

Prelude Pam Campbell

Welcome & Announcements Amanda Morgan

(*Please stand as you are able)

***Christ's Light Enters**

***Opening Hymn The First Noel #245 Vs. 1,2,4,5**

***Apostles Creed**

Traditional Version

I believe in God, the Father Almighty,

Maker of heaven and earth;

And in Jesus Christ his only Son, our Lord;

who was conceived by the Holy Spirit,

Born of the Virgin Mary,

Suffered under Pontius Pilate,

Was crucified, dead, and buried;

The third day he rose from the dead;

He ascended into heaven,

And sitteth at the right hand of God the Father Almighty;

From thence he shall come to Judge the quick and the dead.

I believe in the Holy spirit,

The holy catholic Church,

The communion of saints,

the forgiveness of sins,

the resurrection of the body,

And the life everlasting.

Amen.

Sharing Joys and Concerns

Time of Prayer

Lord's Prayer

Hymn God of the Ages #698

Offering

***Doxology #94**

***Offertory Prayer**

God of this day and all days! We can only imagine the darkness of the world into which you sent your son – a world that believed that salvation rested on our ability to follow the rules. Jesus came to bring light into that darkness, and into our darkness. As we bring our tithes and offering to you this day, transform them into light for the hungry, for the hopeless, for the forgotten and the oppressed. We will share his light in us! In Christ, we pray. Amen. ([John 1:\(1-9\), 10-18](#))

Communion #13

Scripture Reading Matthew 25:35b-40

Liturgist: The Word of God for the People of God.

Congregation Response: **Thanks be to God.**

Sermon "Finding Joy in Real Life #1" Pastor Kibum Kim

***Hymn of Sending Forth** Go, Tell it on the Mountain #251

***Our Purpose**

What is our purpose?

To provide a place for all to BELONG to our community,

BELIEVE in and experience the transforming love of

Jesus Christ, and BECOME his disciples.

BELONG! BELIEVE! BECOME!

***Benediction**

Benediction Response Let There be Peace on Earth #431

Postlude

Events this week in church:

Sunday, January 2, 2022

9:30am Crusader
9:30am Searchers
10:30am Worship Service

Sunday, January 9, 2022

9:30am Crusader
9:30am Searchers
10:30am Worship Service

Unhanging of the Greens
After Worship



PRAYERS
Please see the Prayer Board
outside the office for ongoing
prayer requests.



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