



We are a Reconciling Congregation!

***Grow, Play and Serve with a people with
Hearts for Children and Hands for Service.***

Fifth Sunday after the Epiphany

February 7, 2021

10:00 a.m.

GATHERING

PRELUDE

Give Me Jesus

Marilyn Rinehart

WELCOME

OPENING PRAYER (unison)

God of land and sea and the brilliant night skies, God of light and beauty and power, please enlarge our prayers. God of Bethlehem, Galilee and Calvary, God of hope and faith and love, please redeem our prayers from triviality. May the yearning of our souls, the gratitude of our hearts, the thoughts of our minds, and the energy of our bodies, be drawn together by your Spirit into one outpouring of thanksgiving and praise. Through Christ Jesus our Lord. Amen.

HYMN

I've Just Come from the Fountain
Barb Galarza, soloist

Spiritual

Refrain I've just come from the fountain, I've just come from the fountain, Lord, I've just come from the fountain, his name's so sweet. O Lord, I've sweet.

Vs. 1 O brother, do you love Jesus? Yes, yes, I do love my Jesus. Brother, do you love Jesus? His name's so sweet. O Lord, I've sweet

Refrain

Vs. 2 O sister, do you love Jesus? Yes, yes, I do love my Jesus. Sister, do you love Jesus? His name's so sweet. O Lord, I've sweet

Refrain

Vs. 3 O sinner, do you love Jesus? Yes, yes, I do love my Jesus. Sinner, do you love Jesus? His name's so sweet. O Lord, I've sweet

Refrain

PROCLAMATION OF THE WORD

OLD TESTAMENT READING

Isaiah 40:21-31

GOSPEL READING

Mark 1:29-45

SERMON

On Eagles' Wings

Rev. Eun-Hye Choi

RESPONSE TO THE WORD

HYMN

Let Us Break Bread Together

Spiritual

Vs. 1 Let us break bread together on our knees, let us break bread together on our knees.

When I fall on my knees with my face to the rising sun, O Lord, have mercy on me.

Vs. 2 Let us drink wine together on our knees, let us drink wine together on our knees. When I fall on my knees with my face to the rising sun, O Lord, have mercy on me.

Vs. 3 Let us praise God together on our knees, let us praise God together on our knees. When I fall on my knees with my face to the rising sun, O Lord, have mercy on me.

SACRAMENT OF HOLY COMMUNION

INVITATION

Christ our Lord invites to his table all who love him, who earnestly repent of their sin and seek to live in peace with one another. Therefore, let us confess our sin before God and one another.

Merciful God, we confess that we have not loved you with our whole heart. We have failed to be an obedient church. We have not done your will, we have broken your law, we have rebelled against your love, we have not loved our neighbors, and we have not heard the cry of the needy. Forgive us, we pray. Free us for joyful obedience, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

All pray in silence.

Hear the good news: Christ died for us while we were yet sinners; that proves God's love toward us. In the name of Jesus Christ, you are forgiven!

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING

It is right, and a good and joyful thing, always and everywhere to give thanks to you, Father Almighty, creator of heaven and earth. You formed us in your image and breathed into us the breath of life. When we turned away, and our love failed, your love remained steadfast. You delivered us from captivity, made covenant to be our sovereign God, and spoke to us through the prophets. And so, with your people on earth and all the company of heaven we praise your name and join their unending hymn:

Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of power and might, heaven and earth are full of your glory. Hosanna in the highest. Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Hosanna in the highest. Holy are you, and blessed is your Son Jesus Christ.

Your Spirit anointed him to preach good news to the poor, to proclaim release to the captives and recovering of sight to the blind, to set at liberty those who are oppressed, and to announce that the time had come when you would save your people. He healed the sick, fed the hungry, and ate with sinners. By the baptism of his suffering, death, and resurrection you gave birth to your Church, delivered us from slavery to sin and death, and made with us a new covenant by water and the Spirit. When the Lord Jesus ascended, he promised to be with us always, in the power of your Word and Holy Spirit.

On the night in which he gave himself up for us, he took bread, gave thanks to you, broke the bread, gave it to his disciples, and said: "Take, eat; this is my body which is given for you. Do this in remembrance of me." When the supper was over, he took the cup, gave thanks to you, gave it to his disciples, and said: "Drink from this, all of you; this is my blood of the new covenant, poured out for you and for many for the forgiveness of sins. Do this, as often as you drink it, in remembrance of me." And so, in remembrance of these your mighty acts in Jesus Christ, we offer ourselves in praise and thanksgiving as a holy and living sacrifice, in union with Christ's offering for us, as we proclaim the mystery of faith.

Christ has died; Christ is risen; Christ will come again.

Pour out your Holy Spirit on us gathered here, and on these gifts of bread and wine. Make them be for us the body and blood of Christ, that we may be for the world the body of Christ, redeemed by his blood. By your Spirit make us one with Christ, one with each other, and one in ministry to all the world, until Christ comes in final victory and we feast at his heavenly banquet. Through your Son Jesus Christ, with the Holy Spirit in your holy Church, all honor and glory is yours, almighty Father, now and forever.

Amen.

THE LORD'S Prayer

BREAKING THE BREAD

Prayer after Communion

Eternal God, we give you thanks for this holy mystery in which you have given yourself to us. Grant that we may go into the world in the strength of your Spirit, to give ourselves for others, in the name of Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

The Lord's Prayer (unison)

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.

