please bring a side dish or dessert to share. Sunday school will meet at 10:00 a.m.

**Sardis Sign-Up Genius!** Use this QR code to access any and all Sardis Sign-Ups.

