



'Blessed are the poor in spirit' by Artist Unknown

WORSHIP SERVICE
GUATEMALA SUNDAY
4TH SUNDAY AFTER EPIPHANY
JANUARY 29, 2023
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ORDER OF WORSHIP – 10:30 A.M.

Gathering

(* Please stand as you are able.)

Gathering Chime

Prelude

Andantino in D Major

Kern

Welcome and Announcements

Congregational Introit *God Is Here Today*

No. 411

Capo 2: (D) E (A7) B7 (Bm) C#m (D7) E7 (G) A

God is here to - day; as cer - tain
Dios es - tá a - quí, tan cier - to co - mo el

(A7) B7 (D) E (D7) E7 (G) A

as the air I breathe, as cer - tain
ai - re que res - pi - ro, tan cier - to co - mo

(A7) B7 (D) E (A/C#) B/D# (Bm) C#m (D/A) E/B

as the morn - ing sun that ris - es, as
la ma - ña - na se le - van - ta, tan

(G) A (A7) B7 (D) E

cer - tain when I sing you'll hear my song.
cier - to co - mo que le can - to y me pue - de o - ír.

*Call to Worship

Sally Fox

One: Come, all who are poor in spirit;
All who mourn;
All who are meek;
All who hunger and thirst after righteousness.

All: Come, all who would be merciful
All who would be pure in heart;
All who would be peacemakers.

One: Let us come together – the weak and the simple,
the powerless and the foolish

**All: Let us proclaim that the source of our life is Christ
Jesus. Let us worship the God of every blessing.**

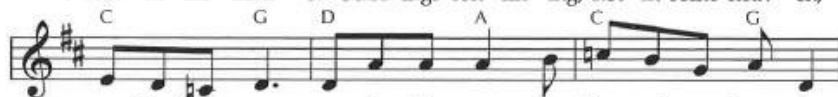
*Hymn

Here in This Place (vv. 1-2. 4)

No. 401



1 Here in this place the new light is stream-ing; now is the dark-ness
2 We are the young, our lives are a mys-tery. We are the old who
3 Here we will take the wine and the wa-ter; here we will take the
4 Not in the dark of build-ings con-fin-ing, not in some heav-en,



van-ished a-way; see in this space our fears and our dream-ings
yearn for your face. We have been sung through-out all of his-tory,
bread of new birth. Here you shall call your sons and your daugh-ters,
light years a-way: here in this place the new light is shin-ing;



brought here to you in the light of this day.
called to be light to the whole hu-man race.
call us a-new to be salt for the earth.
now is the king-dom, and now is the day.



Gath-er us in, the lost and for-sak-en; gath-er us in, the
Gath-er us in, the rich and the haugh-ty; gath-er us in, the
Give us to drink the wine of com-pas-sion; give us to eat the
Gath-er us in and hold us for-ev-er; gath-er us in and



blind and the lame; call to us now, and we shall a-wak-en;
proud and the strong; give us a heart, so meek and so low-ly;
bread that is you; nour-ish us well, and teach us to fash-ion
make us your own; gath-er us in, all peo-ples to-geth-er,



we shall a-rise at the sound of our name.
give us the cour-age to en-ter the song.
lives that are ho-ly and hearts that are true.
fire of love in our flesh and our bone.

***Call to Confession**

Dr. Duane Hix

***Prayer of Confession**

**Compassionate God, we confess the times
when we have closed ourselves to your love.
We cling to our fear, our guilt, our self-hatred,
rather than let ourselves be healed by your love.
We close our hearts, refusing to be channels
of your love to others.
Forgive us, and give us the courage to trust you
and to let your love flow through us to others;
through Jesus the Christ and the Spirit,
we pray. Amen**

Silent Confession

***Kyrie**

You Are the Lord, Giver of Mercy!

No. 437

Em D Em Am Em D Em
You are the Lord, giv-er of mer-cy!

Am D C D Em C Em
You are the Christ, giv-er of mer-cy!

Em D G Am Em D E
You are the Lord, giv-er of mer-cy!

***Assurance of Pardon**

***Response**

Glory Be to the Father

No. 581

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.

Word

Prayer for Illumination

Sally Fox

Scripture Reading

Micah 6:1-8

One: This is the word of the Lord.

All: Thanks be to God.

Scripture Reading

Romans 1:8-13

The Message

Returning to Guatemala Medora Hix, Dr. Jim Tompkins, Duane Hix

Slideshow

*Hymn

When the Poor Ones

No. 762



1 When the poor ones who have noth - ing share with strang - ers,
 2 When at last all those who suf - fer find their com - fort,
 3 When our joy fills up our cup to o - ver - flow - ing,
 4 When our homes are filled with good - ness in a - bun - dance,

