

February 27, 2022
Last Sunday after the Epiphany

Watchword for the Week – And when they looked up, they saw no one except Jesus alone. Matthew 17:8

Welcome to our service of worship for this Last Sunday in a season of the church year called Epiphany. During Christmas we celebrate Jesus coming as the Light of the World. Epiphany focuses on His Light shining forth in ever widening circles to touch the hearts of people everywhere. As we worship today may the love of God the Father burn warmly in our hearts and may the Holy Spirit rekindle in each of us a passion to light our world with the Good News of our Lord Jesus Christ. He is the Way, the Truth and the Life - the only source of salvation.

If you are visiting with us today we are especially glad you are here. Please take a moment to add your name, address and phone number to the blue Friendship Register as it is passed down the pew. We consider you an honored guest and hope that you will return and worship with us in the weeks to come. If you are looking for a church home, we would love to talk with you about joining the Friedberg church family.

Please silence all cell phones before worship.

Prelude *Fairest Lord Jesus* Arr. Prim

Welcome and Announcements

Hymn *We Have Come to Join in Worship* (Burg) # 207
(Children May Leave for Children's Church)

Joys and Concerns

Pastoral Prayer

Holy Scripture Genesis 13:8-13

Giving of Our Tithes and Offering

Prayer
Offertory *Shout to the North* Martin
Doxology *Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow* (Blue) # 817

Hymn *Blest Be the Tie That Binds* (Burg) # 426

Sermon "I Hear Voices - But That's a Good Thing
The Voice of Abraham: Let There Be No Strife Between Us"

Hymn *Love Divine, All Loves Excelling* (Burg) # 648

Benediction

Postlude *Jesus Saves!* Kirkpatrick

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All parents who have a child in children's church will be required to physically come down to the Children's Center on the first floor of the Family Life Center and sign their child out before they are released at the end of worship.

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Jeannine Bradley	J.T. Hopkins	Lois Rush
Sandra Chambers	Robbie Joyce	Ann Sapp
Franklin Clark	Ken Ketner	Greg Sapp
Ruby Clinard	Daryl Lamb	Merle Scott
Phil Dennis	Pat Lambeth-Watson	Bill Sides
Emily Essick	Peggy Lawson	Homer & Bonnie Sides
Jerry Evans	Yvonne Lemons	Becky Sizemore
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Don Faust	Larry Payne	Louise Snyder
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We Have Come to Join in Worship 207

Worship the Lord in the splendor of His holiness. 1 Chronicles 16:29

1. We have come to join in wor - ship And a - dore the Lord our God.
 2. See them gath - er all a - round you, Those He bought at such a cost;
 3. Let us love our God su - preme-ly; Let us love each oth - er, too.

Let us come in prayer, ex - spect - ing God to speak His might - y Word.
 See the wea - ry, see the hurt - ing, See the lone - ly, see the lost.
 Let us care for all His peo - ple Till our God makes all things new.

All is vain un - less the Spir - it Of the Ho - ly One comes down.
 Be His hand, and touch the need - y; Be His gos - pel, let it sound!
 Christ will call us home to heav - en; At His ban - quet we'll sit down;

Chris - tians, pray, and ho - ly man - na Will be show - ered all a - round.
 Be His bod - y, and sweet man - na Will be show - ered all a - round.
 Christ Him - self will rise and serve us Liv - ing man - na all a - round.

TEXT: Ken Bible and George Atkins
 MUSIC: William Moore

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geth - er with love. There is on - ly one God, There is on - ly one

King, There is on - ly one bod - y; That is why we can sing:

Blest Be the Tie That Binds 426

You are all one in Christ Jesus. Galatians 3:28

1. Blest be the tie that binds Our hearts in Chris - tian love;
2. Be - fore our Fa - ther's throne We pour our ar - dent prayers;
3. When we a - sun - der part, It gives us in - ward pain;

The fel - low - ship of kin - dred minds Is like to that a - bove.
Our fears, our hopes, our aims are one, Our com - forts and our cares.
But we shall still be joined in heart, And hope to meet a - gain.

TEXT: John Fawcett
MUSIC: Johann G. Naegeli; arranged by Lowell Mason

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S.M.

648 Love Divine, All Loves Excelling

God is love. Whoever lives in love lives in God, and God in him. 1 John 4:16

1. Love di - vine, all loves ex - cel - ling, Joy of heav'n, to earth come down!
 2. Breathe, O breathe Thy lov - ing Spir - it In - to ev - ery trou - bled breast!
 3. Come, Al - might - y, to de - liv - er; Let us all Thy life re - ceive.
 4. Fin - ish then Thy new cre - a - tion; Pure and spot - less let us be.

Fix in us Thy hum - ble dwell - ing; All Thy faith - ful mer - cies crown.
 Let us all in Thee in - her - it; Let us find the prom - ised rest.
 Sud - den - ly re - turn, and nev - er, Nev - er - more Thy tem - ples leave.
 Let us see Thy great sal - va - tion Per - fect - ly re - stored in Thee:

Je - sus, Thou art all com - pas - sion; Pure, un - bound - ed love Thou art.
 Take a - way our bent to sin - ning; Al - pha and O - me - ga be.
 Thee we would be al - ways bless - ing, Serve Thee as Thy hosts a - bove,
 Changed from glo - ry in - to glo - ry, Till in heav'n we take our place,

Vis - it us with Thy sal - va - tion; En - ter ev - ery trem - bling heart.
 End of faith, as its be - gin - ning, Set our hearts at lib - er - ty.
 Pray and praise Thee with - out ceas - ing, Glo - ry in Thy per - fect love.
 Till we cast our crowns be - fore Thee, Lost in won - der, love and praise.

TEXT: Charles Wesley

MUSIC: John Zundel; Last stanza setting and Choral ending by Bill Wolaver

A higher setting may be found at No. 93

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