# Chapel by the Sea Presbyterian Church (USA) 4<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Epiphany January 31, 2021



Chapel by the Sea was the first church on our island and remains a church for the community, welcoming all people seeking to know and serve Christ. We are a mission for Jesus Christ and church for all seasons...

...seasons of life

...seasons of the year

...seasons of our growth as Christians

# A WORSHIP SERVICE FOR THE LORD'S DAY

#### TOLLING OF THE BELL

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

Rev. Dr. Stephen D. Adkison

PRELUDE Majesty Traditional

#### CALL TO WORSHIP

One: If there is a ringing bell,

All: We listen.

One: If there is a candle in the dark,

All: We look.

One: If there is a hunger in the heart,

All: We search.

One: God is always trying to get our attention,

All: Always seeking to draw close to us.

One: Listen-

All: Hidden in word and silence is the voice of God.

One: Look-

All: In every flower, child, tree is the face of God.

One: Here and now, **All: God is present.** 

One: In our songs and prayers,

All: Christ is alive

<sup>1</sup>Seek ye first the Kingdom of God and His righteousness, And all these things shall be added unto you. Allelu, alleluia!

<sup>2</sup>Ask and it shall be given unto you, Seek and ye shall find, Knock and the door shall be opened unto you. Allelu, alleluia!

#### CALL TO RENEWAL

Dr. Adkison

And so we live our lives imperfectly, for we are flawed. But we are also loved by the God in whose image we were created. Let us remake ourselves toward that image as we make our confession before God and each other.

### PRAYER OF RENEWAL (In Unison)

Dr. Adkison

## Loving God,

You call us to be Your voices in this world and we stay silent.

You call us to be Your hands in this world and we keep them hidden.

You call us to be Your feet in this world and we go our own way.

When we meet those who are doubting and say nothing, forgive us.

When we meet those who need Your touch and do nothing, forgive us.

When we are called to take up Your cross and carry nothing, forgive us.

**Breath life into these bones** 

bring freedom to these lives

that we might declare

with heart and soul and voice

that You are our Lord and our God. Amen.

In Jesus Christ, we are set free and our sins are forgiven!

#### Our thanks be to God!

#### \*GLORIA PATRI

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost; As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, World without end. A - men, A - men.

**OFFERTORY** 

For the Beauty of the World

**Traditional** 

#### \*DOXOLOGY

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; Praise Him, all creatures here below; Praise Him above, ye heavenly host; Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. A-men.

#### SCRIPTURE READING

*Matthew 7:7-12 (NIV)* 

<sup>7</sup>"Ask and it will be given to you; seek and you will find; knock and the door will be opened to you. <sup>8</sup>For everyone who asks receives; the one who seeks finds; and to the one who knocks, the door will be opened.

<sup>9</sup>"Which of you, if your son asks for bread, will give him a stone? <sup>10</sup>Or if he asks for a fish, will give him a snake? <sup>11</sup>If you, then, though you are evil, know how to give good gifts to your children, how much more will your Father in heaven give good gifts to those who ask him! <sup>12</sup>So in everything, do to others what you would have them do to you, for this sums up the Law and the Prophets.

May these words of my mouth and this meditation of my heart be pleasing in your sight, O LORD, my Rock and my Redeemer

Thanks be to God!

ANTHEM I Must Tell Jesus with Blessed Assurance
Landon and Lois Doggett, Duet

Mary McDonald

#### PASTORAL PRAYER & THE 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 forgive our debtors; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

\*CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE

Go Now In Peace

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Go Now In Peace, Never Be Afraid.

God Will Go With You, Each Hour Of Every Day.

Go Now In Faith, Steadfast, Strong And True.

Know He Will Guide You In All You Do.

Go Now In Love, And Show You Believe.

Reach Out To Others, So All The World Can See.

God Will Be There, Watching From Above.

Go Now In Peace, In Faith, And In Love.

Amen, Amen, Amen.

\*BENEDICTION Dr. Adkison

\*POSTLUDE Toccata & Fugue in D-Minor J.S. Bach

<sup>\*</sup>Denotes standing, if able.

# Prayer Guide — January 31, 2021

"Do not be anxious about anything, but in everything, by prayer and petition, with thanksgiving, present your requests to God. And the peace of God, which transcends all understanding will guard your hearts and your minds in Christ Jesus" --Philippians 4:6-7

#### Please pray for...

- The Adkison Family
- Emily Porter
- Marylu Marshal
- Jim & Lorri Marshall
- Mary Lou Dietz
- Bill & Sandy Peters
- Sandy DeJonge
- Bill Figgins
- Jim
- Michelle
- Coen Holmes & Family
- Vann Turner
- Jack & Julia Palmer
- Bill
- Bill Mouw
- Cheryl Bredin
- Sue Brady
- Harry Willard
- Marie, Jeanne, Aubrey & Stefan
- Linda Brown
- John & Julianna Beal

- The Bob Horning Family
- Amy Bell Finiki
- John Berkenpas
- Alta Nodland
- Karin, Penny & Matt & Families
- Drew Vandlen
- Jim Silvernail
- Audrey Berkenpas
- Joy Booth
- Maria Werner
- Chris M.
- Amanda volunteering in Africa
- Aubrey
- Peggy Huff
- David Conrad
- Graelie Grant
- Josh Stevens, USN
- Craig & Laurie Furlong
- Bob & Ginny Lemire
- Bushnell Family

- Fasick, Bennett, Rhodus & Eggar Families
- Sidok Family
- Chris Foster
- Kathy Frazee
- Linda Hinrichs
- Brad & Pam Cox
- Deb, Connie, Alan
- Greg Beller
- Craig Allen
- Lauren & Marilyn Kamm
- Jarrod Karnes
- Katie Spyke
- Haas Family
- Jay Dishnow
- Merlyn O'Malley
- Doris Lynch
- R.J. & Family
- Tim & Karen
- LaCombe Families
- Unspoken

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