

ALL SAINTS Presbyterian Church

Fifth Sunday after Epiphany

February 5, 2023

OUR LORD CALLS US TO WORSHIP HIM

Baptism of Ada Caroline Barnes

† *Pastor:* Let us worship God! We are gathered in the name of God the Father, God the Son, and God the Holy Spirit. Let us give thanks to the Lord.

Congregation: We give thanks to the Lord.

Grace to you and peace from God our Father and the Lord Jesus Christ. The Lord be with you.

And also with you.

O come, let us worship and bow down;

Let us kneel before the LORD our Maker.

For He is our God.

And we are the people of His pasture, and the sheep of His hand.

Psalm 95:6-7



Lift up your hearts...

We lift them up to the Lord!

† COLLECT & 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 have forgiven 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.**

† Congregational Singing

All Creatures of Our God and King—288-289

OUR LORD CLEANSSES US FROM OUR SIN

A Corporate Reading of Our Lord's Instruction

May Your lovingkindnesses also come to me, O LORD, Your salvation according to Your word; so I will have an answer for him who reproaches me, for I trust in Your word.

And do not take the word of truth utterly out of my mouth, for I wait for Your ordinances.

So I will keep Your law continually, forever and ever.

And I will walk at liberty, for I seek Your precepts.

I will also speak of Your testimonies before kings and shall not be ashamed.

I shall delight in Your commandments, which I love.

And I shall lift up my hands to Your commandments, which I love; and I will meditate on Your statutes.

Psalm 119:41-48



AN INVITATION TO CONFESS
OUR SINS:

† The congregation is invited to stand

‡ CONGREGATIONAL PRAYER
We Confess Our Sins, Together & Individually

Heavenly Father, we come to You through our Lord Jesus Christ and because of Your willingness to forgive. You knew us before we were born. You formed our inward parts. Our frames were not hidden from You. There is nowhere we can hide from Your knowledge and presence. You know our sins of pride and selfishness. Our neglect of Your Word has led us into greater selfishness. We have not given preference to others in honor. We have not loved others as we love ourselves. We have not sought to build up and encourage one another. We have been critical of our brothers and sisters. As You kindly hear and forgive the sins we now confess, renew us in Your ways...

[We pause in prayer, and then conclude together...]

O Lord, we give You thanks for Your kindness and abundant pardon; provided through Your Son who has died for us, taking the penalty which was our due, and You have received us in Him. Now grant, most merciful Lord, that we may hereafter live a godly, righteous, and sober life, and this to the glory of Thy holy name. Amen.

† CONGREGATIONAL SINGING: *Create in Me a Clean Heart, O God*—415

† ABSOLUTION: Our Assurance of Forgiveness is declared
“In the Name of God the Father, Son, & Holy Spirit”
“Thanks be to God!”

† CONGREGATIONAL SINGING: *Be Gracious unto Me, O God* [Psalm 56] —88



THE PRAYERS OF THE CHURCH

We join together praying for the church, one another, and the world

OUR LORD TEACHES US FROM HIS WORD

Scripture Lesson from
the Old Testament
Exodus 34:29-35

Scripture Lesson from
the Epistles
Galatians 3:1-9

“This is the Word of the Lord”
“Thanks be to God!”

† Gospel Lesson—Luke 10:38-42

“This is the Gospel of Jesus Christ”
“Praise be to Christ!”

† CONGREGATIONAL SINGING: *Gloria Patri*—436

Sermon Text
Luke 5:17-26

Sermon
Assurance for the Anxious Heart
Pastor Steve Jeffery

† CONGREGATIONAL SINGING: *Blessed Jesus, at Thy Word*—343

IN GRATEFUL RESPONSE

We Present the Lord's Tithes & Our Offerings

† CONGREGATIONAL SINGING: *The Doxology*
As the offering is brought forward, we lift our hearts, hands, and voices in thankful praise...

Prayer of Thanksgiving & Dedication

OUR LORD INVITES US TO HIS TABLE

† *Pastor:* Christians, we confess this as true,

“The solid foundation of God stands, having this seal:

**“The Lord knows those who are His,” and,
“Let everyone who names the name of Christ depart from iniquity.”**

For Christ our Passover was sacrificed for us.

**Let us keep the feast, not with the leaven of malice and wickedness,
but with the unleavened bread of sincerity and truth.**

The gifts of God for the people of God

Thanks be to God!

Lift up your hearts,

We lift them up to the Lord!

[2 Timothy 2:19; 1 Corinthians 5:7-8]

The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper

We commune with the Lord & with one another

The Lord's Supper should not be observed in individual homes.

† CONGREGATIONAL SINGING: *And Can It Be That I Should Gain*—286-287

OUR LORD COMMISSIONS US

† Benediction & Singing

verses 8 & 9 *I Bind unto Myself Today (St. Patrick's Breastplate)*—351-352

Christ be with me, Christ within me,
Christ behind me, Christ before me,
Christ beside me, Christ to win me,
Christ to comfort and restore me.
Christ beneath me, Christ above me,
Christ in quiet, Christ in danger,
Christ in hearts of all that love me,
Christ in mouth of friend and stranger.

