## SUN 11 AM **JANUARY 19, 2025**

## *Worship Service* for THE LORD'S DAY SECOND SUNDAY AFTER EPIPHANY



# TRADITIONAL WORSHIP SERVICE

# FOX CHAPEL PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

As a community of Christ's disciples, we joyfully participate in Christ's mission of love and peace, transformation and hope.

## Welcome to Worship

Words printed in **bold** are for the congregation to speak in unison. \* An invitation to rise in body or spirit.

#### PRELUDE

Galilee Adagio

#### WELCOME AND INVITATIONS

Rev. Roger Owens

Rev. Rebecca DePoe

#### INTROIT

Together We Serve

We seek to become a beacon of hope, a lamp for the heart and a light for the feet. We learn, year by year, to let love shine through until we see Christ in each person we meet.

#### \*CALL TO WORSHIP AND OPENING PRAYER

The God of creation makes us one in body! Let us join hearts and voices in praise of the Lord! The God of Christ makes us one in the Spirit! Let us join hearts and voices in praise of the Lord!

#### Let us pray:

Lord Jesus, show us the way to fullness of life in you. Reveal to us your goodness and knit us together in love, that together we may find joy in serving alongside one another, using our gifts, celebrating our differences, and finding purpose in the ways you are at work in our church, community, and world. Amen.

\*HYMN 379

We Shall Overcome

WE SHALL OVERCOME

#### INVITATION TO SILENT PRAYER AND CONFESSION

#### PRAYER OF CONFESSION

God of all nations, we praise you that in Christ the barriers that have separated humanity are torn down. Yet we confess our slowness to open our hearts and minds to people of other lands, tongues, and races. Deliver us from the sins of fear and prejudice, that we may move toward the day when all are truly one in Jesus Christ. Amen.

#### ASSURANCE OF PARDON

While it is true that we have sinned, it is a greater truth that we are forgiven through God's love in Jesus Christ. To all who humbly seek the mercy of God I say, in Jesus Christ your sin is forgiven. **Thanks be to God.** 

#### **\*PASSING OF THE PEACE**

The peace of the Lord Jesus Christ be with you.

And also with you.

All are invited to exchange signs of reconciliation and peace with others.

SCRIPTURE READING This is the word of the Thanks be to God.	Psalm 36:5-10 (OT, pg. 510) Lord.	Teddy Brubaker
CHILDREN'S MESSAGE	Children attending Kids' Church may follow Pas	Rev. Lori Bass-Riley stor Lori.
SCRIPTURE READING This is the word of the Thanks be to God.	1 Corinthians 12:1-13 (NT, pg. 174) Lord.	
SERMON	What Position Do You Play?	Rev. Roger Owens
*HYMN 733	We All Are One in Mission	ES FLOG EIN KLEINS WALDVOGELEIN

#### PASTORAL PRAYER

#### 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.

MINISTRY MINUTE	Using My Gifts For Ministry	Judy Grune		
OFFERING				
Please complete a connect card and place it in the offering plate.				
OFFERTORY ANTHE	M Set Me As a Seal	Rene Clausen		
Set me as a seal upon your heart, as a seal upon your arm, for love is strong as death. Set me as a seal upon your heart, as a seal upon your arm, for love is strong as death.				
Many waters cannot quench love; neither can the floods drown it. Set me as a seal upon your heart, as a seal upon your arm, for love is strong as death.				
*DOXOLOGY 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. Amen.				
*PRAYER OF DEDICATION				
*HYMN 720	Jesus Calls Us	GALILEE		
*BENEDICTION				
*BENEDICTION RES	PONSE Will You Let Me Be Your Servant			
I will hold the Christ-light for you in the nighttime of your fear. I will hold my hand out to you, speak the peace you long to hear.				
*POSTLUDE	Festive Waldvogelein	E.H. Wickstrom		

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## **Participants Today**

Rev. L. Roger Owens, Co-Senior Pastor (roger@fcpc.us) Rev. Rebecca DePoe, Designated Associate Pastor (rebecca@fcpc.us) Rev. Lori Bass-Riley, Minister of Children and Families (lori@fcpc.us) S.C. Toe, Minister of Music (sc@fcpc.us) David Charonis, Guest Organist Teddy Brubaker, Lay Scripture Reader Judy Grune, Ministry Minute Presenter Fox Chapel Presbyterian Church Chancel Choir Howard Havlicsek, Audio Engineer Jenny Clark, Livestream Producer (jenny@fcpc.us) Don Moyer, Caretaker (don@fcpc.us)

## For Children and Families during 11:00 AM Worship

Children of all ages are welcome to remain in worship with their families, and we provide the following opportunities for children and families:

**Children age 3 to 5th grade** are invited to sign up for Kids' Church prior to worship near the entry to the Sanctuary. Children may join Pastor Lori at the front of the Sanctuary for a Children's Message during worship (except on the first Sunday of the month). Following the Children's Message, children are led to the Lowest Level, where parents/guardians can pick them up following worship.

Nursery care is available for ages 0-3 in Room 109 (near the main entrance).

**The Comfort Space** is available in Room 107 (next to the Nursery) to comfort or feed a child and watch the worship service via livestream.

### **Chancel Flowers**

The chancel flowers today are given to the glory of God, in memory of Donald D. Wolff Jr. by Bunny Wolff, and in memory of Jack Oehrle by the Oehrle family.

**HEARING DEVICES** are available in the Sanctuary. Ask an usher for assistance. If you have a hearing aid that has the T-Coil activated, please ask for a T-Coil neckloop receiver.

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