2nd Sunday of Epiphany

January 16, 2021

10:00 AM

WE GATHER TO WORSHIP GOD

CHIMING THE HOUR WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS PRELUDE CALL TO WORSHIP **Rush Pond, Liturgist**

One: God's faithfulness is as high as the clouds **All: God's love stretches everywhere.**

One: God's righteousness is as tall as the biggest mountains. **All: God's love stretches everywhere.** One: God's justice is as deep as the ocean. **All: God's love stretches everywhere.** One: God's love is big enough for everyone. **All: God's love stretches everywhere.**

*HYMN #461 "God is Here!"

CALL TO RECONCILIATION

Liturgist

Be kind and compassionate to one another, forgiving each other, just as in Christ God forgave you. We now confess our need of grace.

PRAYER OF RECONCILIATION (UNISON)

God provides us more than we could ever need and yet often we are not satisfied: we want more. We hoard and do not share what we have. We keep the best for ourselves, and offer the second best to God and to others. Sometimes we feel we are of little value, forgetting that God has invested God's very best in each one of us.

SILENT REFLECTION

Forgive, O Lord, and may we be grateful for the gifts you give to us.

WORDS OF ASSURANCE Whatever we may have done wrong, when we turn to God, we find that we are welcomed, we are forgiven, and we are loved.

*CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE "Gloria Patri" *HYMN # 579

WE HEAR AND REFLECT ON GOD'S WORD

OLD TESTAMENT LESSON Isaiah 62:1-5 Liturgist

MUSICAL OFFERING

NEW TESTAMENT LESSON John 2:1-11 Rev. Dr. Carson O. Mouser

SERMON "The Extravagant Sign" **Rev. Dr. Carson O. Mouser**

WE OFFER OUR LIVES TO GOD

*HYMN #430 "Come Sing, O Church in Joy!"

RECEPTION OF NEW MEMBER JOYS AND CONCERNS PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

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.

CALL FOR THE OFFERING

OFFERTORY

*DOXOLOGY (tune is Old Hundredth) *HYMN #592

PRAYER OF DEDICATION (UNISON)

Loving God, whose gifts are overflowing: as you have poured out love upon your people, so we seek to give back to you even a little of all you have given to us. Take and use the gifts you have entrusted to us, and which we now offer back to you, that we in turn might overflow with love for your world. Amen.

WE FOLLOW GOD INTO THE WORLD

*CLOSING HYMN #371 "Lift High the Cross"

BENEDICTION POSTLUDE

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*For those who are able, please stand.

- The church office will be closed on Mon., Jan. 17, in honor of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr.
- Deacons Meeting Tues., Jan. 18, 6:30 pm, Media Center
- The Annual Meeting of the Congregation and Corporation of First Presbyterian Church, Baldwinsville is 11 am, Sunday, January 30 in the sanctuary.

Remember in Your Prayers & Correspondence

Ethan Derr, US Marines; Pat Dickman; Barry Bullis Nancy Dobbins, Betty Milstead; Connor Murphy, US Navy; Marion Sleight;

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