

*Your Friendly  
Community Church*



**January 16, 2022**

*Second Sunday  
after the Epiphany*

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## ORDER OF WORSHIP

**PRELUDE** "How Great Thou Art"

**WELCOME**

**& ANNOUNCEMENTS**

Jan Smith

**\*CALL TO WORSHIP:**

Leader: We have come to worship God, the living God,

**People: Who calls prophets and teachers to bear witness.**

Leader: We have come to praise God the almighty God,

**People: Who answers the forces of hatred and hurt with the power of grace.**

Leader: We have come to worship God, all gracious God,

**People: Who chooses even you and me to receive and carry the Word of Life and hope.**

**All: All glory to God! Amen.**

**\*HYMN**

FWS #2070

"He Is Exalted"

**\*THE APOSTLES' CREED**

I believe in God the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth; And in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and was buried; the third day he rose from the dead; He ascended into heaven, and sitteth at the right hand of God the Father Almighty, from thence He shall come to judge the living and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body and the life everlasting. Amen.

**CHILDREN'S MOMENT**

Diane Horn

**PASTORAL PRAYER**

**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.

**OFFERING**

**OFFERTORY ANTHEM**

**\*DOXOLOGY** #95

**NEW TESTAMENT READING:** NT #163  
I Corinthians 12:1-11

**SERMON** "Under Construction - Spiritual Gifts"

**\*HYMN OF INVITATION** #408  
"The Gift of Love"

**INVITATION TO CHRISTIAN DISCIPLESHIP**

The altar is open for prayer. If you would like the pastor to pray with you, please so indicate. The doors of our church are open if anyone wants to join by profession of faith or by transfer.

**\*BENEDICTION**

**AMEN RESPONSE** #898

**POSTLUDE** "The Gift of Love"

*\*Please stand as you are able.*

**WELCOME GUESTS**

We welcome you to our worship service this morning. If you are visiting, please complete a visitor's card located in your pew and place it in the offering plate.

In honor of Martin Luther King, Jr. there will be a virtual district-wide service at noon on January 17 shared on Facebook (@ColumbiaDistrictUMSC) and YouTube ([bit.ly/ColaMLK](http://bit.ly/ColaMLK)).

## THIS WEEK'S CALENDAR

Monday, January 17, MLK, Jr. Birthday, **church office will be closed**

Tuesday, January 18, 6:30 pm: Leadership Team (meeting in CLC)

Wednesday, 6:30 pm: Choir

You are welcomed to attend one of our Sunday school groups each Sunday Morning:

**Crossroads SS Class** meets via Zoom at 9 a.m.  
Contact L.W. Smith for Zoom invite.

**Pathfinder SS Class** meets at 9:45 a.m. in the parlor in the Education Building.

### HEARING INFO

If you would like to use a hearing assistance device, please see an usher for assistance.

### PRAYER REQUESTS

Please write your prayer requests in the book found on the podium located at the back of the sanctuary before the service begins. Pastor Meegian will receive these requests and lift them up for prayer during worship.

We are excited to have you in our worship service today. We love that the walls of our building do not limit the impact of our ministry and have a wonderful community joining us today virtually. As such, we would like to remind all in attendance that your presence in our worship service indicates your approval that you and all minors you represent being recorded for our digital usage. This includes, but is not limited to, your image, name, and involvements in today's services.