

FOURTH SUNDAY AFTER EPIPHANY

January 29, 2023

9:30 a.m.

"O what peace we often forfeit..."

WE GATHER AROUND GOD'S WORD

PRELUDE

Bobbi Hunter

Trust in Jesus... Raymond Haan

(Please use this time to prepare your heart for worship.)

CALL TO WORSHIP

Lou Pennebaker

* HYMN OF PRAISE

No. 464

Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee

PRAYER OF CONFESSION (in unison)

Loving God, we confess that often we are anxious and worried. We worry about important matters, and we worry about trivial things as well. Our eyes are often on ourselves and our own lives, and not on the problems and concerns of others. Forgive us, O God, and help us to seek You and Your righteousness. May we trust in Your promise to provide everything that we need. Hear us now as we silently confess our sins.

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

Leader: Friends, believe the Good News of the Gospel.

People: In Jesus Christ, we are forgiven.

* GLORIA PATRI

No. 579

* PASSING OF THE PEACE

Leader: The peace of the Lord be with you.

People: And also with you.

* Those who wish may stand.

GREETINGS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

WE PROCLAIM GOD'S WORD

OLD TESTAMENT READING

Psalm 34:1-7

Bob Kraut

pg. 871

ANTHEM

Chancel Choir

Precious Lord, Take My Hand ... Dorsey-Schrader

Richard Dinwiddie, director; Mollie Wakeman, accompanist

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NEW TESTAMENT READING

Matthew 6:25-34

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MINISTRY OF THE WORD

Rev. Anne Swanson

"Do Not Worry"

WE RESPOND TO GOD'S WORD

* HYMN OF RESPONSE

No. 282

If Thou but Trust in God to Guide Thee

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

* CLOSING HYMN

No. 403

What a Friend We Have in Jesus

* BENEDICTION

* CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE

Inside Cover of Hymnal

Go Now in Peace

POSTLUDE

Hymn To Joy... Gordon Young

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