

+All may stand as able.

9:00 and 11:00 a.m.

OFFERTORY "A Sketch"

Andrew Irvin, Violin

Rosalind F. Ellicott

# Third Sunday after the Epiphany

CALL TO WORSHIP BELL PEAL

WELCOME

PRELUDE "Berceuse"

Andrew Irvin, Violin

Dr. John Robbins

Ethel Barns

+ HYMN 62 "All Creatures of Our God and King" vss. 1-3 and 7

LASST UNS ERFREUEN

+CALL TO WORSHIP

The Lord is my strength and my shield;  
**my heart trusted in God, and I am helped.**  
Therefore my heart greatly rejoices,  
**and with my song I will praise the Lord.**  
Let us share Christ's peace with one another  
By saying, peace be with you!  
**Peace be with you!**  
Amen, **amen**

James Maase

+SUNG RESPONSE 160 vs. 1

**Rejoice, ye pure in heart; rejoice, give thanks, and sing;  
your glorious banner wave on high, the cross of Christ your King.**  
Refrain: **Rejoice, rejoice, rejoice, give thanks and sing.**

MARION

SCRIPTURE Luke 4:14-21

9:00 Rev. Kathleen McMurray, 11:00 Dr. Jeffery Hampton

SOLO "Surely He Will Care for Me"

Phoebe Johnson, Soprano

John Carter

9:00 STEPHEN MINISTRY COMMISSIONING

Those to be commissioned: Matthew Anderson, Nancy Archer, Cynthia Hampton, Virginia Lewis, Megan Rugg

Carole Ann Provin, Dr. Hampton

VOWS OF STEPHEN MINISTERS

Stephen Ministers: **Yes, with the help of God.**

VOWS OF THE CONGREGATION

Congregation: **Yes, with the help of God.**

PRAYER OF COMMENDATION

**Because you have promised faithfully to serve God and the people of Christ as Stephen Ministers, I commend you to the care and guidance of the Holy Spirit, as you, in turn, care for others. Act boldly and without fear, for Christ is with you. "May the God of peace sanctify you wholly; and may your spirit, soul and body be kept sound and blameless at the coming of our Lord Jesus Christ." Amen.**

Dr. Robbins

LESSON FOR YOUNG CHRISTIANS

All singing Hymn 147, refrain only  
Refrain: **All things bright and beautiful, all creatures great and small,  
all things wise and wonderful: the Lord God made them all.**

Pam Lentz

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

The Lord be with you.  
**And also with you.**  
Let us pray.

Dr. Hampton

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, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.**

OFFERTORY PRAYER

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9:00 Rev. McMurray, 11:00 Dr. Hampton

+PRESENTATION OF OFFERINGS WITH DOXOLOGY 94

**Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;  
Praise God, all creatures here below: Alleluia! Alleluia!  
Praise God, the source of all our gifts!  
Praise Jesus Christ, whose power uplifts!  
Praise the Spirit, Holy Spirit!  
Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!**

LASST UNS ERFREUEN

+AFFIRMATION OF FAITH 883 "A Statement of Faith of the United Church of Canada"

**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 love and serve others,  
to seek justice and 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. Amen.**

9:00 Rev. McMurray, 11:00 Dr. Hampton

+GLORIA PATRI 70

**Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost;  
as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen. Amen.**

MEINEKE

+SCRIPTURE Nehemiah 8:1-2, 5-6, 8-10

The Word of God for the people of God.

**Thanks be to God.**

Dr. Robbins

+GREETING

MESSAGE

"When the Word is Proclaimed"

Dr. Robbins

+INVITATION TO CHRISTIAN DISCIPLESHIP AND MINISTRY OPPORTUNITIES

+HYMN 430 "O Master, Let Me Walk with Thee"

MARYTON

WELCOME TO NEW MEMBERS

Dr. Hampton

RESPONSE FOR NEW MEMBERS

**We rejoice to recognize you as a member of Christ's holy church and we welcome you to Pulaski Heights United Methodist Church.  
With you we renew our vows to uphold it with our prayers, our presence, our gifts, our service and our witness.**

+BENEDICTION

Dr. Robbins

+BENEDICTION RESPONSE 143

**And God will raise you up on eagle's wings,  
bear you on the breath of dawn,  
make you to shine like the sun,  
and hold you in the palm of God's hand.**

+POSTLUDE "Psalm 19"

Benedetto Marcello



Assisting in Worship:  
 Dr. John Robbins, Senior Pastor  
 Dr. Jeffery Hampton, Pastor, Caring & Families  
 Rev. Kathleen McMurray, Pastor, Connecting Ministries  
 Pam Lentz, Minister to Children & Families  
 James Maase, Minister of Music, Arts & Worship  
 Stanley Cox, Associate Minister of Music & Arts/Organist  
 Ushers: 9:00 Lee Archer (L), Nancy Archer, Robert Araiza, Juli Araiza  
 11:00 David Jones (L), Emmy Jones, Ray Porter, Cher Dupuy

The flowers in the Columbarium Garden are given to the glory of God and in loving memory of Michael J. Ptak by Jacque and Shinn Ptak.

# WELCOME

*Thank you for joining us in worship.*



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*With Dr. John Robbins*

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