
3rd Sunday of Epiphany

January 23, 2021

10:00 AM

This Morning's Ushers: Bob & Peg Brussel

WE GATHER TO WORSHIP GOD

CHIMING THE HOUR

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

PRELUDE – Fantasy in Eb – G.F. Teleman

CALL TO WORSHIP

Douglas Russell, Liturgist

One: The Spirit of God is upon, within, and all around us.

**All: With hearts open to receive the good news of God's good ways,
come we worship God.**

*HYMN "Christ Be Beside Me"

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)

Lord, we like to think ourselves open to new ways and new ideas but we tried that once and it didn't work! We claim to be welcoming and hospitable but ask who invited that person? In our humanity, we sometimes become set in our ways. In our fear, we can be reluctant to break out of familiar routines. In our complacency, we are not always willing to try new things.

SILENT REFLECTION

God, for all the times when we have cut off the dreams, hopes, or imaginings of your reign, we are truly sorry. Forgive us, we pray.

WORDS OF ASSURANCE

Indeed, the Spirit of God is upon you. Therefore, the words of your mouth and the meditations of your heart are acceptable to God, your rock-solid companion and the liberator of your soul.

*CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE "Gloria Patri" *HYMN # 579

WE HEAR AND REFLECT ON GOD'S WORD

OLD TESTAMENT LESSON Nehemiah 8:1-3,5-6,8-10, page 604

Liturgist

MUSICAL OFFERING

NEW TESTAMENT LESSON 1 Corinthians 12:12-31a, page 1398

Rev. Dr. Carson O. Mouser

SERMON "Working Together"

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WE OFFER OUR LIVES TO GOD

*HYMN #132 "Come, Great God of All the Ages"

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 – Fantasy in F – G.F. Teleman

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

PRAYER OF DEDICATION (UNISON)

O Great Dreamer God: inspire us in your ways, that in our imaginings, hopes, and prayers, we become the fulfillment of all that is possible in our world, our neighborhood, this place, and in each of us. Amen.

WE FOLLOW GOD INTO THE WORLD

*CLOSING HYMN #339 "Be Thou My Vision"

BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE – Postlude in London New – Healey Willan

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*For those who are able, please stand.

- Elder and Deacon training will be held in the Christian Education Building on Sat., Jan. 29, 9-10:30 am.
- 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; Barry Bullis; Nancy Dobbins; Bob Lasher;
Betty Milstead; Connor Murphy, US Navy; Doug Russell; Joyce Stanton

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