

Epiphany of the Lord

January 3, 2021

10:00am

Gathering and Welcome

Call to Worship

One: Arise, shine for your light has come!

All: The glory of the Lord has risen upon us.

One: Let us praise the Lord together.

All: The sun shall no longer be our light by day, nor will the brightness of the moon shine upon us

One: For the Lord will be our light, and our God will be our glory.

All: The Lord will be our everlasting light, and our days of sorrow will end.

One: Come, let us sing of our light and salvation!

Opening Hymn

“The First Noel”

No. 245

Opening Prayer

Almighty Lord God, you gave your Son, Jesus Christ, to be the light of the world: We praise and magnify your holy name that in him you have revealed the wonder of your saving love to all people. With those of old who brought their tribute to his feet, confessing him as King of heaven and earth, we now present the worship of our grateful hearts, asking you to give us grace to give ourselves to you, through the same Jesus Christ, our Lord. Amen.

Joys and Concerns

Silent Prayer

Special Music

Scripture Reading

Isaiah 60:1-6

Hymn of Preparation

“What Child is This”

No. 219

Scripture Reading

Matthew 2:1-12

Sermon

What Child is This?

Pastor Sam

Pastoral Prayer

The Lord’s Prayer

Closing Hymn

“Sing We Now of Christmas”

No. 237

Blessing and Benediction

Large print bulletins and hymnals are available. If you would like one, please see an usher.