

✠ **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 #359:** “Since Jesus Came into My Heart”

✠ **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 30, 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

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† **CALL TO WORSHIP:** Psalm 23:1, 6 KJV (*responsively*):

*The Lord is my shepherd, I shall not want.*

**Surely your goodness and love will follow me all the days of my life,  
and I will dwell in the house of the Lord forever.**

† **Opening Hymn HB #169, vv. 1-4:** "While Shepherd's Watched"

† **PRAYER OF CONFESSION:** (*unison*): Psalm 51:10-17

**Do not cast me from your presence or take your Holy Spirit from me.  
Restore to me the joy of your salvation and grant me a willing spirit,  
to sustain me. Then I will teach transgressors your ways, so that  
sinners will turn back to you. Deliver me from the guilt of bloodshed,  
O God, you who are God my Savior, and my tongue will sing of your  
righteousness. Open my lips, Lord, and my mouth will declare your  
praise. You do not delight in sacrifice, or I would bring it; you do not  
take pleasure in burnt offerings. My sacrifice, O God, is a broken spirit;  
a broken and contrite hear you, God, will not despise.**

*(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 has 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 3:27-32a N.T. pg.1463 (David)  
1Samuel 16:6-13 O.T. pg. 403 & more from 1&2Samuel (Kingdom)  
Psalm 51:10-17 prayer of confession

**SERMON Takeaway:** "The Lord Looks at the Heart"

*by the Reverend Janet Hufford.*

## Response to God's Word

† **Hymn of Response HoF #13:** "Spirit of God, Descend Upon My Heart"

**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** (*Receptacles for offerings are found at each exit. Along with tithing, consider giving to Heartbeats against abortion & for sanctity of life*)

**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.