

LISBON UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
January 16, 2022 Second Sunday after Epiphany

PRELUDE and TIME OF QUIET REFLECTION

WORDS OF GREETING

A Time of Praise

CALL TO WORSHIP

Leader: God's steadfast love extends to the heavens.

PEOPLE: God's faithfulness reaches to the clouds.

Leader: God's righteousness is as strong as the mountains.

PEOPLE: God's judgments are as deep as the sea.

Leader: In God's light, we see light.

PEOPLE: God's steadfast loves surrounds us as we worship.

*OPENING HYMN *Joyful, Joyful* # 89

UNISON PRAYER Spirit of God, your name is revered from mountaintop to the sea; your glory is praised in the east and in the west, in the north and in the south. As we delight in you, O God, delight in us once again, we pray, so that the joy of your salvation may spill over into our lives and make us one with you and with one another. Guide our hearts and our minds into the fullness of your grace, that we may truly be your faithful people. Amen.

RESPONSIVE PSALM Psalm 34 # 769

Act of Confession and Pardon

UNISON PRAYER OF CONFESSION Gracious God, the gifts of

your Spirit give us everything we need to build up your kingdom. Yet, we have not always recognized or valued your gifts. We have acted as if they were ours to use for our own purposes. Forgive our failure of vision and our hardness of heart. May the One who turned water into wine turn our hearts of stone into hearts of love and appreciation. Amen.

TIME OF SILENT CONFESSION

WORDS OF ASSURANCE

Leader: The One who creates each new day invites us to drink freely from the river of God's grace.

PEOPLE: We rejoice in the waters of God's forgiveness which renew us and make us whole. Thanks be to the God of never ending love.

Hearing God's Word

OLD TESTAMENT READING Isaiah 62.1-5 (pg. 692)

*HYMN *Have Thine Own Way, Lord* # 382

EPISTLE READING I Corinthians 12.1-11 (pg. 174)

GOSPEL READING John 2.1-11 (pg. 93)

SERMON *God's Delight*

Responding To God's Word

A TIME OF PRAYER

Joys and Concerns and Time of Silent Prayer

The Pastoral Prayer
The Lord's Prayer

895

RECEIVING OUR GIFTS AND OFFERINGS

*Doxology

*Prayer of Dedication

*CLOSING HYMN *We've A Story to Tell.....*

569

ANNOUNCEMENTS

WORDS OF BENEDICTION

Leader: We have different spiritual gifts, but the same Spirit.

PEOPLE: We have different ministries, but the same Lord.

Leader: We have different activities, but the same God.

PEOPLE: We go forth to use our gifts with joy, knowing that
the One who is Spirit, Lord, and God, goes with us.

POSTLUDE

Today's Worship Leaders

Greeter:

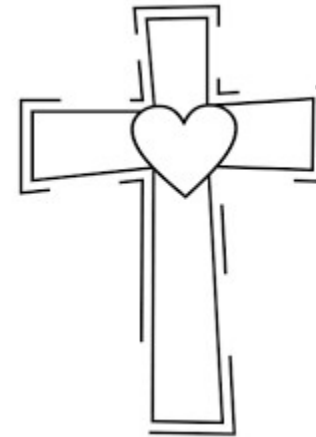
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Debbie Greim, Organist and Choir Director

Rev. Elizabeth J. Bachelder Smith, Pastor

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Community*



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Lisbon United Methodist Church
welcomes, nurtures, and serves
all people
with the love of Christ.