1 Cuan - do el po - bre na - da tie - ne y a ún re - par - te,
 2 Cuan - do un hom - bre su - fre y lo - gra su con - sue - lo,
 3 Cuan - do cre - ce la g - le - grí - a y nos i - nun - da,
 4 Cuan - do a - bun - da el bien y lle - na los ho - ga - res,



when the thirst - y wa - ter give un - to us all,
 when they hope though e - ven hope - less - ness,
 when our lips can speak no words oth - er than true,
 when we learn how to make peace in - stead of war,

cuan - do un hom - bre pa - sa sed y a - gua nos da,
 cuan - do es - pe - ra y no se can - sa de es - pe - rar,
 cuan - do di - cen nues - tros la - bios la ver - dad,
 cuan - do un hom - bre don - de hay gue - rra po - ne paz,



when the crip - pled in their weak - ness strength - en oth - ers,
 when we love though hate at times seems all a - round us,
 when we know that love for sim - ple things is bet - ter,
 when each strang - er that we meet is called a neigh - bor,

cuan - do el dé - bil a su her - ma - no for - ta - le - ce,
 cuan - do a - ma - mos, aun - que él o - dio nos ro - dé - e,
 cuan - do a - ma - mos el sen - tir de los sen - ci - llos,
 cuan - do "her - ma - no" le lla - ma - mos al ex - tra - ño,

Refrain / Estribillo



then we know that God still goes that road with us,
 va Dios mis - mo en nues - tro mis - mo ca - mi - nar.



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Affirmation of Faith *A Brief Statement of Faith*

**In life and in death we belong to God.
Through the grace of our Lord Jesus Christ,
the love of God,
and the communion of the Holy Spirit,
we trust in the one triune God, the Holy One of Israel,
whom alone we worship and serve.**

**... We trust in God,
whom Jesus called Abba, Father.
In sovereign love God created the world good
and makes everyone equally in God's image
male and female, of every race and people,
to live as one community.**

**... We trust in God the Holy Spirit,
everywhere the giver and renewer of life.
The Spirit justifies us by grace through faith,
sets us free to accept ourselves and to love God and
neighbor,
and binds us together with all believers
in the one body of Christ, the Church.**

**... In gratitude to God, empowered by the Spirit,
we strive to serve Christ in our daily tasks
and to live holy and joyful lives,
even as we watch for God's new heaven and new earth,
praying, "Come, Lord Jesus!"**

**With believers in every time and place,
we rejoice that nothing in life or in death
can separate us from the love of God in Christ Jesus our
Lord.**

Time with Our Children

*This Little Light of Mine
Presentation*

Rainbow Choir; Julie Henry, Director
Carol Payne

Responding

Offering of Tithes and Gifts

Offertory

They'll Know We Are Christians

arr. Hayes

Chancel Choir

*We are one in the Spirit; we are one in the Lord.
And we pray that all unity may one day be restored.
And they'll know we are Christians by our love, by our love.
Yes, they'll know we are Christians by our love.*

*We will walk with each other; we will walk hand in hand.
And together we'll spread the news that God is in our land.
And they'll know we are Christians...*

*We will work with each; we will work side by side.
And we'll guard each one's dignity and save each one's pride.
And they'll know we are Christians...*

*All praise to the Father, from whom all things come.
And all praise to Christ Jesus, His only Son.
And all praise to the Spirit, who makes us one.
And they'll know we are Christians...*

*Doxology

Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow

No. 609

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow.

Praise God, all creatures high and low.

Alleluia! Alleluia!

Praise God, in Jesus fully known;

Creator, Word, and Spirit one.

Alleluia, alleluia! Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!

Prayer of Dedication

Joys and Concerns of the Congregation

Paul Lang

Lord in your goodness: Hear our praise; Lord in your mercy: Hear our prayer.

Prayer of the People and the Lord's Prayer

**Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your name,
your kingdom come, your will be done,
on earth as in heaven.**

Give us today our daily bread.

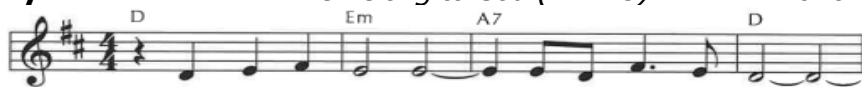
**Forgive us our sins
as we forgive those who sin against us.
Save us from the time of trial
and deliver us from evil.
For the kingdom, the power,
and the glory are yours now and forever. Amen.**

Sending

*Hymn

We Belong to God (vv. 1-3)

No. 822



1 When we are liv - ing, it is in Christ Je - sus,
2 Through all our liv - ing, we our fruits must give.
3 'Mid times of sor - row and in times of pain,
4 A - cross this wide world, we shall al - ways find

1 Pues si vi - vi - mos, pa - ra Él vi - vi - mos,
2 En es - ta vi - da fru - tos hay que dar
3 En la tris - te - za y en el do - lor,
4 En es - te mun - do por do - quier ha - brá



and when we're dy - ing, it is in the Lord.
Good works of ser - vice are for of - fer - ing.
when sens - ing beau - ty or in love's em - brace,
those who are cry - ing with no peace of mind,

y si mo - ri - mos pa - ra Él mo - ri - mos.
y bue - nas o - bras he - mos de o - fren - dar.
en la be - lle - za y en el a - mor,
gen - te que llo - ra y sin con - so - lar.



