

Worship Bulletin
January 17, 2021
2nd Sunday After Epiphany

We Gather to Worship God

Prelude

Lighting the Candles and Ringing the Bell

Welcome and Announcements

*Call to Worship:

One: The one who calls you together this day yearns for each of you and for all people to hear and be blessed.

All: Speak, Lord, for your servants are listening.

One: Blessed is the One who comes bringing trustworthy words for the healing of the world.

All: Speak, Lord, for your servants are listening.

Morning Prayer

Call to Confession

Prayer of Confession

Holy God, you see into each of us and know us fully as creatures in need of your constant care. We confess that we have neither heard your word nor followed your will. We have failed our nation, neighbors, families, friends, and ourselves. Give us ears to hear your wisdom. Lead us to honesty and faith so that we may begin again with renewed strength...

(Pause for a few moments of silent reflection and personal confession.)

...in Jesus' name. Amen.

Assurance of Forgiveness

Words of Peace

*Congregational Response

Glory Be to the Father

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We Listen For God's Word

Prayer for Illumination

Old Testament Lesson

1 Samuel 3:1-10

This is the word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

New Testament Lesson

1 Corinthians 6:12-20

This is the Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

Gospel Lesson

John 1:43-51

This is the Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

Sermon

Christology and Discipleship

We Respond to God's Word

*Hymn

Christ of the Upward Way

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Prayers of the People & the Lord's Prayer

Our Father who 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 debts, as we forgive our debtors; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory, forever. Amen

Invitation to the Offering

Offering

*Congregational Response *Doxology*

Prayer of Thanksgiving

*Affirmation of Faith

Apostles' Creed

**I believe in God the Father Almighty,
Maker of heaven and earth,
And in Jesus Christ his only Son our Lord;
who was conceived by the Holy Ghost, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; he descended into hell, the third day he rose again from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and sitteth on the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead.
I believe in the Holy Ghost; the holy catholic church;
the communion of saints; the forgiveness of sins;
the resurrection of the body; and the life everlasting. Amen.**

We Leave to Serve God

*Charge and Benediction

*Congregational Response

Song of Hope