



Draft of Fishes, Peter Koenig

FIRST
PRESBYTERIAN
CHURCH



Fifth Sunday
after Epiphany
Sunday, February 6, 2022
10:30 A.M.

SERVICE FOR THE LORD'S DAY

THE GATHERING

PRELUDE

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

The Lord be with you. **And also with you.**

*CALL TO WORSHIP

God asks, "Whom shall I send?"

Here I am.

Jesus says, "Follow me and share in my work."

Here I am.

The Holy Spirit gathers each one of us for worship.

Here we are to worship God.

*OPENING PRAYER

Faithful God, you have appointed us as your witnesses to be the light that shines in the world. Let us not hide the bright hope you have given us, but tell everyone your love, revealed in Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. **Amen.**

*HYMN 1

Holy, Holy, Holy

NICAEA

TIME WITH YOUNG DISCIPLES

Patrick Wallace

May God be with you in worship here.

May God be with you in worship there.

Children may depart the sanctuary with their teacher for Worship & Wonder. They will return to the sanctuary before communion.

CALL TO RECONCILIATION

Ps. 138:2

Let us turn to the most holy One and confess our sin, confident in God's faithful and steadfast love for us.

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Isa. 6:5,7; Lk 5:8

God of the universe and Creator of all that is, we admit that we fail to be honest about our lives and in the politics of life. Sometimes we are deceitful; other times we judge ourselves harshly and feel unworthy of your call on our lives. Touch us with your grace and dispel our fear, that we may arise with renewed spirits to serve you, our true Sovereign.

Silence is kept.

POURING OF THE BAPTISMAL WATER

Remember your baptism and be thankful!

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

In the temple, Isaiah heard these words:

“Your guilt has departed and your sin is blotted out.”

Isa. 6:7

God's grace toward us has not been in vain!

This is the good news we have received:

1 Cor. 15:10, 2-4

in Christ's death and resurrection, we have been saved.

Thanks be to God!

*GLORIA PATRI

GREATOREX

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. Amen.

*PASSING OF THE PEACE

Since we have been reconciled to God, let us also be reconciled to one another.

The peace of our Lord Jesus Christ be with you all. **And also with you.**

*SUNG RESPONSE (Hymn 721)

1. *Lord, you have come to the lakeshore looking neither for wealthy nor wise ones;
You only asked me to follow humbly.
O Lord, with your eyes you have searched me, and while smiling have spoken my name;
Now my boat's left on the shore-line behind me. By your side I will seek other seas.*
2. *You, who have fished other oceans, ever longed for by souls who are waiting,
My loving friend, as thus you call me.
O Lord, with your eyes you have searched me, and while smiling have spoken my name;
Now my boat's left on the shore-line behind me. By your side I will seek other seas.*

THE WORD

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

Saving God, source of our calling, your Word is full of power and glory. Pour out your Holy Spirit upon us so that we may receive your grace and live as your beloved children; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

READINGS FROM SCRIPTURE

Isaiah 6:1-13 The Word of the Lord. **Thanks be to God.**

Luke 5:1-11 The Gospel of the Lord. **May Jesus Christ be praised.**

SERMON

“Is it I, Lord?”

Rev. Matt Curry

*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH

1 Cor. 15:1-6; Mark 16:1-9; Matt 16:16; Rev. 22:13; John 20:28

This is the good news which we have received, in which we stand, and by which we are saved, if we hold it fast: that Christ died for our sins according to the scriptures, that he was buried, that he was raised on the third day, and that he appeared first to the women, then to Peter, and to the Twelve, and then to many faithful witnesses. We believe that Jesus is the Christ, the Son of the living God. Jesus Christ is the first and the last, the beginning and the end; he is our Lord and our God. Amen.

THE EUCHARIST

INVITATION TO THE OFFERING

MUSIC FOR THE OFFERING

*THE DOXOLOGY (Hymn 606)

OLD HUNDREDTH

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

INVITATION TO THE LORD'S TABLE

THE GREAT PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

The Lord be with you. **And also with you.**

Lift up your hearts. **We lift them up to the Lord.**

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

It is right to give our thanks and praise...

...who forever sing to the glory of your name:

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. Hosanna in the highest!

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 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.

BREAKING OF THE BREAD & THE COMMUNION OF THE PEOPLE

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

Holy God, we thank you for this feast of grace and life. As we have been served, help us to serve our neighbors. As we have been fed, help us to feed all who are hungry. As we have been loved, help us to love the world—because in Christ Jesus you have loved us. Amen.

THE SENDING

*HYMN 69

I, The Lord of Sea and Sky

HERE I AM

*CHARGE AND BENEDICTION

*POSTLUDE

**Rise in body or spirit*

LEADING OUR WORSHIP TODAY

Preacher: *Rev. Matt Curry*

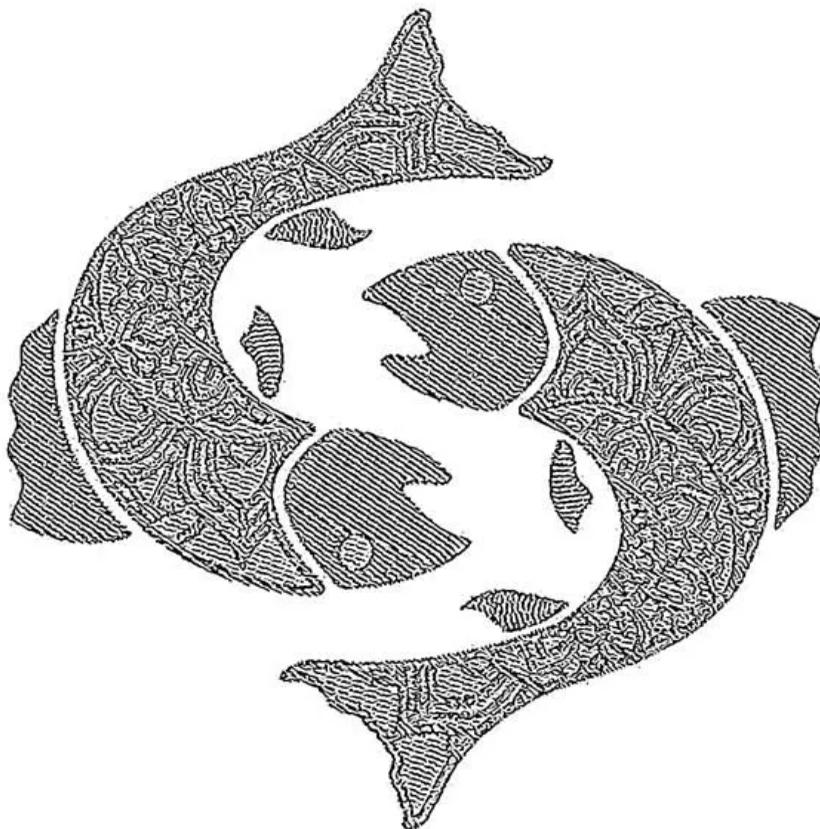
Liturgist: *Suzanne Guyer*

Communion Servers: *Debbie McCoy & Janice Odom*

The Life of the Church

Hearing Assistance Devices are available. Please see an usher if you would like to use one.

The Pastor's Lenten Book Study begins Wednesday, March 9, running through April 6. We will be discussing the book *I'm Proud of You: My Friendship with Fred Rogers* by Tim Madigan. Classes will meet each Wednesday at 6:00pm. Please contact the church office if you would like help purchasing the book.





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the good news of the love of Jesus Christ for all people,
and to join God in the building of a
just, peaceful, and compassionate world.



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