

**JANUARY 17, 2021**

2nd Sunday After Epiphany

**WELCOME**

*We are so glad you have chosen to worship with us today!*

**FOR YOUR  
SERVANT IS  
SPEAK  
LISTENING**

## **WELCOME AND INTRODUCTION**

### **OPENING WORSHIP SONG**

### **ACCLAMATION**

Blessed be God: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit

**And blessed be his kingdom, now and forever. Amen.**

Almighty God, to you all hearts are open, all desires known, and from you no secrets are hid: Cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love you, and worthily magnify your holy Name; through Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

### **WORSHIP SONG**

### **COLLECT OF THE DAY**

The Lord be with you.

**And also with you.**

Let us pray.

Almighty God, whose Son our Savior Jesus Christ is the light of the world: Grant that your people, illumined by your Word and Sacraments, may shine with the radiance of Christ's glory, that he may be known, worshipped, and obeyed to the ends of the earth; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who with you and the Holy Spirit lives and reigns, one God, now and for ever. **Amen.**

## **READING OF THE WORD**

### **1 Samuel 3:1-10**

The boy Samuel ministered before the Lord under Eli. In those days the word of the Lord was rare; there were not many visions. <sup>2</sup> One night Eli, whose eyes were becoming so weak that he could barely see, was lying down in his usual place. <sup>3</sup> The lamp of God had not yet gone out, and Samuel was lying down in the house of the Lord, where the ark of God was. <sup>4</sup> Then the Lord called Samuel. Samuel answered, "Here I am." <sup>5</sup> And he ran to Eli and said, "Here I am; you called me." But Eli said, "I did not call; go back and lie down." So he went and lay down. <sup>6</sup> Again the Lord called, "Samuel!" And Samuel got up and went to Eli and said, "Here I am; you called me." "My son," Eli said, "I did not call; go back and lie down."

<sup>7</sup> Now Samuel did not yet know the Lord: The word of the Lord had not yet been revealed to him. <sup>8</sup> A third time the Lord called, "Samuel!" And Samuel got up and went to Eli and said, "Here I am; you called me." Then Eli realized that the Lord was calling the boy. <sup>9</sup> So Eli told Samuel, "Go and lie down, and if he calls you, say, 'Speak, Lord, for your servant is listening.'" So Samuel went and lay down in his place.

<sup>10</sup> The Lord came and stood there, calling as at the other times, "Samuel! Samuel!" Then Samuel said, "Speak, for your servant is listening."

The Word of the Lord.

**Thanks be to God.**



**CHURCH OF THE HOLY SPIRIT**

**A LOVING COMMUNITY, INSPIRING OTHERS THROUGH WORSHIP AND SERVICE TO FOLLOW JESUS CHRIST**

### **Psalms 139:1-5, 12-17**

- <sup>1</sup> Lord, you have searched me out and known me;  
**you know my sitting down and my rising up;  
you discern my thoughts from afar.**
- <sup>2</sup> You trace my journeys and my resting-places  
**and are acquainted with all my ways.**
- <sup>3</sup> Indeed, there is not a word on my lips,  
**but you, O Lord, know it altogether.**
- <sup>4</sup> You press upon me behind and before  
**and lay your hand upon me.**
- <sup>5</sup> Such knowledge is too wonderful for me;  
**it is so high that I cannot attain to it.**
- <sup>12</sup> For you yourself created my inmost parts;  
**you knit me together in my mother's womb.**
- <sup>13</sup> I will thank you because I am marvelously made;  
**your works are wonderful, and I know it well.**
- <sup>14</sup> My body was not hidden from you,  
**while I was being made in secret  
and woven in the depths of the earth.**
- <sup>15</sup> Your eyes beheld my limbs, yet unfinished in the womb;  
all of them were written in your book;  
**they were fashioned day by day,  
when as yet there was none of them.**
- <sup>16</sup> How deep I find your thoughts, O God!  
**how great is the sum of them!**
- <sup>17</sup> If I were to count them, they would be more in number  
than the sand;  
**to count them all, my life span would need to be like yours.**

### **GOSPEL SONG**

The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ, according to John.  
**Glorify to you, Lord Christ.**

#### **John 1:43-51**

<sup>43</sup> The next day Jesus decided to go to Galilee. He found Philip and said to him, "Follow me." <sup>44</sup> Now Philip was from Bethsaida, the city of Andrew and Peter. <sup>45</sup> Philip found Nathanael and said to him, "We have found him about whom Moses in the law and also the prophets wrote, Jesus son of Joseph from Nazareth."

<sup>46</sup> Nathanael said to him, "Can anything good come out of Nazareth?" Philip said to him, "Come and see." <sup>47</sup> When Jesus saw Nathanael coming toward him, he said of him, "Here is truly an Israelite in whom there is no deceit!" <sup>48</sup> Nathanael asked him, "Where did you get to know me?" Jesus answered, "I saw you under the fig tree before Philip called you." <sup>49</sup> Nathanael replied, "Rabbi, you are the Son of God! You are the King of Israel!" <sup>50</sup> Jesus answered, "Do you believe because I told you that I saw you under the fig tree? You will see greater things than these." <sup>51</sup> And he said to him, "Very truly, I tell you, you will see heaven opened and the angels of God ascending and descending upon the Son of Man."

