

WELCOME TO WEST SIDE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

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Second Sunday after Epiphany • January 19, 2020

8:15 AM CHAPEL WORSHIP

We Prepare for God's Word

PRELUDE

Solace

Scott Joplin

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

*CALL TO WORSHIP AND OPENING PRAYER

Look! The Lamb of God, who takes away the sin of the world. We welcome the Anointed One, who makes us whole. Look! God's Chosen One, who calls us each by name. We greet the Messiah, who summons us to follow. Come and see—the Lord is here. Our hearts are made glad by God's grace! Praise the Lord! Let us pray: Steadfast God. You have enriched and enlightened us by the revelation of Your eternal Christ. Comfort us in our mortality and strengthen us to walk the path of Your desire, so that by word and deed we may manifest the gracious news of Your faithfulness and love. Amen. *HYMN 411 Arise, Your Light Is Come! FESTAL SONG PRAYER OF CONFESSION God of glory, we confess that we have not sought Your face. The prayer continues. * The congregation may stand. We adore the high and mighty and ignore Your humble servant. We act with prejudice and partiality and fail to share Your love for all.

Forgive us, God of grace. Pour out the power of Your Spirit and renew us in our calling: to show the wonder of Your love; through Jesus Christ our Lord.

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

***PASSING OF THE PEACE**

We Listen for God's Word

SCRIPTURE	John 1:29-42	
*HYMN 85	What Wondrous Love is This	WONDROUS LOVE
SERMON	Lamb of God	Rev. Penny Hogan

We Respond to God's Word

*RESPONSE OF FAITH	Romans 6:5-11			
For if we have been united with Him in a death like His,				
we will certainly be united with Him in a resurrection like His. We know that our old self was crucified with Him so that the body of sin				
	we might no longer be enslaved to sin.			
For whoever has died is free	d from sin. But if we have died with Christ,			
we believe that we will al	so live with Him.			
We know that Christ, being I	raised from the dead, will never die again;			
death no longer has domi	nion over Him.			
The death He died, He died t	o sin, once for all; but the life He lives, He lives to God.			
So you also must consider yo	ourselves dead to sin and alive to God in Christ Jesus.			
PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE and T	HE LORD'S PRAYER			
OFFERING				

*HYMN 276	Great Is Thy Faithfulness	FAITHFULNESS
*COMMUNION		
*CHARGE AND BLESSING		

9:00 AM CONTEMPORARY WORSHIP

*CALL TO WORSHIP AND OPENING SONGS

Let Everything (Praise the Lord), Ever Be, Hosanna

Children leave to join their Sunday School small groups after the first song.

BIDDING PRAYER

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*CLOSING SONG

This I Believe

*ANNOUNCEMENTS

***BLESSING AND PASSING OF THE PEACE**

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SUNDAY SMALL GROUPS

8:00 am - Infants and Toddlers - Room 202

9:00 am & 10:15 am - Sunday School for Grades K to 7 - Rooms 206, 306, 311, 312 and Serenity Room

9:00 am - The Gospel of Luke - Conference Room

9:45 am - Centering Prayer - Serenity Room

11:15 am - Prayer Circle - Pulsifer Chapel

11:30 am - Sermon Talk Back - Pulsifer Chapel

6:00 pm - FOCUS - Barn

6:00 pm - High School Choir - Large Choir Room

7:00 pm - High School BARN - Barn

10:15 AM TRADITIONAL WORSHIP

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KYRIE Lord have mercy. Christ have mercy. Lord have mercy.

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

*GLORIA PATRI

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.

***PASSING OF THE PEACE** Children leave to join their Sunday School small groups.

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PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE and THE LORD'S PRAYER

OFFERING

OFFERTORY ANTHEM Little Innocent Lamb setting, Marshall Bartholomew

Little Lamb, little Lamb, little innocent Lamb, I'm a-gonna serve God till I die. Hypocrite, hypocrite, tell you what he do, he'll talk about me, and he'll talk about you. Devil, he's got a slippery shoe, now if you don't mind, he gonna slip it on you. Cause there ain't no dying over there, in that heavenly land. There'll be joy! Just take one brick from Satan's wall, Satan's wall gonna tumble and fall.

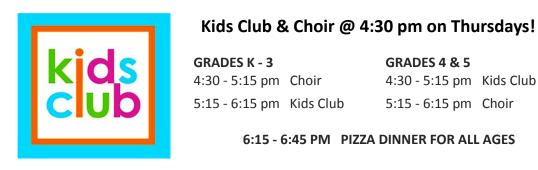
*DOXOLOGY

Praise God from whom all blessings flow; praise Christ, all people here below; praise Holy Spirit evermore; praise Triune God whom we adore. Amen.

