



# **CELEBRATION OF WORSHIP** 5th Sunday after Epiphany

# February 4, 2024 at 11:00 am

450 Randolph Avenue, Elkins WV 26241 304.636.2788 Worship each Sunday is broadcast live over WDNE 1240 AM and live-streamed on our Facebook Page www.dmpc.org

# WELCOME AS WE ASSEMBLE IN GOD'S NAME

#### **WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS**

Welcome to DMPC for worship this morning. If you are visiting with us we ask you to complete a Visitor Card, found in the pew rack, and place it in the collection plate during the Presentation of Offerings. Our church is accessible to wheelchairs with a designated area to the left of the chancel in the "Amen Section".

We thank Phil and Marlene Kyle for being our greeters this morning. We thank Mike Bell for being our liturgist this morning.

\*indicates an invitation to stand, if you are able.

INTROIT: Be Still and Know That I am God by J. Bell, 1989 Glory to God hymnal, used with permission CCLI #11624388

#### CALL TO WORSHIP

- L: Have we not known? Have we not heard?
- P: Has it not been told to us since the beginning?
- L: Those who wait for the Lord shall renew their strength;
- P: they shall mount up with wings like eagles;
- L: they shall run and not be weary;
- P: they shall walk and not faint.

# PRAYER OF THE DAY

#### \*HYMN #305

Come Sing, O Church, in Joy! Glory to God hymnal, used with permission CCLI #11624388

# \*CALL TO CONFESSION

We fool ourselves if we think that our ways are hidden from God. Therefore let us confess our sin, trusting in the mercy of God our Maker.

#### \*PRAYER OF CONFESSION (IN UNISON)

God, you are everlasting, the creator of all that is. Your understanding is beyond measure. We confess to you that we have sinned against you and our neighbors. In your compassion, forgive us, for we place our hope in your steadfast love. Amen

#### \*KYRIE ELEISON (Lord, Have Mercy)

Lord, have mercy upon us. Christ, have mercy upon us. Lord, have mercy upon us.

# \*ASSURANCE OF FORGIVENESS

Praise the Lord! Our God heals the brokenhearted and binds up our wounds. God takes pleasure in those who place their trust in God's grace. In Jesus Christ we are forgiven.

# \*CHORAL RESPONSE

Lamb of God Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world; have mercy on us. Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world; have mercy on us. Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world; grant us peace, grant us peace.

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# PROCLAIMING GOD'S WORD

#### SCRIPTURE READING

New Testament

Luke 22:19

pew Bible page 81

This is the word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God!

#### CHILDREN'S TIME

#### **GOD'S WORD FOR OUR LIVES**

"Remember Me"

Rev. Gary McGrew

# **RESPONDING TO THE GOOD NEWS**

*HYMN #796	We Come to You for Healing, Lord Glory to God hymnal, used with permission CCLI #11624388	
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PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE		
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; 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		
PRESENTATION OF OFFERINGS		
OFFERTORY ANTHEM	: O Come, Let Us Sing to the Lord by Emma Lou Diemer, 1961	

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O come, let us sing unto the Lord; Let us heartily rejoice in the strength of our salvation. Let us come before His presence with thanksgiving; and show ourselves glad in Him with psalms. For the Lord is a great God; and a great King above all gods. In His hand are all the corners of the earth; and the strength of the hills is His also. The sea is His and He made it, and His hands prepared the dry land. O come, let us worship and fall down and come, let us kneel before the Lord, our Maker. For He is the Lord our God; and we are the people of His pasture, and the sheep of His hand. O worship the Lord in the beauty of holiness; Let the whole earth stand in awe of Him. For He cometh to judge the earth; and with righteousness to judge the world, and the peoples with His truth. O come, let us sing unto the Lord; Let us heartily rejoice in the strength of our salvation. For He is the Lord our God.

Estrid Garver-Daniels, Olivia Perske, B'Launa Westmoreland: soprano; Cassie Norwood, Gloria Mullennex: alto Logan Mullennex, Ben Long: tenor; Theo Chevalier, Tyler Perske: bass

\*DOXOLOGY #606 Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; Praise God, all creatures here below; Praise God above, ye heav'nly host; Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost.

