



## SERVICE FOR THE LORD'S DAY

January 24, 2021

Third Sunday After Epiphany

### WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

### PRELUDE

**CALL TO WORSHIP**- based on Hebrews 1:1-3

Liturgist: Maggie Brockman

Leader: Long ago, God spoke to our ancestors through the prophets;

**People: now God has spoken to us by a Son.**

Leader: God made the world through the Son, who has been appointed heir of all things  
and the perfect reflection of God's glory.

**People: The Son is the exact representation of God's being, sustaining all things by his  
powerful Word.**

Leader: Praise God for the gift of the Son.

**People: We welcome the light of the world!**

### \*HYMN #77

1 Praise to the Lord, the Almighty,  
the King of creation!  
O my soul, praise him,  
for he is thy health and salvation,  
all ye who hear;  
now to his temple draw near,  
join me in glad adoration.

2 Praise to the Lord,  
who o'er all things so wondrously reigning;  
shelters thee under his wings,  
yea, so gently sustaineth  
Hast thou not seen how thy desires  
e'er have been granted  
in what he ordaineth?

*Praise To the Lord the Almighty*

3 Praise to the Lord,  
who doth prosper your work  
and defend thee;  
surely his goodness and mercy  
here daily attend thee  
Ponder anew what the Almighty can do,  
if with his love he befriend thee

4 Praise to the Lord!  
O let all that is in me adore him!  
All that hath life and breath,  
come now with praises before him.  
Let the Amen sound from his people again;  
gladly forever adore him.

### \*OPENING PRAYER

### \*HYMN #358

1 Eternal Father, strong to save,  
Whose arm hath bound the restless wave,  
Who bidd'st the mighty ocean deep  
Its own appointed limits keep;  
O hear us when we cry to Thee  
For those in peril on the sea.

*Eternal Father, Strong to Save*

2 O Christ, the Lord of hill and plain  
O'er which our traffic runs amain:  
By mountain pass or valley low  
Wherever, Lord, thy children go,  
Protect them by thy guarding hand  
For every peril on the land.

3 O Spirit, whom the Father sent  
To spread abroad the firmament  
O wind of heaven, by thy might  
Save all who dare the eagle's flight  
And keep them by thy watchful care  
From every peril in the air.

4 O Trinity of love and pow'r,  
Thy children shield in danger's hour;  
From rock and tempest, fire, and foe,  
Protect them where-so-e'er they go;  
Thus, evermore shall rise to Thee  
Glad hymns of praise from land and sea.

## GUIDED PRAYER

### \*ASSURANCE OF PARDON

### \*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH – Romans 5:1-5

We believe that, since we have been justified through faith, we have peace with God through our Lord Jesus Christ, through whom we have gained access by faith into this grace in which we now stand. And we rejoice in the hope of the glory of God. Not only so, but we also rejoice in our sufferings, because we know that suffering produces perseverance; perseverance, character; and character, hope. And hope does not disappoint us, because God has poured out his love into our hearts by the Holy Spirit, whom he has given us. Amen.

## TIME FOR CHILDREN

Karey Garrison

## ANTHEM

Praise O Praise Our God and King

J. B. Wilkes

## PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE AND 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.

## WORSHIPING GOD WITH OUR TITHES AND OFFERINGS

### Offertory

\*Doxology– Praise God from whom all blessings flow;  
Praise Him all creatures here below;  
Praise Him above, ye heavenly host:  
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

\*Prayer of Dedication

## SCRIPTURE:

Mark 4:35- 41

*Pastor: The Word of the Lord*

***People: Thanks be to God***

## SERMON:

***"Resetting Peace"***

**Reset: Back to the Basics of Following Jesus**

*And he awoke and rebuked the wind and said to the sea,  
"Peace! Be still!" — Mark 4:39*

**\*CLOSING HYMN #519**

*1 When peace like a river attendeth my way,  
when sorrows like sea billows roll;  
whatever my lot, thou hast taught me to say,  
"It is well, it is well with my soul."*

*Refrain*

*It is well with my soul;  
it is well, it is well with my soul.*

*2 Though Satan should buffet,  
though trials should come,  
let this blest assurance control:  
that Christ has regarded my helpless estate,  
and has shed his own blood for my soul.  
Refrain*

**\*BENEDICTION**

**\*POSTLUDE**

*It Is Well With My Soul*

*3 My sin O, the bliss of this glorious thought!  
my sin, not in part, but the whole,  
is nailed to the cross, and I bear it no more;  
praise the Lord, praise the Lord, O my soul!  
Refrain*

*4 And Lord, haste the day when  
my faith shall be sight,  
the clouds be rolled back as a scroll;  
the trump shall resound  
and the Lord shall descend;  
even so, it is well with my soul. Refrain*