



ORDER OF WORSHIP

5th Sunday after Epiphany

Sunday, February 7, 2021 - 9:30 am Online Service

Prelude

Call to Worship *(responsively)*

Have you not known? Have you not heard?

Has it not been told to us since the beginning?

Those who wait for the Lord shall renew their strength;

they shall mount up with wings like eagles;

they shall run and not be weary;

they shall walk and not faint

Opening Hymn

Prayer of Confession *(unison)*

Most holy and all-powerful God, who commands all spirits, comforts those in distress, and casts out destructive forces, we confess that we are unable to do your will. We protect what is familiar and reject what is unknown. We admire those with courage but excuse ourselves when we falter from the truth. We forget you are always with us, and with you all things are possible. Forgive us, lead us, and make us new. Remove our desire to follow false prophets, and show us your way; in the forgiving name of Christ we pray, Amen.

Assurance of Pardon

Friends, believe the Good News of the Gospel.

In Jesus Christ we are forgiven.

Affirmation of Faith – Apostles' Creed

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 Ghost, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; he descended into hell; the third day he rose again from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and sitteth on 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 Ghost; the holy catholic church; the communion of saints; the forgiveness of sins; the resurrection of the body; and the life everlasting. Amen.

Time with the Children

Kelli Masters

Preaching Texts: Galatians 5:22-23, Ephesians 4:32, Titus 3:4-5

By contrast, the fruit of the Spirit is love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, generosity, faithfulness, gentleness, and self-control. There is no law against such things.

... and be kind to one another, tenderhearted, forgiving one another, as God in Christ has forgiven you.

But when the goodness and loving kindness of God our Savior appeared, he saved us, not because of any works of righteousness that we had done, but according to his mercy.

The Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

Sermon

Fruits of the Spirit: Kindness

RICHARD MILLER

Musical Offertory

Prayers of the People and the Lord's Prayer *(unison)*

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, and the power and the glory forever. Amen.

Closing Hymn

Benediction

Postlude

upcoming events

WRITE IT FORWARD - A CHURCH-WIDE LETTER WRITING CAMPAIGN

We invite everyone to participate in this campaign. Help lift our church family's spirits and serve as a source of encouragement during these winter days of Covid. Who is someone from church that you miss? Who has impacted your faith, maybe in ways unknown to them? Send them a letter letting them know that you have been thinking of them! Questions? Email Janice Mack at gardengirl65@gmail.com.

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PER CAPITA APPORTIONMENT

Each year Wayne Presbyterian Church is assessed a per capita apportionment by the Presbytery for each member of the church to support the activities of the Presbyterian Church (USA). For the year 2020 the amount is \$30.00 per church member. Please use the blue Per Capita envelope in your offering envelope box or put Per Capita on the memo line of your check to offset additional expenses to the church. Thank you.

HAVE YOU PICKED UP YOUR ENVELOPES YET?

If not, the 2019 offering envelopes are in the church office ready to be picked up. If you would like to have envelopes please contact Ruth Wisniewski at ruthw@waynepres.org or 610-688-8700 x 241.