

# Order of Worship

Baptism of the Lord Sunday

January 9, 2022 10:00 AM

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

## Prelude

### \*Greeting

Leader: All creation proclaims the greatness and love of God.

**People: God's love permeates even the deepest darkness.**

Leader: The light of God shines on us with new hope.

**People: We are called to be people of compassion and justice.**

Leader: Open our hearts, O Lord, to see your light and live in your hope.

**People: Prepare us for service to all your people and to this world.**

### \*Opening Prayer

**Lord of Hope and Light,**

**in the midst of darkness you offered light**

**to people who lived in fear.**

**Today that light comes to us as we celebrate the Baptism of the Lord.**

**Open our hearts this day and remind us**

**that you have marked us as people of hope and light.**

**Prepare us to serve you by serving your world. Amen.**

## Welcome

Rev. Nilse Furtado-Gilliam

## Children's Message

## Scripture

**Isaiah 43:1-7**

The word of God for the people of God.

**Thanks be to God.**

## Sermon

**Through the Waters**

Rev. Tracy McNeil Wines

## Offering

*You are invited to make your offering to support the ministry and mission of Clarendon UMC. You may text to give at 84321 or go to the Online Worship page of our website and click*

*"Make your online offering."*

**Prayer of the People**

Rev. Furtado-Gilliam

**Benediction**

Rev. Wines

**Postlude**