The Gospel of the Lord.

**Praise to you, Lord Christ.**

### **SERMON**

#### **THE NICENE CREED**

**We believe in one God,**

**the Father, the Almighty,  
maker of heaven and earth,  
of all that is, seen and unseen.**

**We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ,**

**the only Son of God,  
eternally begotten of the Father,  
God from God, Light from Light,  
true God from true God,  
begotten, not made,  
of one Being with the Father.**

**Through him all things were made.**

**For us and for our salvation he came down from heaven:**

**by the power of the Holy Spirit  
he became incarnate from the Virgin Mary,  
and was made man.**

**For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate;**

**he suffered death and was buried.  
On the third day he rose again  
in accordance with the Scriptures;  
he ascended into heaven  
and is seated at the right hand of the Father.**

**He will come again in glory to judge the living and  
the dead, and his kingdom will have no end.**

**We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord,**

**the giver of life,  
who proceeds from the Father and the Son.  
With the Father and the Son he is  
worshiped and glorified.**

**He has spoken through the Prophets.**

**We believe in one holy catholic and apostolic Church.**

**We acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of sins.**

**We look for the resurrection of the dead, and the life of the world to come. Amen.**

## **PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE**

In peace, we pray to you, Lord God.

*Silence*

For all people in their daily life and work;

**For our families, friends, and neighbors, and for those who are alone.**

For this community, the nation, and the world;

**For all who work for justice, freedom, and peace.**

For the just and proper use of your creation;

**For the victims of hunger, fear, injustice, and oppression.**

For all who are in danger, sorrow, or any kind of trouble;

**For those who minister to the sick, the friendless, and the needy.**

For the peace and unity of the Church of God;

**For all who proclaim the Gospel, and all who seek the Truth.**

For Michael, our Presiding Bishop, and Darby, our Bishop; and for all bishops and other ministers;

**For all who serve God in his Church.**

For the special needs and concerns of this congregation.

*The People may add their own petitions*

Hear us, Lord;

**For your mercy is great.**

We thank you, Lord, for all the blessings of this life.

*The People may add their own thanksgivings*

We will exalt you, O God our King;

**And praise your Name for ever and ever.**

We pray for all who have died, that they may have a place in your eternal kingdom.

*The People may add their own remembrances*

Lord, let your loving-kindness be upon them;

**Who put their trust in you.**

We pray to you also for the forgiveness of our sins.

*Silence may be kept.*

**Have mercy upon us, most merciful Father; in your compassion forgive us our sins, known and unknown, things done and left undone; and so uphold us by your Spirit that we may live and serve you in newness of life, to the honor and glory of your Name; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.**

## **SHARING PEACE**

The peace of the Lord be always with you.

**And also with you.**

## **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

## **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.**

## **HOLY COMMUNION**

**Celebrant** The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ and the love of God and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

**People** **And also with you.**

**Celebrant** Lift up your hearts.

**People** **We lift them to the Lord.**

**Celebrant** Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

**People** **It is right to give him thanks and praise.**

It is right, and a good and joyful thing, always and everywhere to give thanks to you, Father Almighty, Creator of heaven and earth.

For you are the source of light and life, you made us in your image, and called us to new life in Jesus Christ our Lord.

And so we join the saints and angels in proclaiming your glory, as we say,

**Holy, Holy, Holy Lord, God of power and might, heaven and earth are full of your glory.**

**Hosanna in the highest.**

**Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.**

**Hosanna in the highest.**

On the night he was handed over to suffering and death, our Lord Jesus Christ took bread; and when he had given thanks to you, he broke it, and gave it to his disciples, and said, "Take, eat: This is my Body, which is given for you. Do this for the remembrance of me."

After supper he took the cup of wine; and when he had given thanks, he gave it to them, and said, "Drink this, all of you: This is my Blood of the new Covenant, which is shed for you and for many for the forgiveness of sins. Whenever you drink it, do this for the remembrance of me."

Recalling now his suffering and death, and celebrating his resurrection and ascension, we await his coming in glory. Accept, O Lord, our sacrifice of praise, this memorial of our redemption.

Send your Holy Spirit upon these gifts. Let them be for us the Body and Blood of your Son. And grant that we who eat this bread and drink this cup may be filled with your life and goodness.

In the fullness of time, may we enter the everlasting heritage of your sons and daughters; through Jesus Christ our Lord, the firstborn of all creation, the head of the Church, and the author of our salvation.

By him, and with him, and in him, in the unity of the Holy Spirit all honor and glory is yours, Almighty Father, now and for ever. **AMEN.**

## THE 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 trespasses,  
as we forgive those who trespass against us.  
And lead us not into temptation,  
but deliver us from evil.  
For thine is the kingdom,  
and the power, and the glory,  
for ever and ever. Amen.**

Alleluia! Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us;  
**Therefore, let us keep the feast. Alleluia.**

The Gifts of God for the People of God.  
Take them in remembrance that Christ died for you, and feed on him in your hearts by faith, with thanksgiving.

