

The Service for the Lord's Day

January 16, 2022 | 8:45 am

GATHERING OF GOD'S PEOPLE

PRELUDE *Before Dawn* | Ola Gjeilo

INTROIT *Renew Us* | David Lantz III

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

***CALL TO WORSHIP** (unison)

Your steadfast love, O LORD, extends to the heavens,
your faithfulness to the clouds.

Your righteousness is like the mighty mountains,
your judgments are like the great deep;
you save humans and animals alike, O LORD.

How precious is your steadfast love, O God!

All people may take refuge in the shadow of your wings.

They feast on the abundance of your house,

and you give them drink from the river of your delights.

For with you is the fountain of life; in your light we see light.

O continue your steadfast love to those who know you,
and your salvation to the upright of heart!

***HYMN SB 14** *Morningstar* | Mary Susan Gast

***PRAYER OF CONFESSION**

Holy and merciful God, in your presence we confess our
sinfulness, our shortcomings, and our offenses against you.

You alone know how often we have sinned in wandering
from your ways, in wasting your gifts, in forgetting your
love. Have mercy on us, O Lord, for we are ashamed and
sorry for all we have done to displease you. Forgive our
sins, and help us to live in your light, and walk in your ways,
for the sake of Jesus Christ our Savior. Amen.

***ASSURANCE OF PARDON**

***PASSING OF THE PEACE**

***CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE 76**

Do Not Be Afraid (refrain) | ISAIAH

Do not be afraid, for I am with you.

Chosen and beloved, you are my own.

**Do not be afraid, for I have redeemed you:
by your name I called you for my own.**

PROCLAIMING THE GOSPEL

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

SERMON TEXT John 2:1-11

TIME WITH CHILDREN

ANTHEM *Come Build a Church* | Ken Medema

SERMON *Do You Believe in Miracles?* |
The Rev. Dr. John H. Bell, Jr.

RESPONDING IN GRATITUDE

***AFFIRMATION OF FAITH** *The 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.

***HYMN 702** *Christ Be Beside Me* | BUNESSAN

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE AND THE 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 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.

CALL FOR TITHES AND OFFERINGS

OFFERTORY *Beautiful Things* | Michael and Lisa Gungor

***PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING**

SENDING FROM WORSHIP TO SERVICE

***HYMN SB 17** *Go Out Now In Peace* | Margie Annis

***CHARGE**

***BENEDICTION**

***POSTLUDE** *Duménica (Sunday)* | Patrick Lee

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The Rev. Katie Robb Davis, Associate Pastor

The Rev. Julia Fenn, Parish Associate

Christine Gaudreau, Director of Music and Worship Arts

Patrick Lee, Pianist

Celebration Singers, Tegan Palmer, Director

Confluence William Perkins, John Ruby, Paul Day-Lucore

Sara Michael, Delci Lutes, Brendan Schuster and Karl Allen, vocalists

Steve Cearley, Don Harlacher, and Bill Davis, Production

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***HYMN 662** *Christ Whose Glory Fills the Skies* | RATISBON

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FIRST READING Isaiah 62:1-5

SECOND READING 1 Corinthians 12:1-11

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ANTHEM *The Work of Christmas* | Dan Forrest

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***HYMN 514** *Soul, Adorn Thyself With Gladness* |
SCHMÜCKE DICH

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CALL FOR TITHES AND OFFERINGS

OFFERTORY *Schmücke dich, o liebe Seele*

(Soul, Adorn Thyself With Gladness) opus 122 #5 |
Johannes Brahms

***PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING**

SENDING FROM WORSHIP TO SERVICE

***HYMN 193** *Jesus Take Us to the Mountain* |
UNSER HERRSCHER

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***BENEDICTION**

***POSTLUDE** *Unser Herrscher (Our Lord)* | Helmut Walcha

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We'd Love to be in Touch!

If this is your first visit or you need to update your contact information, please fill in this form. Tear off this panel and place it in the offering plate.

Name(s) _____

Email _____

Phone _____

Comment _____

Please add my email address to the weekly eNewsletter list.

OR, point your smartphone camera at the QR code to the right and fill out the short Visitor Information Form. We would love to stay in touch with you!



CALENDAR

- JAN 23** Membership Exploration Class
- JAN 30** Used Book Sale
- FEB 13** Youth Sunday
- MAR 2** Ash Wednesday
- MAR 6** First Sunday in Lent
- APR 17** Easter Sunday

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

Adult Sunday School Classes: 9:45—10:45 am

Abide in Jesus: Room 207: Explore the tools and practices of nurturing faith through discussions based on John Ortberg's YouTube videos "Passage to Wisdom". Discussions led by Beverly Granath.

Clif's Notes: The Book of Revelation Room 206: What does Revelation say about the times we're living in, and God's power in the face of our fear and uncertainty?

The Difficult Words of Jesus. Room 208. Beginning TODAY, January 16. Author/scholar/teacher Dr. Amy-Jill Levine calls us to "'wrestle' with some of Jesus's more confusing, controversial, and historically damage-inflicting words as recorded in the Gospels." Class Facilitator: Rita Stagg. Books are available but not required.

Children's Sunday School

Children, toddler through 5th grade meet downstairs in their classrooms from 9:45-10:15 am, followed by choir practice from 10:15-10:45 am.

Membership Exploration Class

Membership at Wellshire is open to ALL who affirm faith in Jesus Christ! Join the pastors for coffee and an informal information session and get-to-know-you. Sunday, January 23 at 9:45. Those interested in this formal commitment would join in worship on Sunday, January 30. Contact: Rev. Katie Robb Davis at krobbdavis@wpcdenver.org.

Used Book Sale

Mark your calendar for our used book sale on Sunday, January 30. Donations of used books may be left in the church library with a note designating their purpose.

Cleaning Supply Donations

In January we are collecting cleaning supplies for Family Homestead, which provides transitional housing for families experiencing homelessness. Family Homestead offers families a stable environment in private apartments while working with them to resolve the issues that led to homelessness. Needed supplies include dishwashing liquid, scrubby sponges, all-purpose cleaner, brooms and dustpans, mops, and buckets.

The Fair Shake Shoppe, located in the Narthex, is open today between services and for 30 minutes after the late service.

Women's Bean Project and SERRV gift items are available. Cash or check only please.



JANUARY 16, 2022

