

Order of Worship

Second Sunday of Epiphany

January 16, 2022 10:00 AM

Welcome to this time of worship, as we gather in the name of Jesus Christ.

Prelude

Priere

Joseph Jongen

Mark Frazier, organ

***Greeting**

Leader: We gather to worship God,

People: Who creates us and loves us;

Leader: Who gifts us with diversity and makes us for community;

People: Who gives Jesus Christ to show us how to live;

Leader: Who inspires people of all ages,

People: To seek justice and live together in love and equality;

Leader: Who invites us to join the struggle for wholeness and wellbeing for all,

People: and whose presence, grace, and love sustain us in our living.

Leader: We gather to worship God.

People: To God be all glory, honor, and praise!

***Prayer for Courage to Do Justice**

O Lord,

open my eyes that I may see the needs of others;

open my ears that I may hear their cries;

open my heart so that they need not be without succor;

let me not be afraid to defend the weak because of the anger of the strong,

nor afraid to defend the poor because of the anger of the rich.

Show me where love and hope and faith are needed,

and use me to bring them to those places.

And so open my eyes and my ears

that I may this coming day be able to do some work of peace for thee. Amen.

Welcome

Rev. Nilse Furtado-Gilliam

Children's Message

Scripture**1 Corinthians 12:1-11**

The word of God for the people of God.

Thanks be to God.

Sermon**Playing to Our Strengths**

Rev. Tracy McNeil Wines

Offering

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and click "Make your online offering."*

Prayer of the People

Rev. Furtado-Gilliam

Benediction

Rev. Wines

Postlude**Prelude in the French Style**

Coleman

*The opening prayer is from The United Methodist Hymnal, number 456, written by Alan Paton, South Africa
Prayer of the People is adapted from a prayer by Nancy C. Townley, Ministry Matters.*