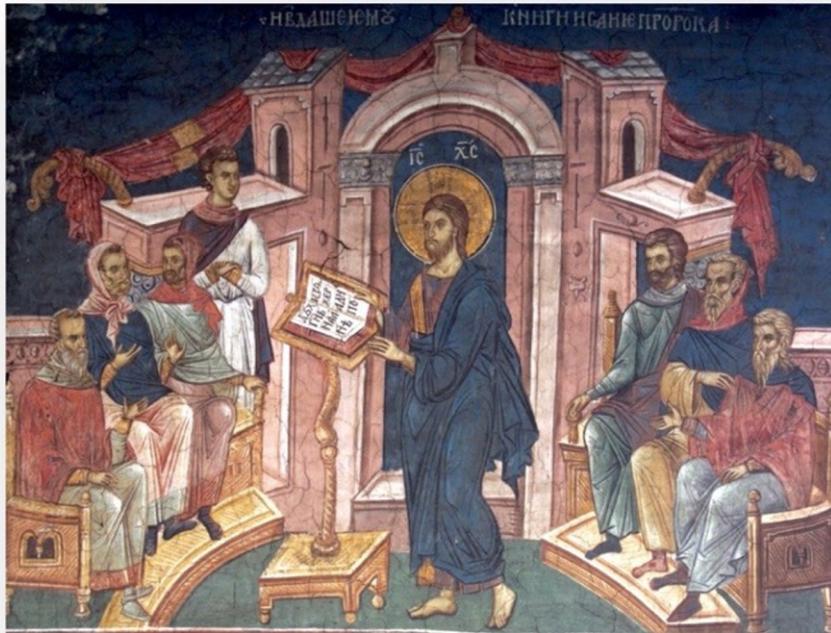




St. Paul's Episcopal Church
Port Townsend, Washington

Welcome to Worship! You may sing,
But please keep your mask on.

The Third Sunday after the Epiphany



January 23, 2022

8:00 & 10:30 am

Welcome!

Whoever you are and wherever you find
yourself on life's journey, please enter and receive God's blessing.



If you are unfamiliar with worship in the Episcopal tradition
simply relax and let the congregation help carry you in worship



God's peace be with you this day and always.

8:00 am Holy Eucharist, Rite I

The service begins on p. 323 of the Book of Common Prayer

We prepare for our worship together with a time of centering silence
Bell – Silence – Bell

The Liturgy of the Word

Celebrant: Blessed be God: Father, Son and Holy spirit.

People: **And blessed be God's kingdom, now and forever. Amen.**

Collect for Purity

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Gloria

Glory to God in the highest,
And peace to God's people on earth.
Lord God, heavenly King,
almighty God and Father,
we worship you, we give you thanks,
we praise you for your glory.
Lord Jesus Christ, only Son of the Father,
Lord God, Lamb of God,
you take away the sin of the world:
have mercy on us;
you are seated at the right hand of the Father:
receive our prayer.
For you alone are the Holy One,
you alone are the Lord,
you alone are the Most High,
Jesus Christ,
with the Holy Spirit,
in the glory of God the Father. Amen.

Celebrant: The Lord be with you.

People: **And with thy spirit.**

The Collect

Give us grace, O Lord, to answer readily the call of our Savior Jesus Christ and proclaim to all people the Good News of his salvation, that we and the whole world may perceive the glory of his marvelous works; who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. *Amen.*

The Lessons Nehemiah 8:1-3, 5-6, 8-10, Psalm 19, 1 Corinthians 12:12-31a *(see pages 9-10)*

People The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Luke.
Glory be to thee, O Lord.

Luke 4:14-21. *(see page 12)*

People The Gospel of the Lord.
Praise be to thee, O Christ.

The Sermon

The Rev. Dianne Andrews

The Nicene Creed *(see page 12)*

Prayers *(see page 13)*

Confession

**Most merciful God,
we confess that we have sinned against thee
in thought, word, and deed,
by what we have done,
and by what we have left undone.
We have not loved thee with our whole heart;
we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves.
We are truly sorry and we humbly repent.
For the sake of thy Son Jesus Christ,
have mercy on us and forgive us;
that we may delight in thy will,
and walk in thy ways,
to the glory of thy Name. Amen.**

Absolution

The Peace & Announcements *Birthday & Anniversary blessings (see page 16)*

Offertory Sentence

**With generous hearts, we respond to God's call.
In joyful hope, we give for what can be.**

The Liturgy of the Table

Eucharistic Prayer II

All things come of thee, O Lord, and of thine own have we given thee.

