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PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH



MANY GIFTS, ONE SPIRIT

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# Sunday Worship

January 16, 2022  
9:30 am



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**Service for the Lord's Day**  
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\*indicates congregation is invited to stand in body and/or in spirit;  
**bolded** words indicate congregational participation

### **Gathering Song # 300**

We are one in the Spirit;  
we are one in the Lord;  
we are one in the Spirit;  
we are one in the Lord,  
and we pray that all unity  
may one day be restored:

*Refrain:*

And they'll know we are  
Christians  
by our love, by our love;  
yes, they'll know we are  
Christians  
by our love.

### **"We Are One in the Spirit"**

We will walk with each other;  
we will walk hand in hand;  
we will walk with each other;  
we will walk hand in hand,  
and together we'll spread the  
news  
that God is in our land:  
*[Refrain]*

We will work with each other;  
we will work side by side;  
we will work with each other;  
we will work side by side,  
and we'll guard human dignity  
and save human pride:  
*[Refrain]*

Scholtes

All praise to the Father,  
from who all things come,  
and all praise to Christ Jesus,  
God's only Son,  
and all praise to the Spirit,  
Who makes us one:  
*[Refrain]*

### **Welcome and Announcements**

Rev. Blake Tickle

*Please sign the online friendship pad making use of your smartphone camera to do so. This allows us to know you are worshipping with us this morning. You may also include any prayer requests or concerns you may have with Pastor Kathryn.*



### **Mission Statement**

Led by the Holy Spirit, Fellowship is more than just a name. While caring for one another, the people of Fellowship Presbyterian Church:

- **Love** as God first loved us,
- **Learn** with and about one another through Scripture and prayer, and
- **Lead** by serving as Christ's hands and feet in the community.

**Call to Worship**

No matter how far we wander from you

**O God, Your steadfast love finds us.**

No matter how unjust the world seems to us,

**O God, Your steadfast righteousness sustains us.**

No matter how vulnerable our lives seem to us,

**O God, Your steadfast presence gives us hope.**

No matter how unloved and uncared for we feel, O God,

**O God, You hear our cries and answer our prayers.**

**Thanks be to God!**

**\* Opening Hymn of Praise # 12 “Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise”**

St. Denio

Immortal, invisible, God only wise,  
in light inaccessible hid from our eyes,  
most blessed, most glorious, the Ancient of  
Days,  
almighty, victorious, thy great name we  
praise.

To all, life thou givest, to both great and small.  
In all life thou livest, the true life of all.  
We blossom and flourish like leaves on the  
tree,  
then wither and perish; but naught changeth  
thee.

Unresting, unhasting, and silent as light,  
nor wanting, nor wasting, thou rulest in might:  
thy justice, like mountains high soaring above;  
thy clouds, which are fountains of goodness  
and love.

Thou reignest in glory; thou dwellest in light.  
Thine angels adore thee, all veiling their sight.  
All praise we would render; O help us to see  
'tis only the splendor of light hideth thee!

**\* Prayer of Confession**

Mark Kirstner

God, you have given each of us many gifts, but sometimes we cannot recognize what gift we have to share, so we hide it under a bushel. God, you remind us that all gifts are needed, but sometimes we let ourselves be convinced that some gifts are more special than others. God, you call us to work, live, and love together as parts of one body, but sometimes we decide that membership in the body is limited by our understandings. God, for the times we have ignored or mislabeled Your gifts, for those times we have cut another off from the body, Now as we offer our silent words of repentance, we ask for forgiveness and grace.

**\* Pouring of the Waters of Baptism**

**\* Assurance of Pardon**

God is the giver of MANY gifts and God is the Creator of the ONE body.

God is slow to anger and quick to forgive. God helps us to share and honor the gifts of all,

God helps us to heal the wounds and reunite the body. We are forgiven, loved, and accepted.

**Thanks be to God! Alleluia! Amen**

**\* Hymn Response # 582**                      **“Glory to God, Whose Goodness Shines on Me”**                      Vasile

Glory to God, whose goodness shines on me,  
and to the Son, whose grace has pardoned  
me,  
and to the Spirit, whose love has set me free.

