



LAKESIDE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

January 10, 2021 11:00 a.m.
Online Live Streaming Service

GATHERING

PRELUDE

Les Barricades Mystérieuses
Thom Miles, harpsichord

François Couperin

WELCOME

CALL TO WORSHIP

Rev. Louisa W. Umphres

(based on Genesis 1:1-2; Mark 1:1, 9-11)

In the beginning, God created the heavens and earth.

The Spirit of God swept over the face of the waters;

then God said: Let there be light, and God saw that the light was good.

At the beginning of his ministry, Jesus was baptized by John.

The heavens opened, and the Spirit descended like a dove;

then God said: This is my beloved Son, in whom I am well pleased.

Let's worship God, Creator, Son and Spirit.

HYMN #177

I Will Come to You

YOU ARE MINE

(music for this hymn included at the end of the bulletin)

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

(based on Mark 1:11)

God of all glory, you see us as we are – at times broken, weary, strong-willed and determined to follow our own way. Forgive us, gracious God. In Christ, stoop down to us and save us;

loosen the ties that bind us to sin and set us free to love and serve you; in Jesus' name. Amen.

WORDS OF ASSURANCE

Hear the good news of the gospel: as a voice from heaven said to Jesus, so God says to each of us: You are my beloved child. In Christ you are forgiven. Thanks be to God.

PASSING THE PEACE

The peace of Christ be with you.

And also with you.

Glo - ry be to the Fa - ther, and to the
 Son, and to the Ho - ly Ghost; as it was in the be -
 gin - ning, is now, and ev - er shall be,
 world with - out end. A - men, a - men.

THE WORD**CHILDREN'S MOMENT****ANTHEM**

Do not fear
 Archived recording from 2019
 Chancel Choir

Fred Gramann

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

Sterling Pratt, Liturgist

(based on Mark 1: 10-11)

Send down your Holy Spirit, O God – tear open the veil of heaven and speak to us as beloved children so that we may hear and believe the good news of your Word made flesh, Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

PSALM READING

Psalm 29

GOSPEL READING

Mark 1:4-11

For the Word of God in scripture,
 For the Word of God among us,
 For the Word of God within us,
Thanks be to God.

SERMON

The Rev. Nancy Ross-Zimmerman

REFLECTION

The Baptism of Christ
Recorded remotely by members of our Chancel Choir

Andrew March

RESPONSE

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE AND THE LORD'S PRAYER

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

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

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God. **It is right to give our thanks and praise.**

A - men. A - men.

TEXT: Trad. liturgical text
MUSIC: Attr. Johann G. Naumann, 18th cent.

DRESDEN 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 debts as we forgive our debtors, and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, the power, and the glory, forever. Amen

MOMENT FOR OFFERING

INVITATION TO OFFERING

OFFERTORY

The Work of Christmas
Archived recording from 2019
Chancel Choir

Dan Forrest

PRAYER OF DEDICATION

We give you thanks, O God, for every blessing and spiritual gift you have poured out upon us. Let the gifts of our lives be a source of blessing in your world, all to the glory of your holy name. Amen.

DOXOLOGY

#606

Praise God, from whom all bless - ings flow; praise God, all crea - tures
here be - low; praise God a - bove, ye heaven - ly host; praise
Fa - ther, Son and Ho - ly Ghost. A - men.

SENDING

CHARGE AND BLESSING

OUR BLESSING TO EACH OTHER

AR HYD Y NOS

**May the Lord, our gracious Father, bless you this day;
Give you peace and hope and courage, along your way.
May you stay within God's keeping, in your waking, in your sleeping.
In your joy and in your weeping: God be with you.**

I Will Come to You

You Are Mine

Leader or All



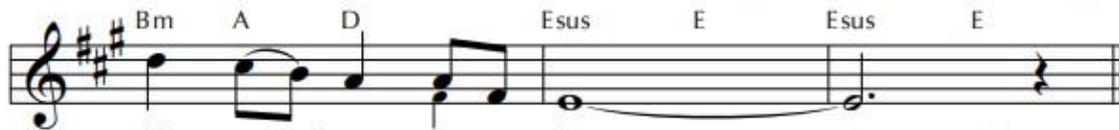
1 "I will come to you in the si - lence;
 2 "I am hope for all who are hope - less;
 3 "I am strength for all the de - spair - ing,
 (4) am the Word that leads all to free - dom; I



I will lift you from all your fear.
 I am eyes for all who long to see. (2) In the
 heal - ing for the ones who dwell in shame.
 am the peace the world can - not give.



You will hear my voice; I claim you as my choice. Be
 shad - ows of the night, I will be your light.
 All the blind will see; the lame will all run free, and
 I will call your name, em - brac - ing all your pain. Stand



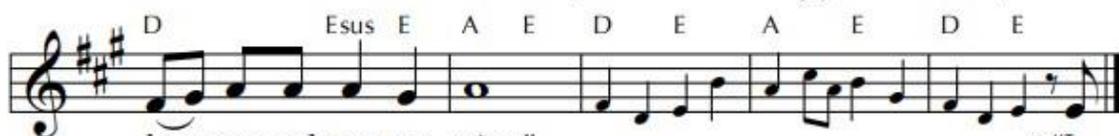
still and know I am here. (to stanza 2)
 Come and rest in me. (to Refrain)
 all will know my name. (to Refrain)
 up, now walk and live! (to Refrain)



Do not be a - fraid, I am with you. I have called you each by



name. Come and fol - low me, I will bring you home; I



love you and you are mine." 4 "I

Presuming to speak in the voice of God, as this song does, can only be done with integrity if the singers understand their words as an expression of what they believe about God's nature and God's intentions. It is an occasion for affirming faith, not for wishful thinking.