

JANUARY 10, 2016
BAPTISM OF THE LORD

8:00 a.m.

Gathering

LIFE IN THE CHURCH

Rev. Ryo

FAITH IN ACTION

Congregational Nominating Committee

Helena Prince

CALL TO WORSHIP

Psalm 96:2-3

One: Sing, and bless God's name;

All: **tell the glad news of salvation from day to day.**

One: Proclaim God's glory to the nations,

All: **God's marvelous deeds to all people**

*HYMN 610

O for a Thousand Tongues to Sing

AZMON

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Merciful God, in baptism you promise forgiveness and new life, making us part of the body of Christ. We confess that we remain preoccupied with ourselves, separated from sisters and brothers in Christ. We cling to destructive habits, hold grudges and show reluctance to welcome one another; we allow the past to hold us hostage.

In your loving kindness, have mercy on us, and free us from sin. Remind us of the promises you make in baptism so that we may rise to new life, and live together in grace.

from Book of Common Worship

SILENT CONFESSION

ASSURANCE OF GOD'S FORGIVENESS

*PASSING OF THE PEACE

You are invited to share signs with one another of the peace we experience as forgiven people. Greet one another saying, "The peace of Christ be with you," and respond, "And also with you."

*CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE

**O for a thousand tongues to sing my dear Redeemer's praise,
the glories of my God and King, the triumphs of God's grace!**

Proclaiming

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

Lori Pickard

OLD TESTAMENT READING

Isaiah 43:1-7

This is the Word of the Lord. **Thanks be to God.**

GOSPEL READING

Mark 1:9-13

This is the Word of the Lord. **Thanks be to God.**

EPISTLE READING

I Corinthians 12:1-11

This is the Word of the Lord. **Thanks be to God.**

SERMON

Daniel Ervin

Responding

*HYMN 297

In Christ Called to Baptize

ST. DENIO

WELCOME

Please sign the Friendship Pad and pass it to others sitting nearby.

OFFERING OF TITHES AND GIFTS

Offertory

SACRAMENT OF HOLY COMMUNION

Invitation to the Lord's Table

Great Prayer of Thanksgiving and the Lord's Prayer

One: The Lord be with you.

All: And also with you.

One: Lift up your hearts.

All: We lift them up to the Lord.

One: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

All: It is right to give our thanks and praise.

**Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of power and might,
heaven and earth are full of your glory. Hosanna in the highest.
Blessed is the one who comes in the name of the Lord.
Hosanna in the highest, hosanna in the highest.**

**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.**

Words of Institution

Communion

*The chalice contains only non-alcoholic grape juice. Gluten-free wafers are located in the center
cup on each wafer tray.*

Communion Prayer

One: Bless the Lord, O my soul;

All: and all that is within me, bless God's holy name!

One: Bless the Lord, o my soul;

All: and forget not all God's blessings.

Sending

*HYMN 302

When Hands Reach Out and Fingers Trace

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*CHARGE AND BENEDICTION

*CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE

Your Spirit gives us differing ways to serve you well and offer praise.

When all are joined as one, we'll be your able, strong community.