

January 8, 2023: 9:00 am
Baptism of the Lord

We Gather Together

Prelude “Nettleton”

arr. by Don Hustad

*(Welcome to our Service of Worship. Whether you are with us in person, joining us live on zoom or watching several days from now, we are glad you are here. We extend a special welcome to our visitors. Please use the time before worship to fill in the Friendship Pad in your pew. **Masking (N-95 preferred) and social distancing are not required but are respected and encouraged. Please consider your own health and the health of those around you.**)*

Welcome & Announcements

Ringing of the Bell and entrance of the Light of Christ

***Call to Worship**

Graham Anderson

In baptism God claims us and names us Beloved.

In baptism Christ joins us to himself and to one another.

In baptism the Spirit is poured out upon us.

Remember your baptism and be thankful!

With thankfulness and joy, we worship the God who loves us forever.

***Prayer**

Holy God, you sent your Son to be baptized among sinners, to seek and save the lost.

May we, who have been baptized in his name, never turn away from the world, but reach out in love to rescue the wayward;

by the mercy of Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

Amen.

***Hymn PH 356 “Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing”**

***Call to Confession**

God has made a covenant with us and with our ancestors: to be a light to the nations, to bring freedom to captives, and to declare new and glorious things! In faith, let us confess our sin.

***Confession**

Gracious God, you claim us and call us, you support us and uphold us, you save us and free us from our sin.

Yet we slip into old habits, worshiping idols that have claimed our hearts, disregarding our impact on the earth and our neighbors.

Gracious God, forgive us.

Gracious God, meet us at the water again, that we might know we belong to you.

Silent Confession

(In the silence of our hearts we confess our sins to God.)

***Assurance of Pardon**

The good news has been passed down by prophets and priests: everyone who believes in Christ receives forgiveness in his name.

We believe; help our unbelief.

Beloved - wherever you are on your journey, you are redeemed, forgiven, and loved.

In Jesus Christ we are redeemed, forgiven, and loved. Thanks be God.

Alleluia, Amen.

***Sharing God's Peace**

The Peace of Christ be with! **And also, with you!**

*(Please share the Peace of Christ with those around you using the ancient formula 'The Peace of Christ.' 'And also, with you.' Please be mindful of those who do not wish to shake hands or be too close. **We encourage you to use this time to send a text or emoji to someone who cannot be here.**)*

***Hymn PH 581** “Holy, Holy, Holy Lord”

God’s Word Is Proclaimed

Acts Lesson Acts 10:34-43

Gospel Lesson Matthew 3:13-17

Children’s Time

Jennifer Zander

***Hymn PH 71** “Lord, When You Came to Jordan”

Sermon “Who Are You?”

Pastor Ken Locke

We Respond to God’s Word

Prayers of the People

Installation of Officers

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.
Forgive us our sins, as we forgive those who have sinned against us.
And lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil.
For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory forever.
Amen.**

Minute for Mission Heart to Heart Dinner

Mary Ellen McMeen, Deacon

Offering “Christus, der ist mein Leben” *arr. Johann Gottfried Walther*

Offertory PH 558 “Come, Sing a Song of Harvest” vs. 1&3

***Offertory Prayer**

***Hymn PH 492 “Baptized in Water”**

Charge and Benediction

Let all God’s people say,
Alleluia, Amen!

***Closing Refrain PH 535 “Go with Us, Lord”**

Postlude “All Praise to Thee, My God, This Night” *arr. Paul Manz*

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Jerry and Mary H.
Chastity G. and Joan S.
Jolene S. – Sister and her husband

Rev. Tubuwa has asked for prayers for peace in Sudan. Sudanese were attacked and villages were burned on Christmas Eve.

This Week at Church

Sunday

9:00-10:00am

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Worship

Pastor Ken is leading us in worship.

Installation of Officers

Sanctuary & Zoom

10:15

Fellowship Time

10:15-11:15am

Growing Connections - Final Book Study Class

6:00-7:30pm

Boy Scouts Troop 702

Monday

10:00-11:00am

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Staff Meeting

6:00-7:00pm

Feed My Starving Children – Planning

Tuesday

7:00pm

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Confirmation

Wednesday

8:00-9:00am

01.11

Men's Breakfast

4:30-5:30pm

Hand Bell Practice

5:30-7:30pm

Women in Faith

Saturday

9:00-12:00pm

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Table Tennis

Sunday

9:00-10:00am

01.15

Worship

Pastor Mary Council-Austin is leading us in worship.

Sanctuary & Zoom

10:15am

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10:15-11:15am

Growing Connections for All Ages

Adults - Advance Directives or Power of Attorney for Health

Care Discussion – Led by Chaplain Darren Beachy.

11:30-12:30pm

PYA

1:00-2:00pm

AA Planning Meeting

4:00-5:00pm

Learning Team

6:00-7:30pm

Boy Scout Budget Meeting (In-person)

6:00-7:30pm

Boy Scout Troop Meeting

LOOKING AHEAD

Sunday

01.29.2023

Annual Meeting

Please take a moment to thank those who help make our service run smoothly. Because of them, we are able to worship God well.

E-Giving

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Weekly Statistics

January 1,2023	64	\$837.50	OFFERINGS/TITHES
January 1,2023		\$0.00	RAISE THE ROOF CAMPAIGN
12/26--12/30/2022		\$651.00	VANCO-ONLINE OFFERINGS
12/26--12/30/2022		\$0.00	VANCO-ONLINE ROOF OFFERINGS
		\$1,488.50	TOTAL INCOME FOR THE WEEK
		\$48,431.97	TOTAL IN THE "RAISE THE ROOF" CAMPAIGN FUND
1/1/2023	9 people		ATTENDANCE FOR THE LIVE STREAMING SERVICE 01/01/2023