PRAYERS OF THANKSGIVING

We Respond to God's Call

*HYMN 276	Great Is Thy Faithfulness	FAITHFULNESS			
*CHARGE AND BLESSING					
POSTLUDE	Postlude on WONDROUS LOVE	Richard Lind			



WHAT'S HAPPENING

Martin Luther King Jr. Day

West Side will be closed on **Monday, January 20** in observance of Martin Luther King Jr. Day. Celebrate the life and work of Dr. King on Monday at Ridgewood United Methodist Church on Dayton Street. The 38th annual event, which begins at 10:00 am, will include an interfaith worship service, a rally in Van Neste Square and a fellowship lunch at the church.



Spiritual Writing Workshop

Everyone has a unique path in life. Are you following yours? We'll explore this question on **January 25 from 9:00 am to 2:00 pm** in a free workshop led by Sandra Miller, author of *Trove: A Woman's Search for Truth and Buried Treasure.* We'll use writing prompts and reflective exercises designed to help you discover your unique purpose and joyfully step onto your path. All are invited to attend: men, women, writers, would-be writers, faith-filled or questioning. Cost for lunch: \$10. *Please RSVP to Pastor Liz (ljunod@westside.org).*

The Tononi Trio

The West Side Concert Series kicks off 2020 with the Tononi Trio, a musical fixture in Northern New Jersey, on **January 26 at 3:00 pm**. Come hear pianist Ron Levy, violinist Laura Hamilton and cellist Lanny Paykin perform trios by Beethoven, Rachmaninoff and Brahms. **Ron Levy** has been called "first class" by *The New York Times* and regularly appears as a soloist and in partnership with many of the world's leading singers and instrumentalists. **Laura Hamilton** spent more than three decades as principal associate concertmaster of the Metropolitan Opera Orchestra. And **Lanny Paykin** maintains a diverse career in the New York City area, performing with many orchestras, on Broadway, in recording studios, and in solo and chamber music concerts. Admission to the concert is free; donations are appreciated. Join us!

Family Square Dance and Chili Cook-Off

Break out your ten gallon hat and cowboy boots and kick up your heels at our Family Square Dance and Chili Cook-Off on **February 1 from 6:00 to 8:00 pm** in DePhillips Hall. All ages (toddlers to seniors) are invited. Come out and learn the steps from a professional square dance caller—or just sit back and listen to the music. No experience required. The only requirement is to have a good time! Suggested donation: a canned good for a family in need or a homeless pet. *Note: If you'd like to participate in the Chili Cook-Off, please email Pastor Penny (phogan@westside.org).*



Grief Group

Whether you're struggling with a recent loss or one from years ago, this support group can help. We're working with Paula D'Arcy's book *The Winter of the Heart: Finding Your Way Through the Mystery of Grief.* Join us in the Conference Room to share conversation and a meal together (please bring your own dinner) on Wednesday, **February 5 at 5:45 pm** or on Sunday, **February 9 at 11:30 am** in the Conference Room. For details, or if you need a ride, please reach out to Pat McGlade (pmcglade@westside.org).

Healing and Wholeness Service

Are you feeling stressed, anxious, fearful, overwhelmed? Maybe you feel sad and don't know why. Calm your mind and soothe your soul at our Healing and Wholeness Service in the Pulsifer Chapel on Wednesday, **February 5 at 7:30 pm**. This half-hour contemplative service is an oasis of serenity in our stress-filled world—an opportunity to be still and center yourself in a beautiful candlelit setting. Come...and bring a friend. You'll be glad you did.

Annual Meeting and Brunch—February 9

Please plan to attend our Annual Meeting and Brunch (hosted by the Men's Ministry) on **February 9** following our ONE SERVICE at 10:15 am. Be sure to bring the kids!

IS THIS YOUR FIRST TIME VISITING?

Welcome! We're so glad you're here. We look forward to helping you connect with others, grow more deeply in your faith and enrich your own life by serving others. Wherever you are on life's journey, there's a place for you at West Side.

Please stop by the visitor table located just inside the front doors, fill out a Let's Connect card and pick up a visitor bag. And please stay after worship to enjoy coffee/tea and refreshments in the Narthex and meet our members and ministers:

Rev. Marc Oehler, pastor, moehler@westside.org Rev. Penny Hogan, associate pastor, phogan@westside.org Rev. Liz Junod, pastoral associate, ljunod@westside.org Deborah Holden-Holloway, minister of music, dholden-holloway@westside.org Erik Eickhoff, associate minister of music, eeickhoff@westside.org Eric Hufschmid, contemporary music leader, ehufschmid@westside.org

To learn more about our faith community, and to see a complete staff directory, please visit westside.org.



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