World without end, without end. Amen.  
World without end, without end. Amen.  
World without end, without end. Amen.

As it was in the beginning, is now and ever  
shall be. Amen.

As it was in the beginning,  
is now and ever shall be. Amen.

**Time for (All of God’s) Children**

**Prayer for Illumination**

**Old Testament** – Psalm 36:5-10

**New Testament Reading** – 1 Corinthians 12:1-11

*This is the Word of the Lord.*

**Thanks be to God.**

**Sermon**

“Many Gifts, One Spirit...”

Rev. Blake Tickle

**\* Song # 822**

**“When We are Living”**

Somos Del Senor

When we are living, it is in Christ Jesus,  
and when we're dying, it is in the Lord.  
Both in our living and in our dying,  
we belong to God; we belong to God.

'Mid times of sorrow and in times of pain,  
when sensing beauty or in love's embrace,  
whether we suffer, or sing rejoicing,  
we belong to God; we belong to God.

Through all our living, we our fruits must  
give.  
Good works of service are for offering.  
When we are giving, or when receiving,  
we belong to God; we belong to God.

Across this wide world, we shall always find  
those who are crying with no peace of  
mind,  
but when we help them, or when we feed  
them,  
we belong to God; we belong to God.

**Sharing Our Fellowship Family’s Celebrations and Concerns**

**Prayers of the People 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 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.**

## Sharing of Our Gifts and Offerings

*(Tithes and offerings can be placed in the offering plate, mailed to the church office, through bank draft, or made through online donation – information on how to do that is in the announcements below. Thank you for supporting the mission and ministry of Fellowship Presbyterian Church.)*

### Offertory

### “Precious Lord, Take My Hand”

arr. Bock

Cynthia Hartis, piano

### Prayer of Dedication

#### \* Closing Song

#### “10,000 Reasons (Bless the Lord)”

*Refrain:*

Bless the Lord, O my soul, O my soul

Worship His holy name

Sing like never before, O my soul

I'll worship Your holy name

The sun comes up, it's a new day dawning

It's time to sing Your song again

Whatever may pass and whatever lies

before me

Let me be singing when the evening

comes

*[Refrain]*

You're rich in love and You're slow to anger

Your name is great and Your heart is kind

For all Your goodness, I will keep on singing

Ten thousand reasons for my heart to find

*[Refrain]*

And on that day

When my strength is failing

The end draws near

And my time has come

Still my soul will

Sing Your praise unending

Ten thousand years

And then forevermore

*[Refrain]*

#### \* Charge and Benediction

#### \* Passing of the Peace

*The Peace of Christ Be with You!*

#### **Worship Participants**

Rev. Blake Tickle

Cynthia Hartis

Patrick Harman

Mark Kirstner

Charles Layno

Steve Brandt

Susie Knorr

Mary Howe

*Music Director*

*Accompanist*

*Guitar*

*Liturgist*

*Technical Support*

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*Today's worship liturgy adapted from resources found at*

<https://www.ministrymatters.com/all/entry/3500/worship-elements-january-16-2022>,

<https://re-worship.blogspot.com/search/label/Epiphany%202%20C>

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### ***Prayer Concerns and Celebrations***