Both in our liv - ing and in our dy - ing,
When we are giv - ing, or when re - ceiv - ing,
wheth - er we suf - fer, or sing re - joic - ing,
but when we help them, or when we feed them,

Sea que vi - va - mos o que mu - ra - mos,
Sea ya que de - mos o que re - ci - ba - mos,
sea que su - fra - mos o que go - ce - mos,
Sea que a - yu - de - mos o que a - li - men - te - mos,



we be - long to God; we be - long to God.
so - mos del Se - ñor, so - mos del Se - ñor.

***Blessing and Charge**

Medora Hix

***Response**

We Belong to God (v. 4)
(See previous hymn)

No. 822

***Postlude**

Te Deum

Charpentier

***Sharing the Peace of Christ**

You are invited to share Christ's peace with those around you.

Today's Worship Service Participants

Minister: Rev. Paul Lang

Music Director: Ed Yasick

Choir: Chancel Choir

Guatemala Team Members: Sally Fox, Carol Payne,
Jennifer Sugg, Jim Tompkins, Medora and Duane Hix

Acolyte: Paisley Brown

Time with Our Children:

Rainbow Choir: Julie Henry, Director

Ushers: Cathy Williams, David Bohm,
Sandy Hutchinson, John Hansen

Tech: John Campbell

Slides: Beth Cleveland

Guatemala Team Members will be glad to meet with anyone interested and answer questions in the Fellowship Hall after worship. Plans for this year's trip are in progress. Possible summer dates are June 15-22, July 6-13, or August 3-10, so students and teachers may participate.

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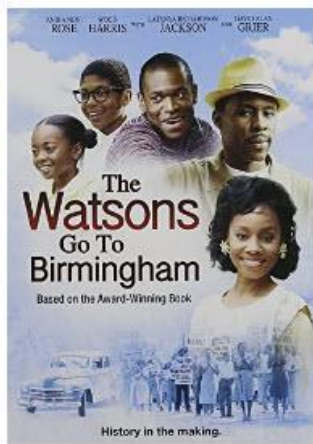


This Week's Floral Dedication

The flowers in the Sanctuary this week are given by Camille and Louis Lambe to the glory of God and in loving memory of their parents: Jen and Francis Lambe and Everette and Margaret Eckerd.



Upcoming CPC Reads Events



Family Movie Night
The Watsons Go To Birmingham
This Sunday, January 29,
5:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m.
Dinner Provided

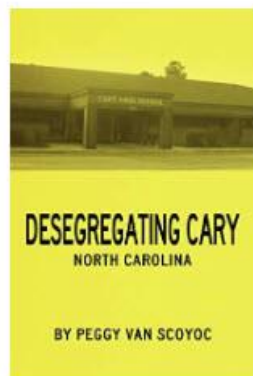
Come join us for this intergenerational event to wrap up our month of CPC Reads. We'll eat dinner, chat about the book we've been reading, and watch the movie.

Bring your comfiest camp chair for a cozy movie watching experience.

Desegregating Cary
Saturday, February 4 at 2:00 p.m.
in the Fellowship Hall

Join us for a presentation from Peggy Van Scoyoc about her book *Desegregating Cary*. An oral history of the area, the author comments about the interviews: "Their memories reveal attitudes and ways of thinking from the perspective of an earlier culture, which are foundations on which today's culture was built."

Light refreshments will be provided.



THIS WEEK AT CARY PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

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Sunday, January 29	9:15 a.m. 9:30 a.m. 10:30 a.m. 5:00 p.m.	The Pastor's Class (Fellowship Hall) Faith Formation Classes (All Ages) Worship In-Person (Sanctuary) and Online CPC Reads Recap: Dinner & Movie: <i>The Watsons Go to Birmingham</i>
Monday, January 30	11:00 a.m. 6:30 p.m. 6:30 p.m.	Staff Meeting (Parlor) Cub Scout Pack 232 (FHF) Scout Troop 232G (Fellowship Hall)
Tuesday, January 31	6:00 p.m. 7:00 p.m.	Duke Health & Well-Being Mindfulness Based Stress Reduction Group (Fellowship Hall) Scout Troop 232 (Youth Area)
Wednesday, February 1	7:00 p.m. 7:30 p.m.	Chancel Choir Rehearsal (Choir Room) Wednesday Night Virtual Class (Zoom)
Thursday, February 2	7:00 p.m.	Stephen Ministry (100/102/106)
Friday, February 3	7:00 p.m.	Courage, Strength, & Hope (Library)
Saturday, February 4	2:00 a.m.	<i>Desegregating Cary</i> : Author Peggy Van Scoyoc book presentation (Fellowship Hall)
Sunday, February 5	9:15 a.m. 9:30 a.m. 10:30 a.m. 7:00 p.m.	The Pastor's Class (Fellowship Hall) Faith Formation Classes (All Ages) Worship In-Person (Sanctuary) and Online Scout Troop 232G Committee Meeting (100)



Cary Presbyterian Preschool News

Open Enrollment for Church Members for the 2023-2024 School Year has begun!

Please contact Preschool Director Leslie Hurlburt at

[Ccppdir@gmail.com](mailto:Cppdir@gmail.com) for additional information!