



Living Mosaics
Second Sunday of Christmas
January 5, 2020 11:15 a.m.

Gathering Song #749 “Come! Live in the Light!”

Welcome and Living Our Faith

Passing the Peace

Call to Worship

A new year has dawned and it is ripe with possibilities.

**Now is the time for new beginnings,
a time for a fresh encounter with God.**

God calls us to new commitments and new actions.

We pray that we may be faithful to God’s calling.

Song #150 “As with Gladness Men of Old”

Verses 1, 2 and 3

Opening Prayer

**God of all who wander,
we have made our journey through many deserts
and give you thanks for your light that has illumined our path.
As we begin a new year,
we pray that we may always discern your guiding light
so that we may trek the paths you call us to travel
and touch the lives you want us to touch. Amen.**

Scripture Lesson

Matthew 2:1-12

Pam Wilson, Lay Reader

Message

Greg Jones

Song #666

“O Splendor of God’s Glory Bright”

Offering

*If you have not already done so, please sign the blue notebook
and pass it to the person next to you.*

Communion of the People

Invitation to the Lord's Table

Embark on a life-long journey of pursuing Christ.

We will be open to discovering his truth for our lives.

Receive what is more precious than gold!

We will receive the Body of Christ.

Cherish what is more fragrant than frankincense or myrrh!

We will cherish the Cup of Salvation.

The Great Prayer of Thanksgiving

The Lord be with you.

And also with you.

Lift up your hearts.

We lift them to the Lord.

Eternal God...

The Lord's Prayer

Words of Institution

Sharing the Bread and Cup

This is not just a Presbyterian table;

The Lord's Supper is open to all who trust in Christ.

*When you approach communion servers, please take a piece of bread,
the symbol of Christ's love for you, and dip it in the cup, representing the new life in Christ.*

If you are unable to come forward, please tell a host so that you may be served.

For those who have wheat allergies, we provide gluten-free rice crackers with the communion bread.

Prayer following Communion

Song #744

“Arise, Your Light Is Come!”

Sending

Song #549

“May the Love of the Lord”

*Following worship, please join us in the Meeting Room
for coffee, tea, and fellowship.*

We are thankful for your presence and participation this morning. Westminster has two worship options each Sunday. Our other Sunday morning worship service is at 9:00 a.m., and includes a choir, organ music and a brief Children’s Message. Both services include prayers, singing, scripture and sermon. At 10:10 a.m. we offer classes for all ages.

Our guest pianist is Jane Van Valkenburg, a retired church musician who has served churches in Michigan, Virginia, Ohio and Texas. A longtime member of the Presbyterian Association of Musicians, Jane holds their Certified Church Musician designation and currently serves as Secretary of the Executive Board.

Please remember in your prayers Bill Francis, Kathleen Lowthert, Janice Nolen, Frank Waldburger.

Children are welcome. Yellow worship bags for children are located the chapel entrance.

Pastors: Gregory Knox Jones
Sudie Niesen Thompson
Pianist: Jane Van Valkenburg
Song Leader: Sharon Babcock
Digital Artist: Bob Cox



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