

ST. PAUL'S PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
Fourth Sunday after the Epiphany

January 28, 2018

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

Call to Worship (responsive)

One: Some boast of their motor cars, and some of their mansions,
but we boast of the name of our Lord, Jesus Christ!

ALL: SHOULD ALL ELSE COLLAPSE, WE WILL STILL STAND TALL.

One: Do not be impressed by the outward appearance of a person,
for God does not see like we do, but looks into the heart.

**ALL: IF ANYONE WALKS WITH CHRIST, THEY ARE A NEW CREATION,
THE OLD THINGS ARE GONE, ALL THINGS BECOME NEW.**

One: Let us worship this God who looks into the human heart
and through Christ Jesus makes all things new.

* Gathering Hymn: *"God We Praise You For the Morning"* (#436)

Prayer of Approach:

Call to Confession:

Prayer of Confession

Assurance of Pardon:

Sharing the Peace of Christ:

The Peace of Christ be with you.

And also with you.

Anthem: *"Father, We Worship You"*

(Victor C. Johnson)

*Children's Hymn: *"Spirit of God, Descend Upon My Heart"* (#382)

Children's Story

(Grade 9 & under leave for Sunday School)

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ORGANIST: Mr. Ian Madge

THE WORD PROCLAIMED

Prayer for Illumination (in unison):

Compassionate God,

all creation delights in your radiant presence of your Word.
May the authority of your Spirit
bring understanding into our confused minds
and truth into our troubled hearts.
Amen.

Scriptures

Deuteronomy 18:15-20

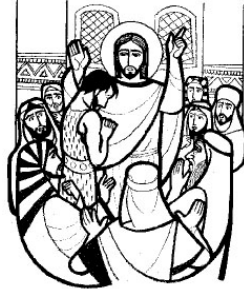
Psalms 111

1 Corinthians 8:1-13

Mark 1:21-28

One: This is the Word of the Lord.

All: Thanks be to God.



SERMON

Silent Reflection

OUR RESPONSE

* Hymn of Response: *"Silence! Frenzied, Unclean Spirit"* (#729)
(sung to the tune of #672 *"Jesus Calls Us, O'er the Tumult"*)

* **Declaration of Faith: The Apostles' Creed** (in unison)

I believe in God, the Father Almighty,
the Creator of heaven and earth,
and in Jesus Christ, His only Son, our Lord:
Who was conceived of the Holy Spirit,
born of the Virgin Mary,
suffered under Pontius Pilate,
was crucified, died, and was buried.
He descended into hell.
The third day He arose again from the dead.
He ascended into heaven
and sits at the right hand of God the Father Almighty,
whence He shall come 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 life everlasting.

Amen.

Presentation of Tithes and Offerings, Offertory

* Doxology (79)

Prayer of Dedication

Prayers of the People

The Lord's Prayer

SENDING

* Parting Hymn: *"Now Thank We All Our God"* (#457)

* Benediction:

* *"Go Now In Peace"*

* Exit of the Word

Musical Postlude