

2nd Sunday after Epiphany January 16, 2022

ASSEMBLE IN GOD'S NAME

Welcome Rev. Trinity Whitley

Prelude: 11. Andante grazioso from Organ Sonata No. 1 Adam Ravain by Francis Edward Gladstone

*Call to Worship (responsive)

Cameron York

Hear our prayers, O God.

Listen to the words of our mouths.

Surely God is our help.

The Lord is the one who sustains us. We will praise Your name, O Lord, for it is good.

*Hymn 301

Let Us Build a House

Call to Confession

Blair Brooks

Prayer of Confession

Almighty God,

We often look to the words of the world rather than Your Word. We follow the opinions of acquaintances, the popularity of celebrities, and the drive of leaders. We look all around us before we look to You.

(silent confession)

God of mercy,

Forgive us and remind us of Your Word and Your ways. May we build our lives on Your truth, love, hope, and strength, that we might lead others to You. Amen.

Kyrie

Lord, have mercy upon us. Christ, have mercy upon us. Lord, have mercy upon us.

Declaration of Forgiveness

Emily Novin

The peace of the Lord be with you always.

And also with you.

*Gloria Patri

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost. As it was in the beginning, is now and ever shall be, world without end. Amen.

(During the singing of the Gloria Patri, children may make their way to the front for the children's time.)

Proclamation of the Word

Prayer With Our Young Disciples

Vicki Fannin

(After the children's time, kindergartners through 2nd grade are invited to follow their leaders to Children's Worship in Room 206. Parents are welcome to take 3-5 year olds to the playground.)

Scripture Lesson

Deuteronomy 4:7-14 (pew Bible p. 141)

Rev. Trinity Whitley

The Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

Sermon

The Voice: Speaking Through Scripture

Rev. Trinity Whitley

Response to the Word

*Hymn 451

Open My Eyes That I May See

Offering

Listen, God is Calling

Prayer of Dedication (responsive)

Rev. Linda Pitts

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

It is right to give our thanks and praise.

*Doxology

Praise God from whom all blessings flow; praise Christ all people here below; praise Holy Spirit evermore; praise Triune God whom we adore. Amen.

*Affirmation of Faith: The Apostles' Creed

Rev. Linda Pitts

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 at 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.

Prayers of the People & The Lord's Prayer

Rev. Linda Pitts

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.

Sending Out Into the World

*Hymn 462 I Love to Tell the Story

*Charge & Benediction Rev. Trinity Whitley

*Congregational Response Amen Hymnal p. 601

Postlude Fugue in G Adam Ravain by J.S. Bach

The sanctuary flowers are in memory and celebration of the birthday of Janet Waldroup from her children Mary Jan, Park and Heather.

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Thank you for joining us for worship today! Coming up:

(for full details please visit www.faithpcusa.org/upcoming-events)

Face Masks. For everyone's safety, the Session of Faith has requested that we all wear a face mask when inside any of the buildings at Faith. Thank you for helping us care for one another by wearing a mask!

Church Office Closed. The church office will be closed tomorrow, January 17, in observance of Martin Luther King Day.

Sunday School has resumed for all ages, at 9:30 a.m. There is also an adult Virtual Sunday School option. Join Skip Forsyth and others as they read through the Bible in a year. Then hop online Sunday mornings to chat about that week's reading using the Bible Project's *One Story that Leads to Jesus*. This reading plan was designed to inspire and equip you to read through the entire Bible in one year. This plan incorporates over 150 animated videos to engage you in the Bible's brilliant literary design and flow of thought. To receive a weekly reflection guide that corresponds with this one-year reading plan, sign up at bibleproject.com/study and let Skip know you plan to participate (skip0586@aol.com).

Wednesday Night Alive continues this Wednesday, **January 19**. Be sure to make your reservation for boxed dinners from Jason's Deli by visiting faithpcusa.org/upcomingevents.

Sermon Talk Back. Ever feel like you want to unpack what you've heard in the sermon? Join Julianne Clayton on Wednesday evenings at 6 p.m. in Room 110 to unpack how God spoke to you or what questions the past Sunday's scripture raised for you.

International Mission Trip June 4-11, 2022. We are set to return to Panajachel, Guatemala this summer! This trip is for rising 6th graders and older. Space is limited, so register today. Grab a brochure from the bulletin board by the Parlor or visit faithpcusa.org/volunteer for more information.

Sealey Partnership. If you would be interested in mentoring a child at Sealey, contact Lew Shelley, leshelley44@gmail.com for more information.

Serving at Faith. Looking for a new way to serve at Faith? We are currently in need of additional people to help change the marquee signs weekly for a specific month. If interested or have questions, please contact cheri@faithpcusa.org. We are also in need of additional ushers/greeters for Sunday mornings. Full instruction as well as the sign-up is available at bit.ly/2022usher.



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