# SACRAMENT OF THE HOLY COMMUNION

The Invitation to the Table

The Great Prayer of Thanksgiving

The Breaking of the Bread and the Pouring of the Cup

The Sharing of the Elements

The Prayer After Communion

# FOLLOWING GOD INTO THE WORLD

\*RESPONSE HYMN #666

O Splendor of God's Glory Bright Glory to God hymnal, used with permission CCLI #11624388

#### **\*CHARGE AND BENEDICTION**

**\*SHARING GOD'S PEACE** 

# FAITH COMMUNITY NOTES

#### Gifts

Gifts have been given to the church by: Propst Realty in Memory of Roberta Dye Rick Campbell in Memory of Roberta Dye Unknown in Memory of Roberta Dye & Sandy Godwin

#### **CONFIRMATION CLASS**

#### FEBRUARY 4 @5:30PM

Confirmation Class will begin today at Holy Trinity Lutheran Church at 302 First Street. The class will meet every other Sunday at HTLC—next meeting will be February 18th. A meal will be provided first with class to follow.

#### **KIDS CLUB**

Younger children who are not in the Confirmation Class will join us at a later date.

#### **LENTEN BREAD & BROTH**

# FEBRUARY 14TH THRU MARCH 20 @NOON

The Christian Education Committee invites you to join in our Lenten Bible study. The first session will be held on Ash Wedn

esday at the Holy Trinity Lutheran Church.

CE will provide a sandwich tray and desserts for the first week. We will continue each Wednesday for 5 weeks with a light lunch served each week. Participant books will be available to buy or borrow.

Ash Wednesday Service will be February 14 at 6:00 pm at Holy Trinity Lutheran Church with Bishop Matthew Riegel presiding.

Our live stream for Sunday Morning Worship is on our Facebook page: https://www.facebook.com/dmpcElkins.

The weekly bulletin and the monthly newsletter are also available on our website: www.dmpc.org

The website for the DMPC church library is: <u>DMPC library | TinyCat</u>. Any questions contact Brenda Hermanson: stb345@yahoo.com

**OFFERINGS:** You are invited to place your offering in the collection plate during the Presentation of Offerings, donate through the website by activating the "Online Giving" box, or by mailing it to the church office.

# **DAVIS MEMORIAL PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH**

Director of Music	Dr. Melody Meadows
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# Class of 2024

**Tessa Garver-Daniels** David Hyer Linda Rudy

# THE SESSION

Class of 2025 Phil Becker **Brenda Kirkpatrick** Monica Varchetto

Class of 2026 Mina Cupp Debra Everhart **David Messinger** 

# WEEKLY CALENDAR February 4, 2024

#### SUNDAY COMMUNION SUNDAY

9:45amDr. Lacy Class9:45amSunday School11:00amWorship5:30pmConfirmation Class @ HTLC

#### MONDAY

#### TUESDAY

1:30pm	Membership/Dunham	Room
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#### WEDNESDAY

#### THURSDAY

10:00am	Circle 2 in the White Chapel
1:30pm	Circle 1 in the White Chapel

#### FRIDAY

#### SATURDAY

#### SUNDAY

9:45am	Dr. Lacy Class in the Dunham Room
9:45am	Sunday School
11:00am	Worship Service

# PRAYERS FOR OUR PARTNERS AND THE WORLD

- + Health care workers and first responders
- 225th General Assembly co-moderators, Rev. Ruth Santana-Grace and Rev. Shavon Starling-Louise
- + D&E College students, faculty and staff
- + Our sister church in Kenya, Kangaita
- + Our nation's leaders
- + Mission Co-Workers around the world
- Presbyterian University of East Africa as they seek financial stability
- + Kiawaithanji Church, Gaaki Parish, Kenya

#### **BREAKFAST AND BIBLES**

Feb. 4 John 5 Healing pool—"pick up your mat" Common Door 125 3rd St. next to Tip Top Coffee Shop breakfastandbibles.weebly.com

#### PRAYER LIST

ERCC 1175 Beverly Pike, Elkins Chuck Leary, Jessie Somers Mountain Memories 301 Wilson Ln, Elkins Rose Nelson, Julia Varner, Hollis & Adrienne Vance Valentine Personal Care 521 Davis Ave, Elkins Anna Harper

#### PRAYER FOR FAMILY AND FRIENDS

- + Julia Cassells
- + Donnie Corbin
- + Susie Kump
- + Shane Lambert.....son of James Lambert
- + Margy Nelson
- + Mary Louise Regan
- + Mary Ann Seckel...
- friend of Tygart Valley Lion Tom Regan
- + Chuck Leary and Deborah Springer
- + Susan.....friend of Cornelia Tolley
- + Jodie Varner
- † Marsha Varner Bohmer
- + Keitha Wing
- + Family of Roberta Dye
- + Family of Sandra Godwin
- + Family of Frankie Riemenschneider

#### PRAYERS FOR CHURCHES IN THE PRESBYTERY OF WEST VIRGINIA

Alexander Memorial Presbyterian Church,

Stony Bottom

Bethlehem Presbyterian Church, Shinnston