

ST. PAUL'S PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Fourth Sunday after Epiphany

February 3, 2019

PWS&D Sunday

10:30 AM

* *Stand if you are able*

Bold: *Said by all*

All hymns, scriptures and congregational prayers are projected.

Musical Prelude

CALL TO WORSHIP

* Entry of the Word

Welcome and Announcements

* Gathering Hymn: *"Be Thou My Vision"* (#461)

Call to Worship:

Opening Prayer:

Prayer of Confession (in unison):

**God, our Deliverer, we confess that we are too reluctant
to speak and to live according to your truth.**

**We grow comfortable with the way things are,
passively condoning injustice.**

**We see ourselves as "insiders,"
excluding those we consider "outsiders."**

**We find it easier to pluck up and pull down,
to destroy and overthrow,
than to build and to plant.**

Forgive us, O God, for being timid disciples.

**Empty us of fear and shame,
and fill us with love that is humble and patient
and kind.**

**We pray this in the name of the One who
humbled himself, Jesus the Christ. Amen.**

Assurance of Pardon:

Sharing the Peace of Christ:

The Peace of Christ be with you.

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MINISTER: Rev. Mikal Schomburg

ORGANIST: Mr. Ian Madge

Choir Anthem: *"All Thanks and Praise"* (Mark Patterson)

*Children's Hymn: *"He Came Down"* (projected)

Time with Our Children

(Children Grade 12 and under leave for Sunday School)

THE WORD PROCLAIMED

Prayer for Illumination: *“Speak Lord in the Stillness”* (#442)
(sung by the Choir)

Scripture: Jeremiah 1:4-10; Psalm 71:1-6
1 Corinthians 13:1-13; Luke 4:21-30

One: This is the Word of the Lord. All: Thanks be to God.

MESSAGE

Silent Reflection

OUR RESPONSE

* Hymn of Response: *“Although I Speak with Angel’s Tongue”* (#695)

Declaration of Faith: APOSTLE’S CREED
I believe in God, the Father almighty,
creator of heaven and earth.

I believe in Jesus Christ, God’s only Son, our Lord,
who was conceived by the Holy Spirit,
born of the Virgin Mary,
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,
he is seated at the right hand of the Father,
and he will come again to judge the living and the dead.

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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.

Invitation to Offering

* Doxology (#79)

Prayer of Thanksgiving

Pastoral Prayers

The Lord’s Prayer

SENDING

* Closing Hymn: *“When We Are Living”* (#630)

* Benediction:
* *"Go Now In Peace"*
* Exit of the Word
Musical Postlude
with you.