

The Setauket Presbyterian Church

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4th Sunday after Epiphany

Order of Worship February 3, 2019

GATHERING MUSIC

RINGING OF THE STEEPLE BELL

WELCOME and ANNOUNCEMENTS

INTROIT Crown Him Lord of All! (KINGSFOLD) Arr. Marty Parks

The Light Enters

CALL TO WORSHIP

Virginia Sassano

From the corners of the world, from the confusion of life, from the loneliness of our hearts, **Gather us, O God.**

To feed our minds, to fire our imagination, to free our hearts, **Gather us, O God.**

* HYMN no. 405 Praise God for This Holy Ground

PRAYER FOR RECONCILIATION

Gentle God, you have shown us your love and called us to be your servants. But we have made ourselves too busy and worried to notice. We have been anxious about much we cannot control, and we have forgotten you. Forgive us, God, that we have worried over the wrong things. Free us, body and soul, for your service of love and grace. (silent prayer)

ASSURANCE OF GOD'S GRACE

God did not send Jesus to condemn the world, but rather that we might know salvation and grace through Christ. Behold the steadfast love that endures forever!

In this love we are forgiven and redeemed by God.

* SUNG RESPONSE no. 447 We Are Forgiven

We are forgiven. We are forgiven. Thanks be to God. Thanks be to God. (2x)

SUNG PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION no. 288 Spirit of the Living God Spirit of the Living God, fall afresh on me...melt me, mold me, fill me, use me...

FIRST LESSON Deuteronomy 5:1-3

ANTHEM *I Heard the Voice of Jesus* (after H. Purcell)

Alastair Stout

Thomas Killourhy, Soloist

SECOND LESSON Acts 2:43-47

SERMON "Why Gather?" Rev. Kate Jones Calone

★ HYMN no. **404** *What Is This Place?*

MINUTE FOR STEWARDSHIP

Martha Porter

OFFERTORY

♣ DOXOLOGY

★ DEDICATION OF SELF AND SUBSTANCE

God of all creation, through your goodness we have these gifts to share. Accept and use our offerings for your glory and for the service of your kingdom. Amen.

COMMUNION HYMN no. **507** *Come to the Table of Grace* (Verses 1 & 4)

Come to the table of grace.

Come to the table of grace.

Come to the table of hope.

This is God's table; it's not

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yours or mine. yours or mine.

Come to the table of grace. Come to the table of hope.

INVITATION TO THE LORD'S SUPPER God's offering to God's people all bread is gluten free; the wine is unfermented grape juice

THE GREAT PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING, WITH INTERCESSIONS

The Lord be with you.

And also with you.

Lift up your hearts.

We lift them up to the Lord.

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

It is right to give God thanks and praise....

THE LORD'S PRAYER

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SHARING THE BREAD AND CUP Please hold the elements until all are served

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

Loving God, you have given us a share in the one bread and the one cup and made us one with Christ. Help us to bring your salvation and joy to all the world. We ask this through Christ our Lord. Amen.

* HYMN no. 515 I Come with Joy

*** BENEDICTION**

The benediction of the God of Sarah, Hagar and Abraham, The benediction of the Son, who was born of Mary, The benediction of the Holy Spirit of love, Who watches over us like a mother for her children, Descend upon us all. Amen.

CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE

Cuban Benediction

Mark Orton

Please join in with the choir to sing or hum this blessing in solidarity with our sister church in San Antonio de los Baños, Cuba

La bendición de Dios de Sar' Agar y Abram; La bendición del hijo que de Mariá nació; La bendición del Santo Espiritu de'amor Que vela por nosotros, cual madre por sus hijos, Descienda sobre todos, Amen.

POSTLUDE

#please rise in body or in spirit; unison prayers are in bold.

Large print bulletins, Bibles, hymnals and listening devices are available; please ask a Deacon.

Next Sunday, February 10th

9:30 Worship Service

9:45 Church School

10:15 Marie's Farewell Brunch/Cuba Letter Writing

11:15 Adult Education Class

THE SESSION

The Rev. Kate Jones Calone, Moderator Stuart Campbell, Clerk

CLASS of 2019	CLASS of 2020	CLASS of 2021
Henry Kahnhauser	Mark Aicher	Barbara Curtis
Gretchen Olson Kopp	Debra Dwyer	Jean Hrbek
Bob McCarthy	Linda Obernauer	Harry Janson
Kenny Rogers	Greg Senf	John Leser
Wolfgang Wulff	Anne Shybunko-Moore	Bonnie Schulz

James Moore

THE BOARD of DEACONS

CLASS of 2019	CLASS of 2020	CLASS of 2021
Anne Campbell	Joan Kahnhauser	Karen Carroll
Lynn Campbell	Sacha Kopp	Pam Crum
Ruth Nicklas, Co-Moderator	Bruce Lloyd	Lindsay Kane
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Virginia Sassano	Patricia Siegal	Melanie McDermet

Lisa L. Suhadolink Susan Spagnoli Beth Senf

Traci Thompson

PRESBYTERIAN WOMEN

Founders Circle: Carol Ullo and Arlene Rogers, Co-Moderators

THE STAFF

Rev. Kate Jones Calone, Interim Pastor Noby Ishida, Director of Music

Aaron Watkins-Lopez, Church Administrator and Assistant to the Pastor Heather Klein, Preschool Teacher/Co-Director Yvonne Sterrett, Preschool Teacher/Co-Director Richard A. Holroyd, Church Treasurer

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