I bind unto myself the name,
The strong name of the Trinity,
By invocation of the same,
The Three in One, and One in Three.
Of whom all nature hath creation;
Eternal Father, Spirit, Word:
Praise to the Lord of my salvation,
Salvation is of Christ the Lord

ANNOUNCEMENTS & CALENDAR

TODAY

Baptism – Ada Caroline Barnes will be baptized at the beginning of our service today.

Baptism Reception – You are invited to join us as we celebrate together with a reception in the Fellowship Hall after worship.

THIS WEEK

Wednesday Bible Study – Fellowship Hall 7:00 p.m. – Pastor Jeffery will continue our Bible study series in the book of Ecclesiastes. Doors open at 6:30 p.m. (bring your own food and drink if you wish); study starts promptly at 7:00 p.m. and will end around 8:15 with fellowship and clean up done by 8:30 p.m.

NEXT SUNDAY

Fellowship Meal – We will have our monthly fellowship meal next week after worship. Please look for an email with more details in the coming days. All are invited to attend!

MARK YOUR CALENDARS:

Ladies Fellowship Brunch – Saturday, February 25th. If you haven't received details by email and would like to come, please contact Nicole Jeffery at nicole.jeffery@gmail.com



The Congregation Stands and Speaks to the Child

“Little child, for you, Jesus Christ has come, He has fought, He has suffered. For you He entered into the shadows of Gethsemane and the terror of Calvary; for you He uttered the cry, ‘It is finished.’ For you He rose from the dead and ascended into heaven, and there for you He intercedes. For you, little child, even though you do not yet know it, this is one way the Word of the Gospel is made true for you and each of us: ‘We love Him because He first loved us.’”

The Lord's Supper

The Lord's Supper is observed every Lord's Day at All Saints, and we warmly invite to the Lord's Table all who are baptized disciples of the Lord Jesus, under the authority of Christ and His body, the Church, and this includes covenant children. By eating the bread and drinking the wine with us, you are acknowledging that you are a sinner, without hope except in the sovereign mercy of God, and that you are trusting in Jesus Christ alone for salvation. You also acknowledge to the overseers of this congregation that you are in covenant with God, being an active member of a congregation which belongs to the Triune God and is marked by the Word and sacraments. If you have any questions about your participation, please speak to one of the elders before or after the service.

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Create in Me a Clean Heart, O God

Psalm 51:10-12

From a melody by J. A. Freylinghausen, 1704
adapted, Harold W. Gilbert

The musical score is written in a two-staff system (treble and bass clefs) with a key signature of three flats (B-flat, E-flat, A-flat) and a common time signature. The melody is primarily composed of quarter and eighth notes, with some rests and ties. The lyrics are printed below the treble staff. The score is divided into five systems, each with a treble and bass staff. The lyrics are: "Cre - ate in me a clean heart, O God: and re - new a right spir - it with - in me. Cast me not a - way from Thy pres - ence: and take not Thy Ho - ly Spir - it from me. Re - store un - to me the joy of Thy sal - va - tion: and up - hold me with Thy free Spir - it."

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Gloria Patri

GLORIA PATRI (Irreg.)
Charles Meineke, 1844

2nd century

Glo - ry be to the Fa - ther, and to the Son, and to the

Ho - ly Ghost; As it was in the be - gin - ning, is now, and ev - er

shall be, world with - out end. A - men, a - men.

And Can It Be That I Should Gain

SAGINA (L.M.D.)
Thomas Campbell, 1825

Charles Wesley, 1738; alt.

1. And can it be that I should gain An in - t'rest
 2. 'Tis mys - t'ry all! Th'Im - mor - tal dies: Who can ex -
 3. *He left His Fa - ther's throne a - bove— So free, so*
 4. Long my im - pris - oned spir - it lay Fast bound in
 5. No con - dem - na - tion now I dread; Je - sus, and

in the Sav - ior's blood? Died He for me, who caused His
 plore His strange de - sign? In vain the first - born ser - aph
in - fi - nite His grace! Hum - bled Him - self— so great His
 sin and na - ture's night; Thine eye dif - fused a quick - 'ning
 all in Him, is mine! A - live in Him, my liv - ing

pain? For me, who Him to death pur - sued? A - maz - ing
 tries To sound the depths of love di - vine. 'Tis mer - cy
love! And bled for all His cho - sen race. 'Tis mer - cy
 ray; I woke, the dun - geon flamed with light; My chains fell
 Head, And clothed in right - eous - ness di - vine, Bold I ap -

ADORATION

love! How can it be That Thou, my Lord, shouldst
 all! Let earth a - dore, Let an - gel minds in -
all, im - mense and free; For, O my God, it
 off, my heart was free; I rose, went forth, and
 proach th'e - ter - nal throne, And claim the crown, through

die for me?
 quire no more. A - maz - ing love! How can it
found out me.
 fol - lowed Thee. A - maz - ing love! How
 Christ, my own.

be That Thou, my Lord, shouldst die for me?
 can it be That Thou, my Lord,