The Chapel in the Pines

January 22, 2023

Serving our Community by Preaching, Teaching, and Living the Gospel of Jesus Christ,

Third Sunday after Epiphany



The flowers on the Communion table this week are given to the Glory of God by Bart and Peggy Reuter.

The Chiming of the Trinity

The Prelude

Concerns, Celebrations, and Prayers of our Chapel Family

A Reading from the Old Testament Isaiah 9:1-3 The people there who walked in darkness have seen a great light; those who lived in a land of deep darkness—on them light has shined.

*The Call to Worship

Congregations singing...

We've a sto-ry to tell to the na-tions
that will turn their hearts to the right.

A sto-ry of truth and mer-cy, a story of peace and light,
a story of peace and light.

Refrain:

For the dark-ness shall turn to dawn-ing, and the dawn-ing to noon-day bright, and Christ's great king-dom shall come to earth, the king-dom of love and light

To those who sit in darkness, light has dawned. To those who dwell in gloom and despair, God's glorious presence has appeared.

Congregation singing...

We've a sto-ry to tell to the na-tions
that shall lift their hearts to the Lord.

A song that shall con-quer e-vil and shat-ter the spear and sword,
and shat-ter the spear and sword.

Refrain:

God is indeed our light and our salvation.

We will follow unafraid where God and Jesus lead us.

Congregation singing...

We've a message to give to the na-tions
that the Lord who reign-eth a-bove
hath sent us His Son to save us and show us that God is love,
and show us that God is love.

Refrain:

Let us worship our God of light and promise. Let us celebrate the hope and joy of our salvation.

Congregation singing...

We've a Sav-ior to show to the na-tions
who the path of sorrow hath trod,
that all of the world's great peo-ples might come to the truth of God,
might come to the truth of God.

Refrain:

*The Invocation and 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, forever and ever...Amen.



*The Psalm of Thanksgiving and Praise Adapted from Psalm 27

The Lord is our light and our salvation! Why should we be afraid?

The Lord is the stronghold of our life! What have we to fear?

Let us shout with joy to God!

Let us sing and make music before our God.

*Hymn #347 Be Still, My Soul

1 Be still, my soul! the Lord is on thy side; Bear patiently the cross of grief or pain; Leave to thy God to order and provide; In every change He faithful will remain. Be still, my soul! thy best, thy heavenly Friend Thro' thorny ways leads to a joyful end.

2 Be still, my soul! thy God doth undertake To guide the future as He has the past. Thy hope, thy confidence let nothing shake; All now mysterious shall be bright at last. Be still, my soul! the waves and winds still know His voice who ruled them while He dwelt below.

3 Be still, my soul! the hour is hastening on When we shall be forever with the Lord, When disappointment, grief, and fear are gone, Sorrow forgot, love's purest joys restored. Be still, my soul! when change and tears are past, All safe and blessed we shall meet at last.

*The Passing of the Peace

The grace and peace of our Lord and Savior Jesus the Christ be with you all... and also with you.

The Passing of the Welcome Pads

The Call to Confession

The Prayer of Confession

Almighty God,
we confess that we have not been faithful to you
in our thoughts and actions.
We have been selfish in our desires
and quarrelsome in our relationships.
We have allowed fear to divide us from those who seem different
and let distrust separate us from our brothers and sisters.
Shine your light into our darkened hearts.
Save us from divisive ways.
Unite us in the same mind as Jesus Christ
who dwells with you and the Holy Spirit in perfect harmony...Amen.



The Declaration of Forgiveness

The Prayer of Illumination

A Reading from the Gospels Matthew 4:12-23 And he said to them, "Follow me, and I will make you fishers of people."

*Hymn #427 Dear Lord and Father of Mankind

1 Dear Lord and Father of mankind, Forgive our foolish ways! Reclothe us in our rightful mind; In purer lives Thy service find, In deeper rev'rence, praise.

2 In simple trust like theirs who heard, Beside the Syrian Sea, The gracious calling of the Lord, Let us, like them, without a word, Rise up and follow Thee.

3 Drop Thy still dews of quietness, Till all our strivings cease; Take from our souls the strain and stress, And let our ordered lives confess The beauty of Thy peace.

4 Breathe through the heats of our desire Thy coolness and Thy balm; Let sense be dumb, let flesh retire; Speak through the earthquake, wind, and fire, O still small voice of calm!

Amen.

Homily Let's Go Fishing

The Prayers of the People Lord in your mercy...hear our prayer!

The Call to the Offering

The Offertory

*Doxology
Praise God from whom all blessings flow.
Praise God all creatures here below.
Praise God above ye heavenly host.
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost.
Amen.

*The Prayer of Dedication



*Hymn #375 Jesus Calls Us

- 1 Jesus calls us o'er the tumult Of our life's wild restless sea, Day by day His sweet voice soundeth, Saying, "Christian, follow Me."
- **2** Jesus calls us from the worship Of the vain world's golden store, From each idol that would keep us, Saying "Christian, love Me more."
- **3** In our joys and in our sorrows, Days of toil and hours of ease, Still He calls, in cares and pleasures, "Christian, love Me more than these."
- **4** Jesus calls us: by Thy mercies, Savior, may we hear Thy call, Give our hearts to Thine obedience. Serve and love Thee best of all.

Amen.

*The Charge and Benediction

*Hymn Go Now and Pass It On

May the Lord walk beside us as we leave this quiet place For the Lord will guide us if we walk in the light of His grace

May we4 feel God's love around us as it keeps us faithful and strong, For the peace of God surrounds us, and now we pass it on.

Go now and pass it on.