- Peggy Koppel requests prayers for her husband, John, who is under a doctor's care for heart problems.
- We celebrate that **821 pounds of food** were collected at the January food drive for Greensboro Urban Ministries.
- Traci and Erik Rankins grieve the death of Erik's father, **Richard Turner**, who died on January 7.
- We celebrate with **Erik Rankins**, Traci's husband, who passed his state Physical Therapy Assistant licensing exam!
- **Wayne and Jeannette Hosier** grieve the death of Wayne's mother on January 1.
- Barbara Smith requests prayers for her sister, **Katherine Bennett** and her husband, **Donald**. Katherine is dealing with some memory issues at this time.
- Fred Campbell asks for continued prayers for his friend, **Kurt**, who continues to be hospitalized with COVID. Prayers for healing and for more consistent and competent care are appreciated.
- Kim Throckmorton requests prayers for her sister, **Missy Reynolds**, who is going through some personal and professional struggles at the current time.
- Continued prayers for our church members: **Lea Groves, Donna, Katie & the Steele family, Nancy Baughman, Bruce Weaver, and Marjorie Van Horn.**
- Continued prayers for the family and friends of our congregation: **Felicia Schaps** (Lindahl's daughter-in-law's mother), **Teresa** (Terry Anderson's coworker), **Ashley Long** (Joel and Ann Long's daughter-in-law), **Gail Keefe** (John Archambault's colleague), **John Fair** (FPC's former organist), **Joyce Berger** (Kandee's mother), **Gwen Flowers & her family** (Linda Ueland's sister), **Dorothy & Edward Archambault** (John Archambault's parents), **Roe Roe Tucker** (friend of Lesa & Charles Layno), **Arch Gravely** (Peggy Koppel's cousin), **Tim King family** (Phyllis King's son), **Roger Eliason** (Tye Wittmann's coworker), **Ferne Horwat** (Phyllis King's sister-in-law), **Jenny George** (Betsy Craver's cousin), **Libby Ansel** (Lesla Layno's sister), **Dawn Gossett** (Pastor Kathryn's friend).

If you have any additional prayer concerns, please contact Linda Ueland (336-314-5481) or call Martha at the church (336-288-5177).

### ***Announcements***

- The Session calls a brief **Congregational Meeting** next **Sunday, January 23**, during the service to elect an elder to fill an expired term. If you have any questions, please contact Julie Davis or Pastor Kathryn.
- **Pastor Kathryn is on vacation through Monday.** If you have any pastoral emergencies, please contact Rev. Blake Tickle at 336.710.3201.

*(Announcements continue on the next page)*

- **Realm is HERE!** *Realm* is an online platform of the church's database that provides for better communication within and through the Fellowship Family, including an online directory, church calendar, and an ability to both RSVP for upcoming events and give online. The Outreach Committee thanks you, in advance, for opting-in and completing your online profile. Please visit <https://onrealm.org/fellowshippresbyterian> to complete your profile. If you have questions, please ask Pastor Kathryn.
- **Chili Cook-Off and Annual Congregational Meeting:** February 13<sup>th</sup> after worship in the Fellowship Hall. Please mark your calendars, more details to follow soon.
- Do you want to serve as a **worship liturgist**? Please contact Lee Wineholt if you are interested.
- **Volunteering with Applewood, Backpack Beginnings, and Greensboro Housing Authority:** Fellowship has started an ongoing partnership between Backpack Beginnings, GHA, and The Applewood Community. Please contact Mary Howe to sign up for one of the Wednesday opportunities ([maryhowe0712@gmail.com](mailto:maryhowe0712@gmail.com) or call/text 336-698-6541). A signup is also available online and in the Dogwood Lobby.
- **Guidelines for Safe Return to Worship** are posted at the Office and Dogwood Lobby doors for your review. ***Despite the lifting of the Guilford County mask mandate, the mask rule is still in effect in the building as per the December 7 Session meeting.*** If you have questions, please contact Pastor Kathryn or Julie Davis, Clerk of Session.

### ***Upcoming Events***

#### **January 16:**

- **9:30am:** Worship – in-person (with masks), on Facebook Live, Zoom and YouTube

#### **January 17:**

- **Office Closed** in observance of Martin Luther King Jr Day

#### **January 19:**

- **7am:** Men's Coffee Klatch @ Panera Bread (Lawndale)
- **12 noon:** Bulletin and Blast Deadline

#### **January 20:**

- **9:30 & 1:30** Meyler Oil meets in the Fellowship Hall
- **1pm:** Bridge in the Parlor
- **6pm** Finance and Stewardship Committee meets via Zoom
- **6pm** Building and Grounds Committee meets via Zoom

#### **January 23:**

- **9:15-11:15am:** Professional Childcare available in the "Preschool" Classroom
- **9:30am:** Worship – in-person (with masks), on Facebook Live, Zoom and YouTube
- **10:30am:** Fellowship Time – in Dogwood Lobby
- **10:45am:** Education Hour in the Library
- **5pm:** Girl Scouts in the Fellowship Hall