Sharing of the Bread and the Cup

Prayer after Communion

OFFERING

*All loose coins and singles in the offering plate during February and March will go to Wesley Child Care Center Scholarship Program.
Please mail your offering to the church office or donate online.*

SENDING FORTH

COMMUNITY LIFE AND MINISTRY OPPORTUNITIES

BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE

Voluntary

William Croft

USHER: Chris Walters

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*Following the loving example of Jesus Christ, we affirm the inherent worth and dignity of every person as a beloved child of God. We welcome into the life and ministry of Glenview United Methodist Church all persons of every age, ability, race, gender identity, ethnicity, nationality, marital status, sexual orientation, family configuration, or socioeconomic or employment status.*

**WE ARE HAVING IN-PERSON WORSHIP NOW AT 10 A.M.,  
as well as live-streaming on Facebook and YouTube.  
We will be limited to 25 in the sanctuary, so visit our website to reserve your spot.**

## **COMMUNITY LIFE AND MINISTRY OPPORTUNITIES**

### **OUR PASTOR**

regularly calls all members of the congregation who are known to be in the hospital. If you know of anyone who is ill, please call the church office.

### **SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 14<sup>TH</sup> WILL BE TRANSFIGURATION/MARDI GRAS SUNDAY!**

Join us on line for our special worship with appropriate music. Later in the day, at 4:30 during GUMYouth/Confirmation "Chef Linda Kleckner" will be making her famous jambalaya on Zoom. Her recipe will be in the visitor so you can make your own alongside "Chef Linda". We all are invited to join in.

**ASH WEDNESDAY IS FEBRUARY 17<sup>TH</sup> - Come to Pastor's office at noon or 7 pm in the sanctuary.  
Please visit our website to sign up for in-person worship at 7 pm. Individual ash kits will be available to keep  
safe social distances. Let's begin this holy season of Lent together!**

### **THERE WILL BE NO RUMMAGE SALE IN MARCH!**

If you have been saving warm clothing for the sale, please consider donating it to our warm clothing drive for our sister church.

### **WE WILL CONTINUE TO COLLECT**

warm clothing for our sister church, Olivet UMC, throughout the winter months. The box will be in the rotunda across from the church office. Just drop off your donations any time Mon - Thurs 10 am - 2 pm.

### **DON'T FORGET OUR FOOD PANTRIES AS YOU DO YOUR SHOPPING - THEIR SUPPLIES ARE LOW!**

They especially need boxed cereal, boxed potatoes, soups, rice and rice mixes and pet food. The donation bin is in the rotunda.

**"Giving Away, Not Giving Up" will be our Lenten Sermon Series.**

### **OUR LENTEN STUDY GROUP ON ZOOM WILL BEGIN ON WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 24 AT 6:30.**

We will begin with *Soup with Substance* 6:30-7 pm on Wednesdays. Then from 7-8 pm we will begin studying the book "Grateful" by Diana Butler Bass. You are welcome to join us for both the "soup" and "study" or just one or the other. Contact the church office or Pastor Eun-Hye to RSVP.

### **ARE YOU STRESSED, ALONE, ANXIOUS, WORRIED OR JUST NEED TO TALK TO OTHERS?**

Then please join our Thursday confidential Zoom support group. It is held every Thursday afternoon at 2 p.m. Meet with Pastor Eun-Hye and others who share your concerns. Email Pastor Choi to get the zoom link ([echoi@glenviewumc.org](mailto:echoi@glenviewumc.org)).

### **IN CASE OF EMERGENCY -**

Contact Pastor Eun-Hye by email at [echoi@glenviewumc.org](mailto:echoi@glenviewumc.org) or cell: 847-525-7261.

## **LOOSE COINS AND SINGLES**

in the offering plate during February and March will go to *Wesley Child Care Center Scholarship Assistance Program*. This program is committed to providing financial assistance to families in need of quality child care. This program assists low-income families and in other instances helps families in need due to a loss of a family member, health issues, or other short term emergency. Since full paying families do not subsidize families on scholarship, Wesley must depend on contributions from a variety of other sources. Wesley provides nearly 60 scholarships annually. If you are called to give more, please submit a check with *Wesley CCC* on the memo line.

## **OUR STEPHEN MINISTERS ARE READY TO CARE!**

Stephen Ministers are members of Glenview United Methodist Church who have been through extensive training and provide confidential, one-to-one, Christian care to people who are experiencing a difficult time. They listen, care, encourage, pray and provide weekly support for as long as the need persists. If you or someone you know is hurting, find out more about Stephen Ministry by talking with one of our Stephen Leaders: Ethel Doyle or Damian Neuberger. Our Stephen Ministers are ready to bring God's love and care to those in need.

### **THIS WEEK: February 7 - February 14, 2021**

**Sunday:** 11:00 "Coffee Fellowship" Time via Zoom

**Monday:** 7:00 "Agile Church" meeting via Zoom

**Tuesday:** 10:00 Staff meeting via Zoom  
7:00 Mission and Service via Zoom  
7:00 Trustees via Zoom

**Wednesday:** 7:00 Last Adult Study via Zoom

**Thursday:** 2:00 Support Group via Zoom

**Saturday:** 7 am A. A., choir room

### **Next Sunday:**

9:30 Sunday School via Zoom

10:00 Transfiguration/Mardi Gras Sunday Worship in the sanctuary

11:00 "Coffee Fellowship" Time via Zoom

4:30 GUMYouth/Confirmation with "Chef Linda" making her jambalaya via Zoom

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