

6th Sunday After Epiphany February 13, 2022 Worship Bulletin

Gathering for God's Word

Prelude

*Introit

#2032, "My Life Is in You, Lord," Sing the Faith Hymnal

My life is in You, Lord,
My strength is in You, Lord
My hope is in You, Lord
In You, it's in You.

I will praise You with all of my life.
I will praise You with all of my strength
With all of my life, and all of my strength.
All of my hope is in You.

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Welcome & Announcements

Time of Silence & Ringing of the Bell

Preparing for God's Word

*Call to Worship

[based on Psalm 9: 6-14]

Leader: The Lord rules forever!

People: He assumes his throne and will bring justice to the world.

Leader: The Lord is a stronghold for the oppressed, a stronghold in times of trouble.

People: Those who know the Lord's name put their trust in him.

Leader: For you, O Lord, have not abandoned any who seek you.

People: Sing praises to the Lord, who dwells in Zion. Declare his mighty acts among the all people!

Leader: He remembers all who suffer.

People: Be gracious to us, O Lord. You are the one who lifts us up, so that we may recount all your praises and rejoice in your salvation.

*Hymn of Praise

#33, "Praise the Lord! God's Glories Show,"

Praise the Lord! God's glories show, Alleluia!
Saints within God's courts below, Alleluia!
Angels round the throne above, Alleluia!
All who see and share God's love. Alleluia!

Earth to heaven exalt the strain, Alleluia!
Send it, heaven, to earth again, Alleluia!
Age to age, God's mercies trace, Alleluia!
Praise God's providence and grace! Alleluia!

Strings and voices, hands and hearts, Alleluia!
In the concert, bear your parts, Alleluia!
All that breathes, your Lord adore, Alleluia!
singing praise forevermore, Alleluia!

Lyrics: Henry Francis Lyte, 1834, rev. 1836
Music: Robert Williams, 1817
Harmony: David Evans, 1927
Music Harm c. 1927 Oxford University Press

Prayer of Confession

[time of silent confession]

Leader: Heavenly Father, we come today desiring to confess and repent,

People: Lord we are sorry for the many times we have walked away from you in order to satisfy our own selfish desires.

Leader: For the times we have hurt the members of our families by refusing to do what you have called us to do.

People: Father, we have sinned. Forgive us.

Leader: For the times we were unkind and impatient with those who needed our time and concern.

People: For the times we were too weak to stand up for what was right and allowed others to suffer because of our cowardice.

Leader: For the times we refused to forgive others.

People: Father, we have sinned. Forgive us.

Leader: Lord we ask that you might open our eyes and our hearts in order to receive your forgiveness and love this day.

People: God, open our lips and hands to share it with all humanity in the name of our Savior, Jesus Christ. Amen.

Assurance of Pardon

[based on 1 John 2: 1-2]

Leader: Hear the Good News of the Gospel: If any of us sin, we have an advocate with the Father, Jesus Christ the righteous;

People: Christ is the atoning sacrifice for our sins, and not for just ours only but also for the sins of the whole world.

Leader: In Christ, we are forgiven! Thanks be to God.

Hearing God's Word

Children's Message

Ages 12 and under gather up front as congregation sings "Jesus Loves Me." After the Children's Message, the children may return to sit with their families.

Hymn of Preparation

#468, "In My Life Lord, Be Glorified"

In my life, Lord
Be glorified be glorified
In my life, Lord
Be glorified today

In our song, Lord
Be glorified be glorified
In our song, Lord
Be glorified today

In Your church, Lord
Be glorified be glorified
In Your church, Lord
Be glorified today

In Your world, Lord
Be glorified be glorified
In Your world, Lord
Be glorified today

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Prayer of Illumination

Old Testament Reading: Genesis 9:18-27

18 The sons of Noah who came out of the ark were Shem, Ham and Japheth. (Ham was the father of Canaan.) 19 These were the three sons of Noah, and from them came the people who were scattered over the earth. 20 Noah, a man of the soil, proceeded to plant a vineyard. 21 When he drank some of its wine, he became drunk and lay uncovered inside his tent. 22 Ham, the father of Canaan, saw his father's nakedness and told his two brothers outside. 23 But Shem and Japheth took a garment and laid it across their shoulders; then they walked in backward and covered their father's nakedness. Their faces were turned the other way so that they would not see their father's nakedness. 24 When Noah awoke from his wine and found out what his youngest son had done to him, 25 he said, "Cursed be Canaan! The lowest of slaves will he be to his brothers." 26 He also said, "Blessed be the

LORD, the God of Shem! May Canaan be the slave of Shem. 27 May God extend the territory of Japheth; may Japheth live in the tents of Shem, and may Canaan be his slave."

Sermon

“Noah: Favor, Flood, Faithfulness, & Foolishness”

Responding to God's Word

*Affirmation of Faith

[The Apostle's Creed]

People: I believe in God, the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth; and in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord; who was conceived by the Holy Ghost, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried. He descended into hell. The third day he rose again from the dead. He ascended into heaven, and sitteth on the right hand of God the Father Almighty. From thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Ghost, the holy catholic Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

Offering

Offertory

Choral Anthem: "Since Jesus Came into My Heart," UBC Women's Choir

*Response

#606, "Praise God, From Whom All Blessings Flow

*Prayer of Dedication

Prayers of the People

Leader: The Lord be with you.

People: And also with you.

Leader: Lift up your hearts.

People: We lift them up to the Lord.

Leader: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

People: It is right for us to give thanks and praise.

[particular prayers]

Leader: God of grace and mercy

People: Hear our prayer.

The Lord's Prayer

All: 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.

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.**

***Hymn of Response**

#738, "O Master, Let Me Walk with Thee," vs. 1, 2, 3

O Master, let me walk with thee
In lowly paths of service free;
Tell me Thy secret, help me bear
The strain of toil, the fret of care.

Help me the slow of heart to move
By some clear, winning word of love;
Teach me the wayward feet to stay,
And guide them in the homeward way.

Teach me Thy patience; still with thee
In closer, dearer company,
In work that keeps faith sweet and strong,
In trust that triumphs over wrong.

Text: Washington Gladden, 1879

Music: Henry Percy Smith 1874

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***Benediction**

***Benediction Response**

#2281, "May You Run and Not Be Weary," Sing the Faith Hymnal

May you run and not be weary
May your heart be filled with song
And may the love of God
Continue to give you hope
And keep you strong
And may you run and not be weary
May your life be filled with joy
And may the road you travel
Always lead you home

Handt Hanson & Paul Murakami (Isa. 40:31)

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***Postlude**

***Please Stand if Able**