

## SECOND SUNDAY AFTER EPIPHANY

January 16, 2022  
9:30 a.m.

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*“How dare you turn MY Father’s house  
into a market!” ~ John 2:16*

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### WE GATHER AROUND GOD’S WORD

ORGAN PRELUDE Mary Mackie  
*“Christ Is the World’s Light”*... Robert Hobby  
(Please use this time to prepare your heart for worship.)

CALL TO WORSHIP Rev. George Swanson

\* HYMN OF PRAISE no. 417  
*Christ Is Made the Sure Foundation*  
(Please silently meditate on the words of the hymn, as it is sung on our behalf.)

### PRAYER OF CONFESSION

(Please pray silently, as the worship leader prays on our behalf):

**Loving God, we confess that we frequently picture Jesus as a loving and caring shepherd, but not one who would act in protest upon seeing His Father’s temple used in unjust ways. His strong and decisive reaction to the money-changers in the temple surprises us, and yet opens our eyes. Help us, O God, to understand what it is that Jesus requires from us. Hear us now as we silently confess our sins.**

### ASSURANCE OF PARDON

Leader: Friends, believe the Good News of the Gospel.  
In Jesus Christ, we are forgiven.

### PASSING OF THE PEACE

Leader: The peace of the Lord be with you.

\* Those who wish may stand.

### GREETINGS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

#### ANTHEM

Chancel Choir

*The New 23<sup>rd</sup>*... Ralph Carmichael

Richard Dinwiddie, director; Mollie Wakeman, accompanist  
(CCLI #20405356)

### WE PROCLAIM GOD’S WORD

#### NEW TESTAMENT READING

John 2:13-22

#### MINISTRY OF THE WORD

Rev. Anne Swanson

**“Jesus Is the Dwelling-Place of God”**

### WE RESPOND TO GOD’S WORD

\* HYMN OF RESPONSE (see next page)  
*Built on the Rock*  
(Please silently meditate on the words of the hymn, as it is sung on our behalf.)

#### PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

\* CLOSING HYMN No. 539  
*Savior, Again to Thy Dear Name We Raise*  
(Please silently meditate on the words of the hymn as it is sung on our behalf.)

\* BENEDICTION

\* BENEDICTION RESPONSE  
(Please listen as the Benediction Response is sung on our behalf.)  
*Go Now in Peace* ... Don Besig

#### ORGAN POSTLUDE

*“O God, Our Help in Ages Past”* ... Charles Callahan

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