

## FOLLOWING GOD'S WORD INTO THE WORLD

- \*HYMN Here I am, Lord 69
- \*CHARGE AND BENEDICTION
- \*BENEDICTION RESPONSE Douglas Wagner  
May the Road Rise to Meet You
- \*POSTLUDE One thing is Needful, Lord, BWV 453 J. S. Bach

Please join us in worship the next three Sundays and be inspired.

February 9 and 16 Rev. Larry Owens will continue to lead us.

February 23 Rev. Aisha Brooks-Lytle, Executive Presbyter, Presbytery of Greater Atlanta will lead.

Session asks for prayers from the congregation for discernment in all phases of this process.

Phase	Description	Status
Phase 1	Presbytery advises the session about options moving forward - (traditional path - IPNC & PNC, or Presbytery suggests several experienced pastors for consideration by the Session)	✓
Phase 2	Session accepts the option of moving forward with an experienced pastor, chosen from Presbytery candidates.	✓
Phase 3	Lunch and Listen - Congregation suggests attributes they'd like to see in our next pastor. These will be used to guide the session during the interview process.	✓
Phase 4	Presbytery offers the session a slate of pre-screened candidates	✓
Phase 5	Session reviews candidates (resumes, preaching samples, etc.)	
Phase 6	Session prays, discerns, and makes a final choice of a new pastor	
Phase 7	Final Tasks: The new pastor is introduced to and welcomed by the congregation, installed, and assimilated into the life of CPC	

To Everyone who helped with Zack's Memorial Service. Thank you for liturgy, music, food and time. You are generous with your talents and loving in your offerings. I am so proud of our church family.

In God's Love,

Pat Sheffield  
Member Care Team



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**CHILDREN-CPC** welcomes children and offers ways to make worship meaningful for them. Childcare is provided for children under 3 in our nursery downstairs. We have a child protection policy to promote safe, loving, and appropriate care.

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### MONDAY, FEBRUARY 10

5:30 pm ACA Meeting

8:00 pm AA Meeting

8:00 pm Al-Anon

Meeting

### TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 11

8:00 am Tai Chi

12:00 pm Al-Anon

2:00 pm Open Hands - Food

5:45 pm Disciple Bible Study

7:00 pm Tai Chi

### WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 12

9:00 am Golden K

5:45 pm Wednesday Night Dinner

7:00 pm Adult Choir

### THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 13

8:00 am Tai Chi

11:00 am Soup Kitchen

2:00 pm Open Hands—Food

5:30 pm ACA Meeting

7:00 pm Tai Chi

### FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 14

12:00 pm Al-Anon

### SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 15

### SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 16

9:45 am Sunday School

10:40 am Fellowship Break

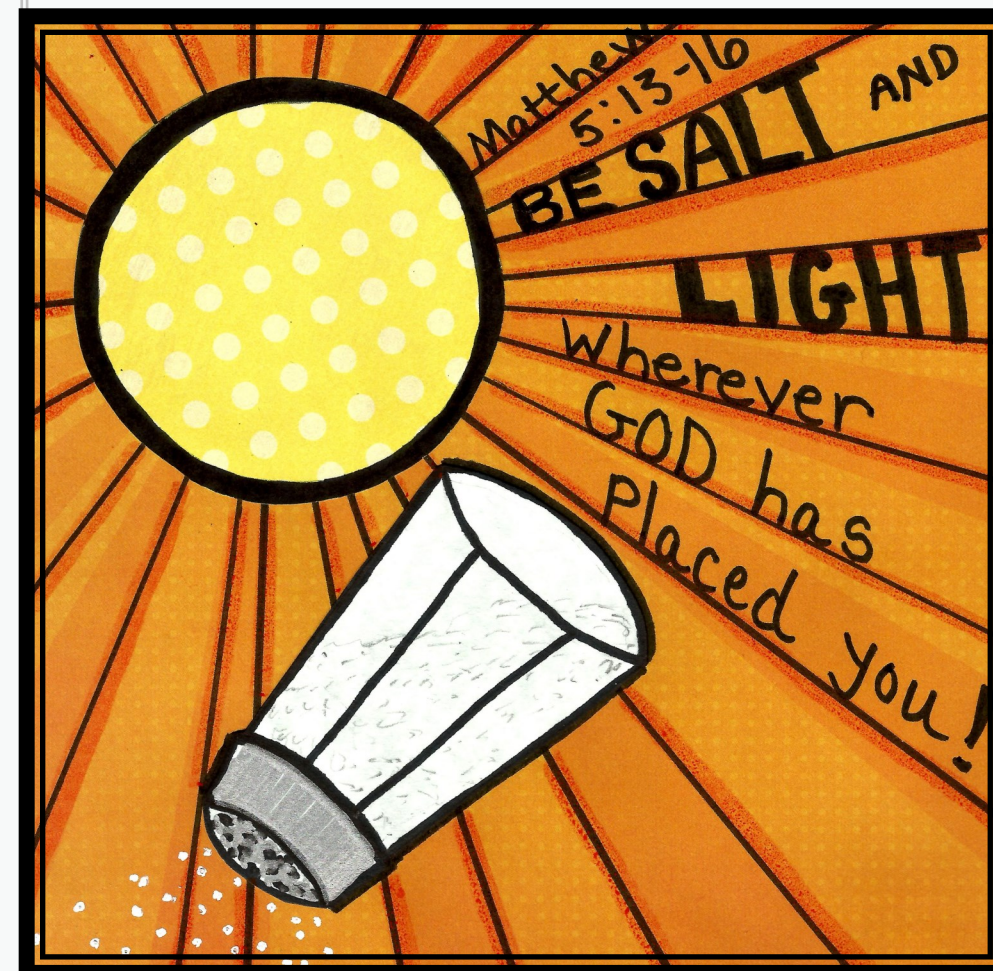
11:00 am Worship

## SERVICE FOR THE LORD'S DAY

### FIFTH SUNDAY AFTER EPIPHANY

FEBRUARY 9, 2020

11:00 A.M.