Celebrant The Lord be with you.
People **And with thy Spirit.**

Celebrant Lift up your hearts.
People **We lift them up unto the Lord.**

Celebrant Let us give thanks unto our Lord God.
People **It is meet and right so to do.**



It is very meet, right, and our bounden duty, that we should at all times and in all places give thanks unto thee, O Lord, holy Father, almighty, everlasting God. Because in Jesus Christ our Lord though hast received us as thy sons and daughters, made us citizens of thy kingdom, and given us the Holy Spirit to guide us into all truth.

Therefore with angels and Archangels, and with all the company of heaven, we laud and magnify thy glorious Name; evermore praising thee, and saying,

**Holy, holy, holy, Lord God of Hosts:
 Heaven and earth are full of thy glory.
 Glory be to thee, O Lord Most High.**

Blessed is he that cometh in the name of the Lord. Hosanna in the highest...
 ...And now, as our Savior Christ hath taught us, we are bold to say,

<p>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 trespasses,</p>	<p>as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, for ever and ever. Amen.</p>
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Breaking the Bread

Celebrant Alleluia. Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us;
People **Therefore let us keep the feast. Alleluia.**

Sharing the Feast

All are welcome to come to receive communion at Christ's table.

Notes about receiving Communion: *The usher will direct you forward to receive bread in your hand. When you return to your seat, you may pull down your mask and ingest the wafer. We are not yet sharing wine.*

Post Communion Prayer

Almighty and everliving God, we most heartily thank thee for that thou dost feed us, in these holy mysteries, with the spiritual food of the most precious Body and Blood of thy Son our Savior Jesus Christ; and dost assure us thereby of thy favor and goodness towards us; and that we are very members incorporate in the mystical body of thy Son, the blessed company of all faithful people; and are also heirs, through hope, of thy everlasting kingdom. And we humbly beseech thee, O heavenly Father, so to assist us with thy grace, that we may continue in that holy fellowship, and do all such good works as though hast prepared for us to walk in; through Jesus Christ our Lord, to whom with thee and the Holy Ghost, be all honor and glory, world without end. Amen.

Blessing

Dismissal

There will be no Fellowship gathering this morning.

8:00 am Worship Team

Preacher/Celebrant	The Rev. Dianne Andrews
Deacon	The Rev. Lani Hubbard
Lector	Margaret McGee
Altar Guild	Team 3
Usher	Jim Richards
Coffee Hour	<i>No fellowship time today</i>

We prepare for our worship together with a time of centering silence.

10:30 am Holy Eucharist, Rite II

For those viewing online, the service begins on p.355 of the Book of Common Prayer.

Prelude Music

Opening Hymn

The spacious firmament on high

Hymn #409

Unison or harmony

1 The spa - cious fir - ma - ment on high,
 2 Soon as the eve - ning shades pre - veil,
 3 What though in sol - emn si - lence all

with all the blue e - ther - eal sky,
 the moon takes up the won - drous tale,
 move round the dark ter - res - trial ball?

and span - gled heavens, a shin - ing frame,
 and night - ly to the lis - tening earth sound
 What though no re - al voice nor sound

their great O - rig - i - nal pro - claim.
 re - peats the sto - ry of her birth:
 a - mid their ra - diant orbs be found?

The un - wea - ried sun from day to day
 whilst all the stars that round her burn,
 In rea - son's ear they all re - joice,

does his Cre - a - - tor's power dis - play;
 and all the plan - ets in their turn,
 and ut - ter forth a glo - rious voice;

and pub - lish - es to ev - ery land
 con - firm the ti - dings, as they roll
 for ev - er sing - ing as they shine,

the work of an al - might - y hand.
 and spread the truth from pole to pole.
 "The hand that made us is di - vine."

Celebrant
People

Blessed be the One, Holy, and undivided Trinity.
Glory to God for ever and ever. Amen.

Collect for Purity

Almighty God, to you all hearts are open, all desires known, and from you no secrets are hid: Cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love you, and worthily magnify your holy Name; through Christ our Lord. Amen.

The Gloria

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1. Glo - ry to God in the high - est, and
peace to his peo - ple on earth. 2. Lord God, heaven - ly
King, al - might - y God and Fa - ther, we wor - ship you, we
give you thanks, we praise you for your glo - ry. 3. Lord Je - sus
Christ, on - ly Son of the Fa - ther, Lord God, Lamb of God, 4. you
take a - way the sin of the world: have mer - cy
on us; 5. you are seat - ed at the right hand of the Fa - ther: re -
ceive our prayer. 6. For you a - lone are the Ho - ly One,
you a - lone are the Lord, 7. you a - lone are the Most
High, Je - sus Christ, with the Ho - ly Spi - rit, in the
glo - ry of God the Fa - ther. A - men.

The Collect

Give us grace, O Lord, to answer readily the call of our Savior Jesus Christ and proclaim to all people the Good News of his salvation, that we and the whole world may perceive the glory of his marvelous works; who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. *Amen.*

First Lesson Nehemiah 8:1-3, 5-6, 8-10

All the people of Israel gathered together into the square before the Water Gate. They told the scribe Ezra to bring the book of the law of Moses, which the LORD had given to Israel. Accordingly, the priest Ezra brought the law before the assembly, both men and women and all who could hear with understanding. This was on the first day of the seventh month. He read from it facing the square before the Water Gate from early morning until midday, in the presence of the men and the women and those who could understand; and the ears of all the people were attentive to the book of the law. And Ezra opened the book in the sight of all the people, for he was standing above all the people; and when he opened it, all the people stood up. Then Ezra blessed the LORD, the great God, and all the people answered, "Amen, Amen," lifting up their hands. Then they bowed their heads and worshiped the LORD with their faces to the ground. So they read from the book, from the law of God, with interpretation. They gave the sense, so that the people understood the reading.

And Nehemiah, who was the governor, and Ezra the priest and scribe, and the Levites who taught the people said to all the people, "This day is holy to the LORD your God; do not mourn or weep." For all the people wept when they heard the words of the law. Then he said to them, "Go your way, eat the fat and drink sweet wine and send portions of them to those for whom nothing is prepared, for this day is holy to our LORD; and do not be grieved, for the joy of the LORD is your strength."

Hear what the Spirit is saying to God's people...

The Response Psalm 19

- 1 The heavens declare the glory of God, *
and the firmament shows his handiwork.
- 2 One day tells its tale to another, *
and one night imparts knowledge to another.
- 3 Although they have no words or language, *
and their voices are not heard,
- 4 Their sound has gone out into all lands, *
and their message to the ends of the world.
- 5 In the deep has he set a pavilion for the sun; *
it comes forth like a bridegroom out of his chamber;
it rejoices like a champion to run its course.
- 6 It goes forth from the uttermost edge of the heavens
and runs about to the end of it again; *
nothing is hidden from its burning heat.
- 7 The law of the LORD is perfect
and revives the soul; *

the testimony of the LORD is sure
and gives wisdom to the innocent.

8 The statutes of the LORD are just
and rejoice the heart; *
the commandment of the LORD is clear
and gives light to the eyes.

9 The fear of the LORD is clean
and endures for ever; *
the judgments of the LORD are true
and righteous altogether.

10 More to be desired are they than gold,
more than much fine gold, *
sweeter far than honey,
than honey in the comb.

11 By them also is your servant enlightened, *
and in keeping them there is great reward.

12 Who can tell how often he offends? *
cleanse me from my secret faults.

13 Above all, keep your servant from presumptuous sins;
let them not get dominion over me; *
then shall I be whole and sound,
and innocent of a great offense.

14 Let the words of my mouth and the meditation of my
heart be acceptable in your sight, *
O LORD, my strength and my redeemer.

The Second Lesson 1 Corinthians 12:12-31a

Just as the body is one and has many members, and all the members of the body, though many, are one body, so it is with Christ. For in the one Spirit we were all baptized into one body--Jews or Greeks, slaves or free--and we were all made to drink of one Spirit.

