

Community Presbyterian Church

Second Sunday after Epiphany 19 January 2025

GATHERING

Welcome and Announcements

Prelude

*Call to Worship

(One) The people who walked in darkness have seen a great light. We too now see this glorious light.

(All) The light shines in the darkness, and the darkness has not overcome it.

(One) We have been called out of darkness. We too now see this glorious light.

(All) Like the Magi, we have beheld Christ's glory–His glory as the only Son of the Father.

(One) For to us a child is born, to us a Son is given. In him was life, and the life was the light of all people. Christ is the King of all nations. Christ is Lord over all creation.

Opening Prayer

Responsive Psalm

Psalm 36:5-10

(One) Your steadfast love, O LORD, extends to the heavens, your faithfulness to the clouds.

(All) Your righteousness is like the mighty mountains; your judgments are like the great deep; you save humans and animals alike, O LORD.

(One) How precious is your steadfast love, O God! All people may take refuge in the shadow of your wings.

(All) They feast on the abundance of your house, and you give them drink from the river of your delights. (One) For with you is the fountain of life; in your light we

see light.

(All) O continue your steadfast love to those who know you and your salvation to the upright of heart!

Hymn (72)

Great is Thy Faithfulness

(1) Great is thy faithfulness, O God my Father, there is no shadow of turning with thee; thou changest not, thy compassions they fail not; as thou has been thou forever wilt be.

Refrain:

Great is thy faithfulness! Great is thy faithfulness! Morning by morning new mercies I see; all I have needed thy hand hath provided, great is thy faithfulness, Lord, unto me!

- (2) Summer and winter, and springtime and harvest, sun, moon and stars in their courses above join with all nature in manifold witness to thy great faithfulness, mercy and love. [Refrain]
- (3) Pardon for sin and a peace that endureth, thy own dear presence to cheer and to guide; strength for today and bright hope for tomorrow, blessings all mine, with ten thousand beside! [Refrain]

Prayer of Confession

(All) God of Glory, you sent Jesus among us as the light of the world, to reveal your love for all people. We confess that our sin and pride hide the brightness of your light. We turn away from the poor; we ignore cries for justice; we do not strive for peace. In your mercy, cleanse us of our sin, and baptize us once again with your Spirit, that, forgiven and renewed, we may show forth your glory shining in the face of Jesus Christ. Amen.

Silence

Assurance of Pardon

PROCLAMATION

Old Testament Reading New Testament Reading Gospel Reading Isaiah 62:1-5 1 Corinthians 12:1-11 John 2:1-11

Sermon

*Hymn (422)

Amazing Grace

- (1) Amazing grace! how sweet the sound that saved a wretch like me! I once was lost, but now am found, was blind but now I see.
- (2) 'Twas grace that taught my heart to fear, and grace my fears relieved; how precious did that grace appear the hour I first believed!
- (3) The Lord has promised good to me, his word my hope secures; he will my shield and portion be as long as life endures.
- (4) Through many dangers, toils and snares I have already come; 'tis grace hath brought me safe thus far, and grace will lead me home.
- (5) When we've been there ten thousand years, bright shining as the sun, we've no less days to sing God's praise than when we'd first begun.

RESPONSE

*Affirmation of Faith

The Apostles Creed

I believe in God, the Father Almighty, Creator of heaven and earth. I believe in Jesus Christ His only Son, our Lord; who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and buried; he descended into hell; on the third day he rose from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and is

seated at the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence he will come to judge the living and the dead. **I** believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and life everlasting. Amen.

Offertory

*Doxology & Prayer of Dedication

Passing of the Peace

Prayers of the People

(One) In Your mercy ...

(All) ... Hear our prayers.

The Lord's Prayer (sins/trespass)

SENDING

Charge Benediction Postlude

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SCRIPTURES

Isaiah 62:1-5

For Zion's sake I will not keep silent, and for Jerusalem's sake I will not rest, until her vindication shines out like the dawn and her salvation like a burning torch.

62:2

The nations shall see your vindication and all the kings your glory, and you shall be called by a new name that the mouth of the LORD will give.

62:3

You shall be a beautiful crown in the hand of the LORD and a royal diadem in the hand of your God.

62:4

You shall no more be termed Forsaken, and your land shall no more be termed Desolate, but you shall be called My Delight Is in Her and your land Married, for the LORD delights in you, and your land shall be married.

62:5

For as a young man marries a young woman, so shall your builder marry you, and as the bridegroom rejoices over the bride, so shall your God rejoice over you.

1 Corinthians 12:1-11

Now concerning spiritual gifts, brothers and sisters, I do not want you to be ignorant.

12:2

You know that when you were gentiles, you were enticed and led astray to idols that could not speak.

12:3

Therefore I want you to understand that no one speaking by the Spirit of God ever says "Let Jesus be cursed!" and no one can say "Jesus is Lord" except by the Holy Spirit. 12:4

Now there are varieties of gifts but the same Spirit,

12:5

and there are varieties of services but the same Lord, 12:6

and there are varieties of activities, but it is the same God who activates all of them in everyone.

12:7

To each is given the manifestation of the Spirit for the common good.

12:8

To one is given through the Spirit the utterance of wisdom and to another the utterance of knowledge according to the same Spirit,

12:9

to another faith by the same Spirit, to another gifts of healing by the one Spirit,

12:10

to another the working of power deeds, to another prophecy, to another the discernment of spirits, to another various kinds of tongues, to another the interpretation of tongues.

12:11

All these are activated by one and the same Spirit, who allots to each one individually just as the Spirit chooses.

John 2:1-11

On the third day there was a wedding in Cana of Galilee, and the mother of Jesus was there.

2:2

Jesus and his disciples had also been invited to the wedding.

2:3

When the wine gave out, the mother of Jesus said to him, "They have no wine."

2:4

And Jesus said to her, "Woman, what concern is that to me and to you? My hour has not yet come."

2:5

His mother said to the servants, "Do whatever he tells you."

2:6

Now standing there were six stone water jars for the Jewish rites of purification, each holding twenty or thirty gallons.

2:7

Jesus said to them, "Fill the jars with water." And they filled them up to the brim.

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He said to them, "Now draw some out, and take it to the person in charge of the banquet." So they took it. 2:9

When the person in charge tasted the water that had become wine and did not know where it came from (though the servants who had drawn the water knew), that person called the bridegroom

2:10

and said to him, "Everyone serves the good wine first and then the inferior wine after the guests have become drunk. But you have kept the good wine until now."

2:11

Jesus did this, the first of his signs, in Cana of Galilee and revealed his glory, and his disciples believed in him.