*The Postlude



Prayers for Chapel Friends:



Patty and Jackie Madden, Jack Sealey, Phyllis Mahin, Anthony Tuliano, Janet Hegeman, Ellie Lyons, Maggie Simmons, Dot Cantwell, Kathy Steele, Sabrina Levine, Chandler Steward, Mike Karnish, Evangeline Caliandro, Laurie Stevens, Little Daniel Auman, Koran Sanders, Joseph, Sandy and Ricky Rickards, Father Gary Sawtelle, Val Scantlin, Jamie Raskin, Nick Benschoter, Ur Angie Pinyan, Mary Faas, Israel Duncan, Olivia McDonald, Denise DuLeon, Lerici Racine, Joe Currie, the family of Ernie Martin, and the people of Ukraine.

Prayers for Chapel Family:

George Hoffman, Bud Holzerland, Mary Kay Allen, Nancee Letter, Charles Hinson, Jane and Jeff Lowe, Dave Westerman, Meta Evans, Joan Tourt, Ralph Olson, Bill and JoAn Moses, Marilyn McCaskill, Mama Dot Riggins, Tamara Lee, Jon Tichenor, Daisy Kirit, Phyllis Alexander, Dick Weber, Tim and RJ Peppe.

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January Announcements

Sunday-January 22	Mary Tuft
Thursday-January 26	Ken Geddes
Saturday-January 28	Jason Collins
Sunday-January 29	Katie Olson

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1-29	Volunteer Needed
	<u>February</u>
2-5	Bruce & Vickie Bedder

2-12 Volunteer Needed2-19 Volunteer Needed2-26 Volunteer Needed

<u>Looking Ahead!</u>

Sunday-January 29	9:00 am	Fourth Sunday after Epiphany
Thursday-February 2	2:30 pm	Fran's Friends
Sunday-February 5	9:00 am	Fifth Sunday after Epiphany
Monday-February 6	4:15 pm	Worship Team
Friday-February 10	10:00 am	Mission Team
Sunday-February 12	9:00 am	Sixth Sunday after Epiphany
		Chapel Board Meeting
Sunday-February 19	9:00 am	Seventh Sunday after Epiphany

**Please notify Church Administrator for events to be added to the Chapel in the Pines calendar to assure availability of dates and times.



Coffee Fellowship

	<u>January</u>
1-29	Joyce Singletary
	February

Worship 2-5 Bruce & Vickie Bedder 2-12 Volunteer Needed

2-19 Volunteer Needed**2-26** Volunteer Needed



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<u>Worshíp Team</u>

	<u>January</u>
1-29	Alice and Leslie
	<u>February</u>
2-5	L.B. and Katy
2-12	Lee and Mary
2-19	Daisy and Leslie (HC)
2-26	Ash Wednesday
	Alice and Katy
2-26	L.B. and Marilyn

OPERATIING INCOME	Budget	Year End
Collection Plate	\$ 6,000.00	\$ 15,247.71
Pledges Checks & Cash	\$ 170,000.00	\$ 167,339.85
Member Checks & Cash	\$ 6,000.00	\$ 17,005.00
Other General Offering	\$ 3,000.00	\$ 1,105.00
OFFERINGS TOTAL	\$ 185,000.00	\$ 200,697.56
Facillities Fees	\$ 4,000.00	\$ 5,105.00
Special Events	\$ 2,500.00	\$ 860.00
Pastor Discretionary Acct	\$ 500.00	\$ 890.00
Bldg Donations	\$; - ;	\$ 7,880.00
Flowers	\$ 250.00	\$ 329.00
Christian Education	\$ 1,500.00	\$ 275.00
Bequests/Memorials	\$ 2,500.00	\$ 3,750.00
Refunds/Miscellaneous	\$ 250.00	\$ 282.37
OTHER INCOME TOTAL	\$ 11,500.00	\$ 19,371.37
OPERATING INCOME TOTAL	\$ 196,500.00	\$ 220,068.93

OPERATING EXPENSES		Budget	Year End	
Total Compensation	\$	140,000.00	\$	142,311.81
Payroll Tax/Expenses	\$	21,000.00	\$	22,283.76
Pastor Discretionary	\$	2,000.00	\$	890.00
Ministry Supplies	\$	2,000.00	\$	3,313.57
Fellowship/Membership	\$	10,000.00	\$	35.60
Building & Grounds	\$	20,000.00	\$	36,277.74
Insurance	\$	8,000.00	\$	8,068.50
Admin/Office/Equip	\$	5,000.00	\$	8,236.65
Sales Tax	\$	400.00	\$	768.42
Misc. Expenses/Bank Charge	\$	100.00	\$	410.88
Special Events	\$	500.00	\$	2,362.71
Flowers	\$	75.00	\$	376.33
Advertising/Promotion	\$	10,000.00	\$	1,458.00
Christian Education/Mem. Scholarship	\$	1,000.00	\$	1,757.22
OPERATING EXPENSES TOTAL	Ś	220.075.00	Ś	228.551.19

		Budget		Year End		Budget	Y	ear End	
MONEY MKTS		INCOME		INCOME		EXPENSE		EXPENSE	
Cemetery	\$	14,600.00	\$	31,200.00	\$	13,250.00	\$	13,552.17	
BANK INTEREST INCOME	\$	125.00	\$	98.10	\$	<u> </u>	\$	=	
MONEY MKTS TOTAL	\$	14,725.00	\$	31,298.10	\$	13,250.00	\$	13,552.17	
MISSION	INCOME			INCOME	EXPENSE		EXPENSE		
Mission Income	\$	2,500.00	\$	14,607.76	\$	2,500.00	\$	18,876.84	
MISSION TOTAL	Ś	2.500.00	Ś	14.607.76	Ś	2.500.00	Ś	18.876.84	