Indeed, the body does not consist of one member but of many. If the foot would say, "Because I am not a hand, I do not belong to the body," that would not make it any less a part of the body. And if the ear would say, "Because I am not an eye, I do not belong to the body," that would not make it any less a part of the body. If the whole body were an eye, where would the hearing be? If the whole body were hearing, where would the sense of smell be? But as it is, God arranged the members in the body, each one of them, as he chose. If all were a single member, where would the body be? As it is, there are many members, yet one body. The eye cannot say to the hand, "I have no need of you," nor again the head to the feet, "I have no need of you." On the contrary, the members of the body that seem to be weaker are indispensable, and those members of the body that we think less honorable we clothe with greater honor, and our less respectable members are treated with greater respect; whereas our more respectable members do not need this. But God has so arranged the body, giving the greater honor to the inferior member, that there may be no dissension within the body, but the members may have the

same care for one another. If one member suffers, all suffer together with it; if one member is honored, all rejoice together with it.

Now you are the body of Christ and individually members of it. And God has appointed in the church first apostles, second prophets, third teachers; then deeds of power, then gifts of healing, forms of assistance, forms of leadership, various kinds of tongues. Are all apostles? Are all prophets? Are all teachers? Do all work miracles? Do all possess gifts of healing? Do all speak in tongues? Do all interpret? But strive for the greater gifts.

Hear what the Spirit is saying to God's people...

Gradual Hymn

Open your ears, O faithful people

Hymn #536



1 O - pen your ears, O faith - ful peo - ple,
 2 They who have ears to hear the mes - sage,
 3 Is - ra - el comes to greet the Sa - vior,
 4 O - pen your ears, O faith - ful peo - ple,
 o - pen your ears and hear God's word. O - pen your hearts, O
 they who have ears, then let them hear. They who would learn the
 Ju - dah is glad to see his day. From east and west the
 o - pen your ears and hear God's word. O - pen your hearts, O *Fine*
 roy - al priest - hood, God has come to you.
 way of wis - dom, let them hear God's word.
 peo - ples trav - el, he will show the way.
 roy - al priest - hood, God has come to you.
 God has spo - ken to his peo - ple, Hal - le - lu - jah!
 And his words are words of wis - dom, Hal - le - lu - jah!
 jah! Hal - le - lu - jah! God has spo - ken to his peo - ple,
 To - rah o - ra, To - rah o - ra,
 Hal - le - lu - jah! And his words are
 To - rah o - ra, *Da Capo*
 words of wis - dom, Hal - le - lu - jah!
 To - rah o - ra, Hal - le - lu - jah!

he suffered death and was buried.
 On the third day he rose again
 in accordance with the Scriptures;
 he ascended into heaven
 and is seated at the right hand of the Father.

He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead,
 and his kingdom will have no end.

We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life,
 who proceeds from the Father and the Son.
 With the Father and the Son he is worshiped and glorified.
 He has spoken through the Prophets.
 We believe in one holy catholic and apostolic Church.
 We acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of sins.
 We look for the resurrection of the dead,
 And the life of the world to come. Amen.

Prayers of the People

CANTOR

[Organ] Send out your Light and your Truth;

ALL

that they may lead them and bring them to your ho - ly hill and your dwell - ing.

Most merciful God, we thank you for gathering us – in this church and in your name – assuring us afresh that you are with us, and throughout your beloved world. But for many, this world is a dark and desolate place. So we pray now for them and for those with far-reaching authority. May the meagerness of our prayers mingle with the fullness of your prayers, to become as light and truth for all those seeking their way in this world.

We pray for your universal church and its leaders – for wisdom, courage and humility – to be true image-bearers of your redeeming love. We remember especially: Francis, Bishop of Rome; Bartholomew, Archbishop of Constantinople; Justin, Archbishop of Canterbury; Michael, Presiding Bishop of the Episcopal church; Greg, our bishop; Dianne our priest; and Lani our Deacon.

Leader Send out your light and your truth
All that they may lead them and bring them to your holy hill and your dwelling.

We pray for leaders of this land that they will be strengthened and guided in their duty to secure justice, peace, and the well-being of all people. We pray especially for Joseph, President of the United States; for Congress; the Courts and all public servants; for Jay our Governor, for the leaders and Jefferson County and Port Townsend, for Ron, Chairperson of the Jamestown S’Klallam Tribal Council; and each one of us as participants in democracy. Guide us in faithfulness to you, and in charity toward our neighbors.

Leader Send out your light and your truth
All **that they may lead them and bring them to your holy hill and your dwelling.**

We pray for the welfare of the planet and its creatures; and we pray for those – including ourselves – making choices that affect the climate and its health for generations to come.

