



Sunday, December 29, 2024

Gathering in God's Name

Chimes

Prelude

Welcome & Ministry Highlights

Call to Worship

Leader: The Word became flesh and lived among us.

People: And we have seen his glory.

Leader: The true light that enlightens everyone has come into the world.

People: Glory to God who has blessed us in Christ. Glory to God forever.

*Opening Carol #22 Angels, from the Realms of Glory

Silent Prayer of Confession

Prayer of Confession

God of wonder, you surround us with signs of your glory and surprise us with your presence, yet we often miss the marvels you place before us. Forgive our dullness and make us alert to the ways you make yourself known, that we might be witnesses to your good news and proclaim your extravagant love. Amen.

Kyrie Eleison 572

Lord, have mercy upon us. Christ, have mercy upon us. Lord, have mercy upon us.

Assurance of Pardon

Leader: People of God, believe the good news:

People: In Jesus Christ, we are forgiven!

*Passing of the Peace

Leader: The peace of the Lord be with you.

People: And also with you.

*Gloria Patri 579

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost;

As it was in the beginning, is now and ever shall be, world without end. Amen.

Proclaiming God's Word

Scripture Reading

John 1:1-14

Message

Have a Defiant Christmas!
by John Shea

Rev. Matt Drumheller

Responding to God's Word

Carol Sing

(please choose carols in the blue hymnal between pages 21-61)

Invitation to the Offering

Offertory

Prayer of Dedication

Prayers of the People and the Lord's Prayer

**Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name.
They 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.**

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*Closing Carol #29

Go, Tell It on the Mountain

*Charge and Benediction

Rev. Matt Drumheller

*Benediction Response

Postlude

*Please Stand in Body or Spirit



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