

**Order of Service**  
**January 30, 2022**

**Candle-Lighting**

**Welcome & announcements**

- \* Land Acknowledgement
- \* Celebrations & Concerns
- \* Birthdays & Anniversaries

**Invitation & dedication of the offering**

**Call to Worship: Psalm 104: 10-15 (NRSV)**

The Lord makes springs gush forth in the valleys;  
they flow between the hills,  
**giving drink to every wild animal;**  
**the wild asses quench their thirst.**

By the streams the birds of the air have their habitation; they sing among the  
branches.

**From your lofty abode**  
**you water the mountains;**  
**the earth is satisfied**  
**with the fruit of your work.**

You cause the grass to grow for the cattle,  
and plants for people to use,  
to bring forth food from the earth,  
**and wine to gladden the human heart, oil to make the face shine,**  
**and bread to strengthen the human heart.**

Family of God, from whom does our help come?

**Our Help comes from the Lord,**  
**the maker of heaven and earth**

Let us Worship God

**Opening Song: *Spirit of God unseen as the wind***

## **Prayer and Confession**

God of light and life,...

*(The Minister Continues in Prayer)*

And so, desiring to be a transformed people,

we bring to you our prayers of confession

(Silence)

**God of all life and our lives,  
we gather in worship week by week,  
seeking your refreshing presence.**

**But we confess sometimes we are discouraged by things happening around us.**

**We don't expect your presence  
to make a difference for us.**

**Forgive us when we give up on you  
and end up feeling unfulfilled.**

**By your grace, refresh us  
when we are weary or worried,  
and renew our trust in you.**

## **Assurance of pardon**

### **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 trespasses,  
as we forgive those who trespass against us,  
and lead us not into temptation,  
but deliver us from evil.***

***For thine is the kingdom,  
the power and the glory, for ever and ever. Amen.***

## **A time for all God's children**

**Song: *Spirit of God come dwell within me***

## **Scripture: John 2: 1-10 (The Message)**

Three days later there was a wedding in the village of Cana in Galilee. Jesus' mother was there. Jesus and his disciples were guests also. When they started running low on wine at the wedding banquet, Jesus' mother told him, "They're just about out of wine." Jesus said, "Is that any of our business, Mother—yours or mine? This isn't my time. Don't push me." She went ahead anyway, telling the servants, "Whatever he tells you, do it." Six stoneware water pots were there, used by the Jews for ritual washings. Each held twenty to thirty gallons. Jesus ordered the servants, "Fill the pots with water." And they filled them to the brim. "Now fill your pitchers and take them to the host," Jesus said, and they did. When the host tasted the water that had become wine (he didn't know what had just happened but the servants, of course, knew), he called out to the bridegroom, "Everybody I know begins with their finest wines and after the guests have had their fill brings in the cheap stuff. But you've saved the best till now!" This act in Cana of Galilee was the first sign Jesus gave, the first glimpse of his glory. And his disciples believed in him.

*May God bless to our understanding this reading of Holy Scripture* **Amen**

## **Ministry of Music by our Accompanist**

### **Sermon: In Vino, Veritas!**

### **Affirmation of Faith - A New Creed**

**We are not alone,  
we live in God's world.  
We believe in God:  
who has created and is creating,  
who has come in Jesus, the Word made flesh, to reconcile and  
make new,  
who works in us and others by the Spirit  
We trust in God.  
We are called to be the Church:  
to celebrate God's presence,  
to live with respect in Creation,  
to love and serve others,  
to seek justice, resist evil,  
to Proclaim Jesus, crucified and risen,  
our judge and our hope.  
In life, in death, in life beyond death,**

**God is with us. We are not alone.  
Thanks be to God.**

**Pastoral Prayer:**

**Benediction & The Grace**

*The Grace of our Lord Jesus Christ,*

*The Love of God, and the Fellowship of the Holy Spirit be with us all evermore.*

**Closing Song: *The Summons***