Leader Send out your light and your truth
All **that they may lead them and bring them to your holy hill and your dwelling.**

We pray for news agencies, social media, and those whose public words give shape and substance to our understanding of the conditions in this world.

Leader Send out your light and your truth
All **that they may lead them and bring them to your holy hill and your dwelling.**

We pray for those without safe or stable homes: for immigrants, refugees, and migrants; for people living in cars, on couches, and on the streets; for children in foster care and their families and guardians. And we pray for landlords and those who create housing policies.

Leader Send out your light and your truth
All **that they may lead them and bring them to your holy hill and your dwelling.**

We pray for those without work, who are underemployed, or who are easily exploited by undocumented work. We for justice and an end to worker exploitation.

Leader Send out your light and your truth
All **that they may lead them and bring them to your holy hill and your dwelling.**

We pray for families that are estranged: by mental illness, addiction, abuse, divorce, political division, and every force that ruptures the sanctuary of our most elemental relationships.

Leader Send out your light and your truth
All **that they may lead them and bring them to your holy hill and your dwelling.**

We pray for those suffering from COVID and all illnesses, and for those who are wearied by their duty to save and protect: doctors, nurses, hospital staff, and emergency responders.

Leader Send out your light and your truth
All **that they may lead them and bring them to your holy hill and your dwelling.**

We pray for those who are in special need of prayers: For those on our parish prayer list. For those living with chronic illness. For those who grieve. For those who are close to our hearts. For those we now name either silently or aloud.

Pause

Leader Send out your light and your truth
All that they may lead them and bring them to your holy hill and your dwelling.

We pray for those who have died [especially _____].

Leader Send out your light and your truth
All that they may lead them and bring them to your holy hill and your dwelling.

Leader Send out your light and your truth
All that they may lead them and bring them to your holy hill and your dwelling.

Celebrant In this season of lingering darkness, may your light shine ever brighter by every message where truth is spoken and truth is heard, through you: our one, true, and holy God, Amen.

*Prayers adapted from those written by the Rev. Eric Stelle, St. John's, Gig Harbor
 Music by Dr. Dennis Northway, St. John's, Gig Harbor*

8:00 am Rite I Confession *(see page 3)*

10:30 am Rite II Confession

**God of all mercy,
 We confess that we have sinned against you,
 opposing your will in our lives.
 We have denied your goodness in each other,
 in ourselves, and in the world you have created.
 We repent of the evil that enslaves us,
 the evil we have done,
 and the evil done on our behalf.
 Forgive, restore, and strengthen us
 through our Savior Jesus Christ,
 that we may abide in your love
 and serve only your will,
 for your people and all creation. Amen**

Absolution

The Peace



Announcements

Birthday Blessing

Watch over your children, O Lord, as their days increase; bless and guide them wherever they may be. Strengthen them when they stand; comfort them when discouraged or sorrowful; raise them up if they fall; and in their hearts may your peace which passes understanding abide all the days of their lives; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Anniversary Prayer

God of tenderness and strength, you brought the paths of these people together and led them to this day. May your blessings continue through good times, through times of struggle and through change. Bless their home, their partings and their meetings. Make them worthy of each other’s best, tender with each other’s dreams, and trusting in your love through Jesus Christ our Savior. Amen.

--adapted from *The Book of Common Prayer* (Church of Ireland)

Offertory Sentence

**With generous hearts, we respond to God’s call.
In joyful hope, we give for what can be.**

*Your gifts are greatly appreciated. On-line giving is always an option.
You will find the “Give to St. Paul’s” button at the top of the St. Paul’s website homepage.
www.stpaulspt.org*

10:30 am Worship Team

Celebrant/Preacher	The Rev. Dianne Andrews
Deacon	The Rev. Lani Hubbard
Music Director	Jennifer Pipia
Lectors	Laurie Neuenschwander David Neuenschwander
Altar Guild	Team 3
Usher	Dale Nienow
Bread Baker	Nancy Steinberg
Coffee Hour	<i>No fellowship time today</i>

Offertory Hymn

O Christ, the Word Incarnate

Hymn #632

1 O Christ, the Word In - car - nate, O Wis - dom from on high,
 2 The Church from our dear Mas - ter re - ceived the word di - vine,
 3 O make thy Church, dear Sa - vior, a lamp of pur - est gold,

O Truth, un - changed, un - chang - ing, O Light of our dark sky;
 and still that light is lift - ed o'er all the earth to shine.
 to bear be - fore the na - tions thy true light as of old;

we praise thee for the ra - diance that from the scrip - ture's page,
 It is the chart and com - pass that o'er life's surg - ing sea,
 O teach thy wan - dering pil - grims by this their path to trace,

a lan - tern to our foot - steps, shines on from age to age.
 mid mists and rocks and quick - sands, still guides, O Christ, to thee.
 till, clouds and dark - ness end - ed, they see thee face to face.

