

This Week at 1st Presbyterian~

SERVICE FOR THE LORD'S DAY

January 12, 2020

~Baptism of the Lord ~

Prelude: The Road Home

Apostolic Greeting

Leader: The Lord be with you!

People: And also with you!

Welcome and Announcements

Prayer of Preparation, Praise and Adoration

Hymn #648 - Love Divine, All Loves Excelling

Sharing of Joys & Concerns

Pastoral Prayer & the Lord's Prayer

Children's Time:

Scripture Reading: Psalm 29

Hymn #258 - Go, Tell it on the Mountain

Scripture Reading: Matthew 4:12-23

Message: The Baptism of Jesus

Offering of Gifts

Offertory: Deep River

Response: Doxology

Praise God from whom all blessings flow

Praise Him all creatures here below,

Praise Him above ye heavenly hosts

Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost. Amen

Prayer of Dedication

Hymn #553 - Nearer, My God to Thee (1,2 &4)

Charge, Blessing and Sending with Peace

Leader: The peace of Christ be with you!

People: And also with you!

Postlude: O Worship the King

SUNDAY, January 12

9:15 to 10:15 am - Adult Sunday School

10:15 to 10:45 am - Coffee Hour

10:45 to Noon - Worship

TUESDAY, January 13

Noon - Free Spark Luncheon

5:30 - E & O Meeting in Gold Circle Room

WEDNESDAY, January 14

7:00 Choir Rehearsal

THURSDAY, January 15

7:00 pm - Women's AA Meeting

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Congregational Meeting after Worship



Next Sunday, ~01-12~ Liturgist: Gaye Gibson, **Sound Room:** Brian Lieb, **Extended Church:** Open, **Money Counters:** Carolyn Durr, Marilyn Johnston; **Greeters:** Dick and Karen Birtcher, Louise Whitis, Greg Angeletti; **Nursery:** Deb Blamer, **Children's Sermon:** Thom Ogilvie, **Coffee Hour:** Chris Rainey

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Prayer for the New Year

Heavenly Father, we thank You for the year that has passed and for the many blessings You have showered on us.

We beg your forgiveness in our many failings and trespasses and pray that the coming year will be a fruitful one filled with purpose and love for You and others.

We earnestly pray for the gift of the Holy Spirit and we call upon our Lord Jesus Christ for His strength, His guidance and His light to shine on our paths in this new year of 2020.

We will not forget to thank and praise You for it, Father.



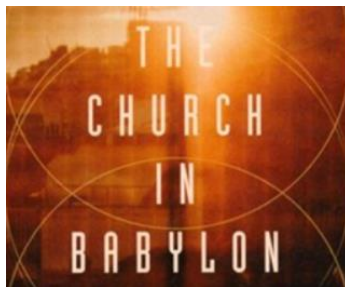
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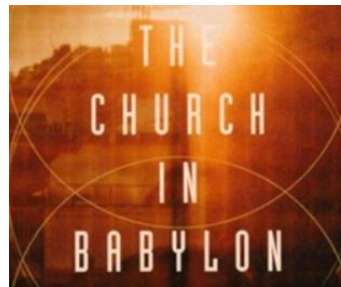
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- Mike** –(Rose Novell's daughter Nikki's husband) has medical issues but now contacted pneumonia and is not getting better.
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- Shirley** (Barb Jobes' Mom), who has lung cancer
- Lovona Parkhill** – continued health needs
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