

Second Sunday After Epiphany

Traditional Worship Service

The Gathering 11:15 a.m.

Date: January 17, 2016

- *Childcare is available for children 5 and under downstairs in the nursery.*
- *Hearing Assistance Devices are available. Please ask one of the ushers.*
- *Please write PRAYERS on a prayer paper and place in the offering plate as it is passed.*

Welcome to Worship

* indicates please rise in body or spirit

Introduction to Worship and Prayer

Prelude "A Mighty Fortress is Our God" Arr. by Hayes

Bringing in the Light of Christ

***Call to Worship** On Screen

***Hymn of Praise** "Amazing Grace" #378 Hymnal (vv. 1-3, 6)
(Children are invited to move up front for the Children's Gathering on last verse.)

The Children's Gathering *(Please Pass Attendance Pads)*
"Where Children Belong" #2233 Black Song Book

Ministry of Music "Grace Flows Down" Arr. by Hogan
Celebration Voices

Prayer of Illumination

Scripture Reading Ephesians 2:1-10 #1818 Pew Bible
Leader: This is the Word of God for the People of God.
People: THANKS BE TO GOD!

***"Gloria Patri"** #70 Hymnal

Sermon: "Questions People Ask About Christianity and
Other World Religions - Hinduism"
Pastor Steve Reinhard
(Message Notes are included on the back of the bulletin)
A Time of Reflection on the Word of God

***Affirmation of Faith** On Screen

***Hymn of Dedication** "Jesus Paid It All" #3100 Green Song Book (vv. 1, 3)

Offering of our Gifts and Lives

- *Whether making a donation or not, EVERYONE is invited to touch the offering plates, offering a prayer to give ourselves to God in heart, soul, mind and strength.*

Offertory "Since I Have Been Redeemed" Arr. by Hayes
***"Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow"** #94 Hymnal
***Dedication of Our Gifts**

Prayer Requests -- Sharing of our Joys and Concerns

Pastoral Prayer and The Lord's Prayer

Welcoming Our Guests

***Hymn of Sending Forth** "By Grace We Have Been Saved" #3110 Green Song Book

***Benediction and Commission to Serve** On Screen

Passing of the Peace of God and Inviting one another to fellowship***

Postlude "O For a Thousand Tongues" Arr. by Carter
***Following worship you are invited to stay for fellowship in Baldrige Hall
at the east end of the building.