The Liturgy of the Table

All things come of thee, O Lord, and of thine own have we given thee.

The Great Thanksgiving

Eucharist Prayer 2

Enriching Our Worship

Celebrant God be with you.
People **And also with you.**

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

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



We praise you and we bless you, holy and gracious God, source of life abundant. From before time you made ready the creation. Your Spirit moved over the deep...

...And so this day we join with Saints and Angels in the chorus of praise that rings through eternity, lifting our voices to magnify you as we sing:

Sanctus

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Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord, God of pow - er and might, hea - ven and
earth are full of your glo - ry. Ho - san - na in the high - est.
Bless - ed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Ho - san - na in the high - est.

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 trespasses,
as we forgive those
who trespass against us.
And lead us not into temptation,
but deliver us from evil.
For thine is the kingdom,
and the power, and the glory,
for ever and ever. Amen.

The Breaking of the Bread

The Fraction Anthem

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This setting is not used in Lent.

Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia.

Christ our Pass - o - ver is sac - ri - ficed for us;

there - fore let us keep the feast.

Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia.

Sharing the Feast

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Notes about receiving Communion: *The usher will direct you forward to receive bread in your hand. When you return to your seat, you may pull down your mask and ingest the wafer. We are not yet sharing wine.*

Communion Hymn

Where charity and love prevail

Hymn #581

1 Where char - i - ty and love pre - vail there God is ev - er found;

2 With grate - ful joy and ho - ly fear his char - i - ty we learn;

3 For - give we now each o - ther's faults as we our faults con - fess;

4 Let strife a - mong us be un - known, let all con - ten - tion cease;

5 Let us re - call that in our midst dwells God's be - got - ten Son;

(cont. on next page)

1 brought here to - geth - er by Christ's love by love are we thus bound.
 2 let us with heart and mind and strength now love him in re - turn.
 3 and let us love each o - ther well in Chris - tian ho - li - ness.
 4 be his the glo - ry that we seek, be ours his ho - ly peace.
 5 as mem - bers of his Bo - dy joined we are in him made one.

6 Love can exclude no race or creed
 if honored be God's Name;
 our common life embraces all
 whose Father is the same.

Prayer after Communion

God of abundance, you have fed us with the bread of life and cup of salvation; you have united us with Christ and one another; and you have made us one with all your people in heaven and on earth. Now send us forth in the power of your Spirit, that we may proclaim your redeeming love to the world and continue for ever in the risen life of Christ our Savior. Amen.

Blessing

Closing Hymn

O Zion, haste (vs.1-2)

Hymn #539

1 O Zi - on, haste, thy mis - sion high ful - fill - ing,
 2 Pro - claim to ev - ery peo - ple, tongue, and na - tion
 3 Send her - alds forth to bear the mes - sage glo - rious;
 4 He comes a - gain! O Zi - on, ere thou meet him,

to tell to all the world that God is Light;
 that God, in whom they live and move, is Love;
 give of thy wealth to speed them on their way;
 make known to ev - ery heart his sav - ing grace;

that he who made all na - tions is not will - ing
 tell how he stooped to save his lost cre - a - tion,
 pour out thy soul for them in prayer vic - to - rious
 let none whom he hath ran - somed fail to greet him,

one soul should fail to know his love and might.
 and died on earth that all might live a - bove.
 till God shall bring his king - dom's joy - ful day.
 through thy ne - glect, un - fit to see his face.

Refrain

Pub - lish glad ti - dings: ti - dings of peace,

ti - dings of Je - sus, re - demp - tion and re - lease.

Dismissal

*You are invited to enjoy the gift of postlude music
 and then greet your friends afterwards.*

There will be no fellowship gathering today.

Postlude

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