

December 27, 2020 – 1st Sunday after Christmas

Prelude

Greeting

Opening Hymn (Instrumental)

Welcome and Announcements

Call to Worship

Liturgist #1: Let us rejoice in God, our Sovereign, whose salvation comes in everyday events.

Liturgist #2: In the face of a child God is revealed. In the babe of Bethlehem we are healed.

Liturgist #1: Let us give thanks with our whole hearts, for God is gracious and merciful.

Liturgist #2: In the food we eat God's love is shown. As the bread is broken our worth is known.

Liturgist #1: Let us worship the God of wondrous works, who offers to enter into covenant with us.

Liturgist #2: in the gift of Christ we receive a new name; salvation comes and nothing is the same.

Hymn (Instrumental)

Confession of Sin

Eternal One, we have neglected to look for signs of your presence, so we have not seen your works. We organize life for our own self-interest, so we have failed to find you in the people and events surrounding us. Our worship is filled with empty words, while our hearts are closed to your transforming Spirit. Even the wonder of new life leaves us unmoved. Break into our routine dullness to forgive and change us. Rename us, and make us whole. Amen.

Assurance of Forgiveness

Gloria Patri

Old Testament Lesson – Isaiah 61:10 – 62:3

Children's Sermon

Hymn of Praise (Recorded)

Epistle Lesson – Galatians 4:4-7

Prayer of Thanksgiving and Intercession

Lord's Prayer

Offering

Gospel Lesson – Luke 2:22-40

Sermon

Hymn (Instrumental)

Benediction

Congregational Response