

**Welcome to Grace United Methodist Church  
We are glad you are here!**

**9:30 A.M. Worship**

**10:45 A.M. Sunday School**

**January 24, 2010**

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**Invitation and Gathering**

Gathering music, fellowship, sharing with family and friends, announcements.

**Choral Call to Worship 328**

**Surely the Presence of the Lord**

**Opening Prayer**

**\* Opening Hymn**

**I Don't Know What You've Come To Do\This Little Light**

I don't know what you've come to do but I've come to praise the lord,  
I don't know what you've come to do but I've come to praise the lord,  
I don't know what you've come to do but I've come to praise the lord,  
Every day, every day, every day.

This little light of mine, I'm going to let it shine...3x  
Everywhere I go, I'm going to let it shine...3x  
All through the night, I'm going to let it shine...3x

**Children's Moment**

**Proclamation and Response**

**Prayer of Confession: Merciful God, we would rather glory in our gifts, than acknowledge the gifts of others. We hear your call to Christian unity, but cannot get past the slights of our neighbors. We lack the will and fortitude of the ancient Israelites in the days of Nehemiah to listen to your precepts. We lack even the desire to listen, as the heavens pour forth your praise and the day and the night declare truth for all to hear. Open our hearts to one another and to your world, especially the outcast and the marginalized. Amen.**

**Words of Assurance**

**Scripture Lesson**

**Luke 4: 14-21**

**Witness to the Word**

**Pastor Mike Fender**

**Response to the Word**

**Prayer of Thanksgiving: With the psalmist, we proclaim: "The law of the LORD is perfect, reviving the soul; the decrees of the LORD are sure, making wise the simple; the precepts of the LORD are right, rejoicing the heart; the commandment of the LORD is clear, enlightening the eyes; the fear of the LORD is pure, enduring forever; the ordinances of the LORD are true and righteous altogether. More to be desired are they than gold, even much fine gold; sweeter also than honey, and drippings of the honeycomb."**

**Prayer Hymn: 349**

**Turn Your Eyes Upon Jesus**

**Prayers of the People and the Lord's Prayer**

**Offering Prayer**

**Offertory and Doxology**

**Mr. Andrew Salyers**

**Sending Forth**

**Benediction**

**\*Choral Benediction 593**

**Here I Am Lord**