Third Sunday after the Epiphany January 24, 2021

We Celebrate God's Presence

Announcements/Prelude/Bringing in the Light of Christ

*Call to Worship

Psalm 62:5-12

- 5. For God alone my soul waits in silence, for my hope is from God,
- 6. who alone is my rock and my salvation, my fortress; I have not be shaken.
- 7. On God rests my deliverance and my honor; my mighty rock, my refuge is God.
- 8. Trust in God at all times, O people; pour out your heart before God who is a refuge for us.
- 9. Those of low estate are but a breath, those of high estate are a delusion; in the balances they go up; they are together lighter than a breath.
- 10. Put no confidence in extortion, set no vain hopes on robbery; if riches increase, set not your heart on them.
- 11. Once God has spoken, twice have I heard this: power belongs to God;
- 12. and to you, O Lord, belongs steadfast love, for you repay all according to their work.

Opening Prayer

Holy God, we know that you are the God who calls. Quiet our minds and hearts that we may hear you. Fill us with your Spirit that we may be emboldened to answer, to serve and to share just as Jesus set the example. For we know this present world is passing away. Therefore, help us to keep our focus on you, Lord, for true power and steadfast love belong to you. In your holy name we now pray. Amen

Joys/Concerns/Pastoral Prayer/The Lord's Prayer

Prayer List

Bishop Trimble, Rev. Russ Abel (CS), Pastor Chris & Family, Connie & Smitty Rozman, Charlie Greiwe, Nancy Dinnen, Hoagy Wright, Carolyn Giugni, Naomi Melia, Bob Fitzpatrick, Linda Amberger, Ted Hartshorn, Connie Summers, Elaine Wessling, Teachers and Students, Les Smith, Darrin and Trish Woodrum, Matt Litton, Ginny Hartshorn, MacKenzie Kramer, Andrew Murphy (Matt Trossman), Lesa Worthington (Dixie Butte), Rev. Charles Flory, Denny Harmeyer, Anthony Pemberton (Naomi Melia), Steve Brinkman (Mary Kay Roberts), Janice Schein, Barb Schwartz, Mary Linger, Karl Hinkle, Owen Lewis, Jackie Schaefer (Wright), Cody Ryan (Hisrich), Dee Dudgeon, Edie & Wilbur Zimmer, Our Children and Youth, Batesville Community, Safe Passage, People in the Armed Forces, Irene Fitzpatrick (Chateau), Susan Wonnell (Chateau), Betty Schaefer (St. Andrews), Patty McFall (Stutler, Otterbein Retirement), Bill Hisrich (The Waters).

Our Father, which art in heaven, hallowed be thy Name. Thy Kingdom come, Thy will be done, on earth, as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread and forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, the power, and the glory, for ever. Amen.

Hymn "Lord, You Have Come to the Lakeshore" Hymn #344 vs. 1, 2, 3

Scripture Reading Jonah 3:1-5,10

We Celebrate God's Gift's

Invitation to the Offer

God is our rock and our fortress. Let us celebrate our salvation by fearlessly giving a portion of what has already been given to us.

Doxology

Prayer of Dedication

Merciful God, you have saved us for a purpose. We dedicate these gifts as we dedicate our lives to you, that you will make us fishers of people. In Jesus name we pray. Amen.

We Hear the Word of God

Scripture Mark 1:14-20

Message "The God Who CALLS" Rev. Chris Renick

Hymn "I Have Decided to Follow Jesus" Hymn #2129 TF

Benediction

Church Ministers Today

Next Week

Flowers = Ralph & Judi Craig Live Stream

Robert & Sandi Jester

Last Sunday:

Offering: \$2,215.00 YTD Total: \$8,110.00 Attendance: 127 Budget: \$10,056.00

YTD Average: 89

BLESSING FOR THE WEEK

May the God of second chances renew your sense of call and inspire you to go out and share the good news of forgiveness and hope!

SPROUTS COLORING CONTEST

Theme: "What I miss most about church."

Submit your work to Pastor Chris by Sunday, January 31st. Fabulous prizes will be awarded!

"Now there are various kinds of gifts, but the same Spirit." 1 Cor. 12:4

I am willing to serve:		
Liturgist	Usher	Greeter
Flowers(specific date request):		
Martha's Helpers	Audio/Vis	ual
Interested in serving on a committee		
Gifts/Abilities:		
Would like to be added to prayer list: text email		
Directory update info	?	
Name:		