SIXTH SUNDAY AFTER EPIPHANY

FEBRUARY 16, 2025
9:00 AM

New Song

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LIFE OF THE CHURCH — Steven Phillips

SONGS OF PRAISE — *Can't Stop Your Love*
Lift Your Head Weary Sinner (Chains)

PRAYER OF CONFESSION — Rev. RC Smith

Merciful God,
your call to discipleship is demanding.
You call us to reorder our lives by
the kingdom you are bringing in Jesus Christ.
Yet we still pass by the ones you especially notice:
people who are poor and hungry;
people who weep.
Comfortable with the way things are,
we are often complacent in the face of
injustice and prejudice.
Forgive us, O God, and turn us back to your gospel.
We pray this now, for our sake,
and for the sake of your world;
through Jesus Christ our Lord.

(a moment for silent reflection)

ASSURANCE OF FORGIVENESS

PASSING THE PEACE

TIME WITH YOUNG DISCIPLES — Tim Walsh

SONG OF PREPARATION — *10,000 Reasons (Bless The Lord)*

SCRIPTURE READING — Luke 6:17-26

MESSAGE — *Blessed to Be a Blessing* — Rev. RC Smith

OFFERING OUR GIFTS TO GOD

PRAYER OF DEDICATION

SENDING SONG — *Dancing Generation*

BLESSING — Rev. RC Smith

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