## COMMUNION SONG

### CLOSING PRAYER

**Eternal God, heavenly Father,  
you have graciously accepted us as living members  
of your Son our Savior Jesus Christ,  
and you have fed us with spiritual food  
in the Sacrament of his Body and Blood.  
Send us now into the world in peace,  
and grant us strength and courage  
to love and serve you  
with gladness and singleness of heart;  
through Christ our Lord. Amen.**

### BLESSING

### CLOSING WORSHIP SONG

### DISMISSAL

Alleluia! Alleluia! Let us bless the Lord.  
**Thanks be to God. Alleluia! Alleluia!**

## THE WEEK AHEAD JANUARY 17 – 23

SUN	17	Holy Eucharist   10:00 am   In Person & Online
MON	18	<b>Office Closed</b> AA Group   6:00 pm   Fulton Hall
TUE	19	AA Group   6:00 pm   Fulton Hall
WED	20	Yard Crew   9:00 am
THU	21	Reunion Group – Cursillo   5:00 pm Zoom Video Call AA Group   6:00 pm   Fulton Hall
FRI	22	Group Prayer   10:00 am   Conference Call Dial 712-775-7035, Code 375658# AA Group   6:00 pm   Fulton Hall

*Nathanael said to him,  
"Can anything good come out of Nazareth?"  
Philip said to him, "Come and see."*

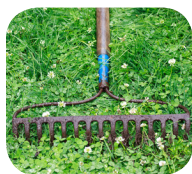
— John 1:46

# HOW ARE WE DOING FINANCIALLY?

Year-to-Date Tithe/Offerings	Year-to-Date as of December 31, 2020
Actual: \$ 129,597	Total Income: \$ 215,196
Budgeted: \$ 136,100	Expenses: \$ 217,085
Difference: \$ - 6,503	Difference: \$ -1,889

**WAYS TO GIVE:**  
In Person • Online Via CHS Website • Mail

# BEYOND STONE WALLS



**Yard Crew, Wednesdays at 9:00 am  
(Note New Start Time)**

Join us as we tend to the landscaping needs of the church. Contact Sandy Kreidler at 365-4246 if you are available to help.



**Reunion Group – Cursillo**  
**Thursdays at 5:00 pm, Zoom Video Call**

This group offers personal time for prayer and sharing of life's joys and sorrows, as well as accountability to Christ's call for

study, piety and action. Contact Sally Allen for details at 413-822-1160.



**Group Prayer**  
**Fridays at 10:00 am, Conference Call**  
**Dial 712-775-7035, Code 375658#**  
**(NOTE NEW TIME)**

Join us as we pray against COVID-19, for our country, and other issues of the day.

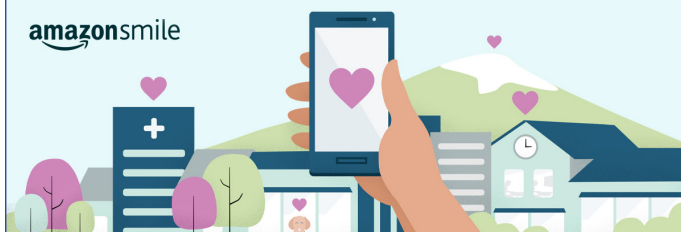
# CARING CHRISTIANS

Want to help others in the community but don't know where to begin? Join a volunteer network that gives you the power to choose who, when, and where to help a real need for widows, veterans, single parents, and the disabled.

**Go to [onechristwoncity.com](http://onechristwoncity.com)**



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## SERMON NOTES

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## THE CHURCH IN PRAYER

### PRAYER REQUESTS & PRAISE REPORTS

*If you have a prayer to be added to this list or you would like to be added to our email prayer chain, call the office or email [prayers@chsosprey.com](mailto:prayers@chsosprey.com).*

Humility for us all. Forgive our pride, Lord.

Comfort, support, and friendship for Vickie in California; also healing for her back.

Comfort and strength for Christine and family as they move her husband to hospice.

Food, empowerment, and provision for Haitian children in the ministry of Head to Head.

Provision and health for Syrian refugees in Lebanon, Turkey, and Egypt.

Comfort for God's light for all who grieve the loss of their loved ones, especially Therese, Karina, and Karen.

Healing prayers for Lily as she recovers from her illness; peace for her and her family.

Godly community support for Amber and Melissa as they live into God's love for them and find healing and restoration for their soul.

Tim and Sheryl to overcome Covid.

Prayers for Susan and her aneurysm. God is good and can fix this.

A job for Jeff and the expansion of ministry with children.

Prayers for Becky and Dennis.

Protection for families near and far away.

Prayers for family, especially Michael, Natalie, Allison and Nick. Healing for Brenda; peace for Ehmilis.

Protection for the unborn, that they may live.

Freedom from addiction and wrong influences for Jessica.

Reconciliation between estranged family members.

Forgiveness for others who've wronged us. May we forgive ourselves too.



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