Order of Worship: Sunday, January 26, 2025 8:30 and 11:00 AM Services of Worship 3rd Sunday after the Epiphany

Welcome and Announcements

Rev. Dr. Latricia Scriven, Senior Pastor

Prelude Adagio B. Galuppi

Lighting of the CandlesAcolytes

Opening Prayer

8:30: Liane Giroux/11:00: Wayne Wallace and Congregation

Our hearts are full of praise, O God, because of your wonderful works.

You are almighty, the King of Creation,

over which you rule with kindness and justice.

You prosper and sustain us so that we can serve you

in your kingdom now and through eternity.

Come, Holy Spirit. Help us worship you, our God, in spirit and in truth,

through Jesus Christ, our Lord. Amen ©2011 Constance Cherry

Opening Hymn Morning Has Broken UMH 145

Affirmation of Faith

Liturgists and Congregation

We believe in the Most High God

who strengthens us and repays us many more times than we expect.

We believe in God who gives generously

and who expects the same from all creatures God has made.

We believe in God whose utmost, loving sacrifice

is experienced through Jesus Christ, who paid it all.

We believe that Jesus Christ consciously and lovingly emptied himself

so that we may learn to make sacrifice and live joyfully before God.

By Christ's impartial love we learn to love all those on the margins.

We believe in the Holy Spirit who enables us to represent Jesus to the world.

We believe that by the power of the Holy Spirit

a new community will be created without labels.

We believe all has been accomplished for deliverance and salvation

and is now being lived in flesh even as God is glorified in heaven. Amen.

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Gloria UMH 70

Passing of the Peace

Pastoral Prayer/The Lord's Prayer

Rev. John Quinton

Anthem (11:00) They'll Know We Are Christians arr. M. Hayes Covenant Chancel Choir

Children's Chat Leslie Scott

The Offering

Offering Prayer Rev. Dr. Scriven

Offertory Meditation No. 1 Lauran Delancy

Chris Morris, Freddie Schrader, Gaye Herndon: Handbells/Jill Merryday: piano **Doxology**UMH 95

Scripture Micah 6:6-8 Liane Giroux/Wayne Wallace

Sermon "Love in the Everyday: What Now?" Rev. Dr. Latricia Scriven

Closing Hymn Love Divine, All Loves Excelling UMH 384

Sending Forth Rev. Dr. Scriven

Postlude Festive Praise D. Wagner

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