

✠ **AFFIRMATION OF FAITH:** “The Apostles’ Creed” (*unison*)
I believe in God, the Father Almighty, Creator of heaven and earth. I believe in Jesus Christ, His only Son, our Lord. He was conceived by the power of the Holy Spirit and born of the Virgin Mary. He 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, and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again 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!

Go Out as God’s People in the World

✠ **Closing Hymn HoF #77:** “The Church’s One Foundation”

✠ **BENEDICTION:** *by Pastor Janet*

✠ **POSTLUDE** *by Tracy (Yu Qian)*

Following today’s service please join us in the upstairs hall for coffee & conversation.



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Today’s Worship Leaders:

Organist/Pianist: Tracy (Yu Qian)

Officer Assisting: Sally Kean

Pastor: The Reverend Dr. Janet A. Hufford

The Lord's Day Worship

January 16, 2022

Worship, 11am

Assisted Listening Devices are available in the Sanctuary during Worship.

If you need instructions, please see the Greeter.

(Those not wanting to be seen on the **video recording**, please sit under the balcony.)

Hymnals: HB is "The Hymnbook" (burgundy) & HoF is "Hymns of Faith" (scarlet)

Gathering of God's People

After the chimes, please be in quiet reverence & silence cell phones.

3 RINGS OF THE STEEPLE BELL & CHIMES

WELCOME by Sally Kean

ANNOUNCEMENTS (See insert.)

PRELUDE by Tracy (Yu Qian)

† stand as able

† **CALL TO WORSHIP:** Psalm 145:3-6 (*responsively*):

Great is the Lord & most worthy of praise;

his greatness no one can fathom.

**One generation commends your works to another;
they tell of your mighty acts.**

They speak of the glorious splendor of your majesty

– and I will meditate on your wonderful works.

They tell of the power of your awesome works

– and I will proclaim your great deeds.

† **Opening Hymn HB #433:** "Christ is Made the Sure Foundation"

† **PRAYER OF CONFESSION:** (*unison*):

Though our purpose is to proclaim that you are great and worthy to all peoples and generations, we are silent. Forgive our sin in not living according to your plan and purpose. Open our mouths to praise you always. (*Pause in silent confession.*)

† **ASSURANCE OF FORGIVENESS:** (*responsively*)

Hear the good news! Who is in a position to condemn? Only Christ, and Christ died for us, Christ rose for us, Christ reigns in power for us, Christ prays for us.

Anyone who is in Christ is a new creation.

The Old life had gone; a new life has begun.

Know that you are forgiven and be at peace.

Amen.

† **GLORIA PATRI / RESPONSE:** (*unison*) 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.

Proclamation of God's Word

† **CALL TO GOD'S WORD:** John 10:35 & Romans 4:3 (*unison*)

"Scripture cannot be set aside... What does Scripture say?"

† **PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION:** (*unison*)

Lord, through your Spirit enable us to consider your Word, and to enact it in our lives to bring you glory and praise. Amen.

(*Figure & Era*)

SCRIPTURE: Luke 3:21-27a (*Zerubbabel*) N.T. pg.1463

Haggai 1:1-4, 7-8, 13-2:9 (*Return*) O.T. pg. 1350-2

SERMON Takeaway: "Build My House... So that I May be Honored"

by the Reverend Janet Hufford.

Response to God's Word

† **Hymn of Response HoF #111:** "How Firm a Foundation"

PRAYERS of JOYS & CONCERNS followed by **LORD'S PRAYER** (*unison*)

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.

CALL TO STEWARDSHIP (*along with tithing, consider giving to Gravehaven to work against human trafficking of youth in Ohio*)

OFFERTORY to prayerfully consider giving in thankfulness

PRAYER OF DEDICATION

† **DOXOLOGY:** (*unison*) 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.