

### **For Prayer & Contemplation**

Let justice roll down like waters, and righteousness like an everlasting stream.

### **Welcome & Sharing Information**

**Prelude** "O God in Whom All Life Begins" – arr. Thorne

### **Call to Worship**

Our help is in the name of the Lord who made heaven,  
Come let us worship God.

\***Hymn No. 308** "O God in Whom All Life Begins"

### **Prayer of Confession**

Almighty God, Who art rich in mercy to all those who call upon thee; have mercy upon us most merciful God and grant us peace and newness of life.

### **Moment of Silence**

### **Words of Assurance**

Assurance of Pardon Almighty God, We thank you for your redeeming grace remitting all of our sins and cleansing us through your Son Jesus Christ. Amen  
**All: In Jesus Christ, we are forgiven.**

\***Hymn No. 581** "Glory Be to the Father"  
"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, amen."

### **\*Passing of Peace**

One: May the Peace of Christ be with you.  
**All: And also, with you.**

**Anthem** "Christ Has Broken Down the Wall" – Miller  
Sanctuary Choir

### **Time with Children** (Dismissal to Sunday School)

Pastor: It is time for you to depart.  
**Adults: God be with you there.**  
**Children: God be with you here.**

### **Scripture**

1<sup>st</sup> Reading: *Psalm 23: 1-6*  
**Old Testament** PG 501, **Large Print** 617  
2<sup>nd</sup> Reading: *Acts 9: 1-9*  
**New Testament** PG 127, **Large Print** 154-155

**Sermon** "Can we have a new vision?" – Rev. Floyd White III

\***Affirmation of Faith** (*Apostle's Creed*)

**I believe in God, the Father, almighty, creator of heaven and earth.**

**I believe in Jesus Christ, God's only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried; he descended to the dead. On the third day he rose again; he ascended into heaven, he is seated at the right hand of the Father, and he will come to judge the living and the dead...**

**I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.**

### **Invitation to Offering**

### **Offertory**

\***Doxology No. 606** "Praise God...All Blessings Flow"  
"Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; Praise Him all creatures here below. Praise Him above ye heavenly host; Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost. Amen."

### \***Unison Prayer of Dedication**

**It is humbling, Lord, that you trust us enough to depend on our gifts to build your Kingdom. May we live up to the responsibility you have given us, giving glory to you with all our gifts. Amen**

### **The Prayers of the People**

*Jason, Tina, Joan Wagner, Nic Albadine, Erin Fitzpatrick, Meg Yanefski, Sara Crispin, Jim Taylor, David, William Loeb, Rachael Lodholz, Aaron Hill, Douglas Hoffman, Jason Bell, Greer and Graham, Marta, The Family of Dot Clay, Rev. Bruce Gillette, Bonnie MacGibeny, Harrison Gianfortune, Jane Sheridan, Family of Bill Herzer, Nick, Sandra, John Polhamus, Maureen St. John, Roxanne Somers, Terri D'Onofrio, The Family of Mike Savage, Terri Savage, The Family of Beryl Kane, Harry, Guy Williams*

### **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.**

\***Hymn No. 66** "Every Time I Feel the Spirit"

### \***Benediction**

\***Benediction Hymn No. 62** "Love the Lord Your God"  
"Love the Lord your God with all your heart.  
Love the Lord your God with all your soul.  
Love the Lord your God with all your mind.  
Love the Lord your God with all that you are."

**Postlude** "Improvisation on 'We Shall Overcome'"  
– arr. Haywood

\*\*\*\*\* \*\*\*\*\* *Please stand as you are able.* \*\*\*\*\*



# JANUARY



*Thank you to our Worship Servers*

<b>Ushers</b>	Dave Nicastro & Darlene Powell
<b>Liturgist</b>	Sue Hummel
<b>Acolyte</b>	Emory Wichart



### Music Notes

Today's prelude is David Thorne's 2014 setting of the hymn tune "Noel," originally written in 1874 by Arthur Sullivan. The anthem is a powerful theological testament by Mark A. Miller, Composer in Residence at Drew University in Madison NJ, Lecturer in the Practice of Sacred Music at Yale University, and Minister of Music at Christ Church in Summit, NJ. The postlude is Carl W. Haywood's 2012 arrangement of the Civil Rights anthem, "We Shall Overcome." We thank the Sanctuary Choir for sharing special music with us this morning.

*This Week's Calendar*  
January 15-22

<i>Sunday</i> January 15	10 AM Worship Service – Sanctuary/Livestreaming, Sunshine Singers 11:15am
<i>Monday</i> January 16	Boy Scouts Social Hall 7pm
<i>Tuesday</i> January 17	Third Meal 5:30pm, Girl Scouts – Social Hall 6:30pm
<i>Wednesday</i> January 18	Joy circle 1:30pm, Sparrow Chorale – Music Room, 6:30, Circle of Life 7pm
<i>Thursday</i> January 19	Christian Education Zoom 7pm, Bell Choir 7pm, Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal 8pm
<i>Friday</i> January 20	
<i>Saturday</i> January 21	Grace Circle 9:30am
<i>Sunday</i> January 22	10 AM Worship Service – Sanctuary/Livestreaming Sunshine Singers 11:15am



*This Week's Birthdays*

<b>January 17</b>	David Wible
<b>January 18</b>	Karen Gallo
<b>January 19</b>	Daryl Hulitt
<b>January 20</b>	Ryleigh Wichart
<b>January 21</b>	Carly Lovelace & Jackson Riggs

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January 15, 2023  
2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday after Epiphany  
**Rev. Floyd White**