## MATTHEW 5:13-16

You are the salt of the earth.  
You are the light of the world.  
Let your light shine before men,  
That they may see your good  
deeds and praise your Father in  
heaven.

## PREPARING TO WORSHIP GOD

### Centering Prayer

It may not be on the mountain's height, or over a stormy sea;  
It may not be at the battle's front My Lord will have need of me;  
But if by a still small voice He calls to paths I do not know, I'll  
answer, dear Lord, with my hand in Thine, I'll go where you want  
me to go. I'll go where you want me to go, dear Lord, O'er  
mountain, plain or sea; I'll say what you want me to say, dear Lord,  
I'll be what you want me to be.

**MUSICAL MEDITATIONS** All Creatures of Our God and King  
Geistliche Kirchengesling  
Mary Anne Taylor

### CHIMING OF THE HOUR

## GATHERING AROUND GOD'S WORD

*(\*)Please rise as you are able.*

**WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS** Mary Anne Taylor

**PRELUDE** Eternal Father, Strong to Save John B. Dykes  
Marie Fujita-Block and Brianna Cunningham, clarinet

**INTROIT** From the Rising of the Sun Douglas Wagner  
CPC Ringers and Choir

### \*CALL TO WORSHIP

We are called to follow, to walk in the way of justice and  
righteousness,

**for we are children of God!**

We are called to serve, to be Christ with and for one another,  
**for we are the salt of the earth!**

We are called to shine, to be beacons of hope and witnesses to  
truth,

**for we are the light of the world!**

Come, you who are claimed as children of God, salt of the earth  
and light of the world.

**Let us worship the Lord!**

**\*HYMN** O For a Thousand Tongues to Sing 610

### \*CALL TO CONFESSION

### \*PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Lord, we confess that too often we forget that we are yours. We  
go about our business conscious of little more than our own  
needs and pleasures. We dismiss the hurt of others, insisting  
that we are not our brother's keeper. Yet all the while, we  
know we are deceiving ourselves as we turn our backs and

harden our hearts. Forgive us for refusing to be who you have  
called us to be: your Body in the world. By your Spirit, set our  
feet on the high road of Kingdom living, and keep us on that Way  
forever. This we ask in the Name of the One who is always beside  
us, Jesus Christ. Amen.

### \*ASSURANCE OF GOD'S GRACE

Hear these comforting words; if you repentant believe in God's  
redeeming mercy, your sins are forgiven. We are forgiven for God  
is light. Our future awaits us with hope.

**We walk in the light of God's grace. Amen!**

### \*MUSICAL RESPONSE We are marching in the peace of God

We are marching in the peace of God.  
(Repeat three times)

We are marching, marching, we are marching, marching, oh ohhh!  
We are marching in the peace of God.

We are marching, marching, we are marching, marching, oh ohhh!  
We are marching in the peace of God.

## LISTENING FOR GOD'S WORD

### PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

**OLD TESTAMENT** Isaiah 58:1-12 Pew Bible OT p. 688  
This the word of the Lord! Dr. Lisa Adam Somerlot  
**Thanks be to God!**

**EPISTLE** II Peter 1:16-21 Pew Bible NT p. 236  
This is the Word of the Lord! Johnny Jackson  
**Thanks be to God!**

**ANTHEM** It is Good to Give Thanks Charles Kirby

**GOSPEL** Matthew 5:13-20 Pew Bible NT p. 4  
This is the Word of the Lord! Larry Owens  
**Thanks be to God!**

**SERMON** Salt and Light: Just Be It!

## RESPONDING TO GOD'S WORD

**\*HYMN** Gather Us In 401

**AFIRMATION OF FAITH** Nicene Creed 34  
Let us confess the faith of the universal church.

**We believe in one God,  
the father, the Almighty  
maker of heaven and earth,  
of all that is, seen and unseen.**

**We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ,  
the only Son of God,  
eternally begotten of the Father,  
God from God, Light from Light,  
true God from true God,  
begotten, not made,  
of one Being with the Father;  
through him all things were made.  
For us and for our salvation  
he came down from heaven,  
was incarnate of the Holy Spirit and the Virgin Mary  
and became truly human.  
For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate;  
he suffered death and was buried.  
On the third day he rose again  
in accordance with the Scriptures;  
he ascended into heaven  
and is seated at the right hand of the Father.  
He will come again in glory to judge the living and the  
dead, and his kingdom will have no end.**

**We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life,  
who proceeds from the Father and the Son,  
who with the Father and the Son  
is worshiped and glorified,  
who has spoken through the prophets.  
We believe in one holy catholic and apostolic church.  
We acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of sins.  
We look for the resurrection of the dead,  
and the life of the world to come. Amen.**

### PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE AND 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 debts as we forgive our debtors. And lead us not into  
temptation, but deliver us from evil, for thine is the  
kingdom, and the power, and the glory forever. Amen.**

### PRESENTATION OF TITHES AND OFFERINGS

**OFFERTORY** May The Circle be Unbroken Gabriel & Carters  
Johnny Jackson and Mimi Gentry, duet

**\*DOXOLOGY** 606

### \*PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING