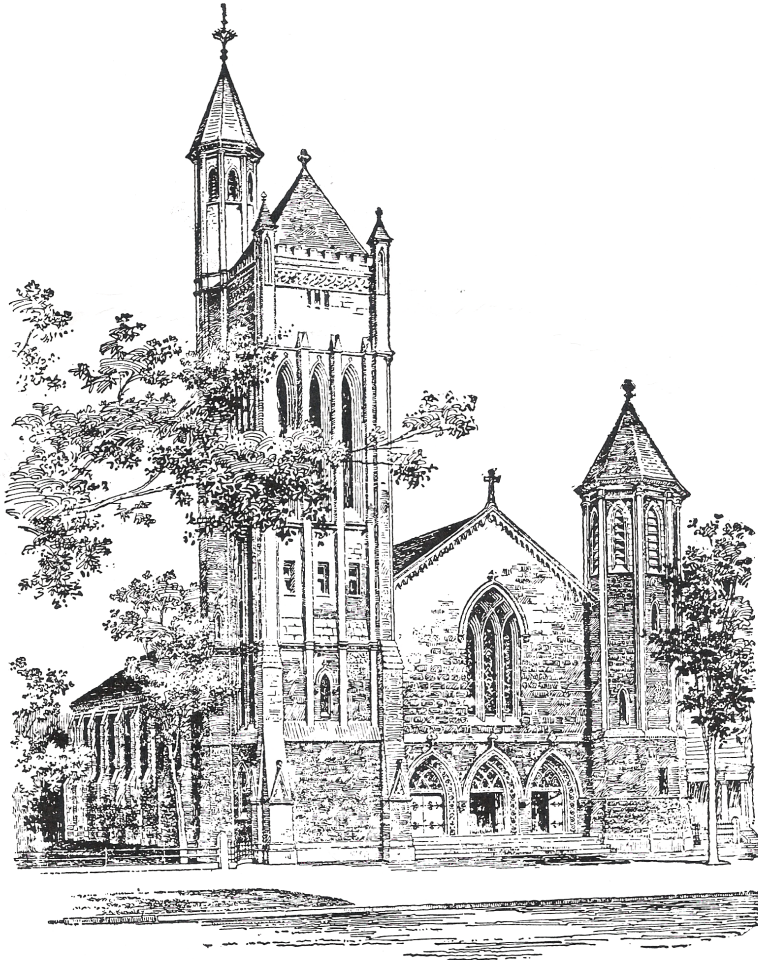


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An Open and Affirming Church

January 28, 2024



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Fourth Sunday after Epiphany

January 28, 2024

Prelude

"What Troubles You, My Heart?"

S. Scheidt

Greetings, Introductions, and Announcements

A Moment of Silence

*Opening Hymn No.55

"Rejoice, You Pure in Heart"

MARION

*Call to Worship (from Psalm 111 and Deuteronomy 18: 15-20)

Liturgist Dominique Gabel

One: We come to worship...

Many: Giving thanks with whole hearts...

One: In the company of this congregation.

Many: We worship the One who is gracious and merciful...

One: Holy and awesome is God's name!

Many: Let us worship God together!

*Invocation (unison)

Holy God, holy, gracious, and merciful we gather mindful of your covenant with us and all creation, we gather mindful of your wonderful deeds and your powerful work among us. Grant that we may be joined with all your creation in praising you in the name of the One who was, and is, and is to come. Amen.

Lighting of the Peace Candle

Peace Will Come One Day

Joe Utterback

Peace will come one day and all the world will

sing: a song of new be - gin - nings, for

war will be no more. All the years lie

heav - y through our time of pain. Oh,

soon, sweet Peace, oh come!

Time for Children

Scripture

Hebrew Scripture: : Psalm 111 (from "Psalms for Praying" by Nan Merrill)
(pew Bible pg. 622)
Christian Scripture: Mark 1:14-20 (pew Bible pg. 35)

This Morning's Sermon

Pastor Bryan S. Breault

*Hymn No. 175

"O Christ, the Healer, We Have Come"

KENTRIDGE

The Prayers

Joys and Concerns

Silence

Pastoral Prayer

Lord's Prayer

Our Father, Mother, Parent, 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.

Offering

Invitation

Offertory

"Sing to the Lord a New Song"

H. Hopson
Eli Dale, soloist

*Doxology

Praise God from whom all blessings flow.

Praise God all creatures here below.

Praise God above all heavenly hosts,

Creator, Christ and Holy Ghost. Amen.

*Prayer of Thanksgiving

*Closing Hymn No. 173 "You Have Come down to the Lakeshore" PESCADOR DE
HOMBRES

*Benediction

Postlude

Netherlands Folk Song

S. Scheidt

Sitting for the postlude is voluntary. If you so choose, please feel free to leave the sanctuary quietly.

**Please join us in the Chapel Hall for a time of
fellowship and refreshment.**

Thank you to our worship leaders, Deacons Eunice Bentley, Debra Yoo and Nor Dale, our usher Katy Rand, today's kitchen crew, Mary Buteyn and Barry Hosmer, our liturgist Dominique Gabel, our live streaming team member, Denny Barrantes, kids church leaders Camy Barrantes and Natalie Rand, and our organist Meg Williams.

Sun. January 28

9:00 a.m. Choir rehearsal
10:00 a.m. Worship Service

Weds. January 31

7:00 p.m. No More Tears Meeting

Tues. January 30

7:00 p.m. Share and Live Meeting

Sun. February 4

9:00 a.m. Choir rehearsal
10:00 a.m. Worship Service

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