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Worships God at 11:00 a.m. February 10, 2019

Fifth Sunday after Epiphany

The Bell Calls Us to Worship

Prelude Prelude on Ellacombe arr. J. Wayne Kerr

The congregation stands to sing

Processional Hymn 181 Come, Sing to God Ellacombe

Opening Sentences

Pastor: Our help is in the name of the Lord, People: The Maker of heaven and earth.

Pastor: The Lord be with you.
People: And also with you.

Pastor: Let us pray.

Prayer for the Day (spoken by the pastor; the congregation joining the **Amen.**) Most holy God, the whole earth is filled with your glory, and in your presence angels stand in awe. Enlarge our vision, that we may recognize your power at work in your Son and join the apostles and prophets as heralds of your saving word; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. **Amen.**

The congregation sits.

Confession of Sin

Unison

Lord God, of our salvation, through the death and resurrection of Jesus Christ, you have fulfilled your promise to the faithful.

Before you we confess that we are a people of unclean lips and hearts.

Forgive us for not always heeding your call to follow.

Give us courage to respond; and touch us with the fire of your love, that we might praise you ...

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Silent Prayers of Confession

Assurance of Pardon

The congregation stands to sing

Hymn 470 O Day of Radiant Gladness

Es Flog Ein Kleins Waldvogelein

Pastor: The peace of Christ be always with you.

People: And also with you.

Passing of the Peace (Worshippers greet one another with the peace of Christ.)

Welcome and Announcements

The children come to the Baptismal Font for a

Time with Young Christians

Prayer for Illumination

Old Testament Isaiah 6:1-8

Psalm 138

Unison

I give you thanks, O Lord, with my whole heart;

before the gods I sing your praise;

I bow down toward your holy temple and give thanks to your name

for your steadfast love and your faithfulness;

for you have exalted your name and your word above all.

On the day I called, you answered me; you increased my strength of soul.

All the kings of the earth shall praise you, O Lord,

for they have heard the words of your mouth.

They shall sing of the ways of the Lord, for great is the glory of the Lord.

For though the Lord is high, he regards the lowly;

but the haughty he perceives from far away.

Though I walk in the midst of trouble,

you preserve me against the wrath of my enemies;

you stretch out your hand, and your right hand delivers me.

The Lord will fulfill his purpose for me;

your steadfast love, O Lord, endures forever.

Do not forsake the work of your hands.

Anthem Christ Be My Leader

Slane

Christ be my leader by night as by day; safe through the darkness for He is the Way. Gladly I follow, my future His care, darkness is daylight when Jesus is there. Christ be my Teacher in age as in youth, drifting or doubting for He is the Truth. Grant me to trust Him, though shifting as sand. Doubt cannot daunt me; in Jesus I stand. Christ be my Savior in calm as in strife; death cannot hold me, for He is the Life. Nor darkness nor doubting nor sin and its stain can touch my salvation; with Jesus I reign. (-- Timothy Dudley-Smith, 1961; Tune: ancient Irish melody; setting by Henry V. Gerike, 1978)

Epistle1 Corinthians 15:1-11 **Gospel**Luke 5:1-11

Sermon The Most Important Thing You Do Dr. LindaJo McKim "Holy, holy, holy is the Lord of hosts; the whole earth is full of your glory." Isaiah 6:3b

The congregation stands to sing

Hymn 140

Apostles' Creed

Gloria Patri 579

The congregation sits.

Holy, Holy

Unison; Hymnal, page 14, Traditional

Henry W. Greatorex, 1851

Pastoral Prayer of Thanksgiving, Intercession, and Dedication

The Lord's Prayer (debts/debtors) Unison; Hymnal, page 16, Traditional

Offertory Sentence

Offertory In This, Thy Temple Bertha R. Frick

The congregation stands to sing the

Doxology 592 Old Hundredth

Benediction

Recessional Hymn 138Holy, Holy, Holy! Lord God Almighty!NicaeaPostludeFestive Trumpet TuneDavid German

Welcome to worship at Grace Presbyterian Church.

We are in the season of the Sundays after Epiphany. Epiphany means a shining forth, and thus the revelation of God in Christ to the world. During these weeks we read of Jesus' expanding ministry, including the call of the first disciples in today's Gospel.