

Service of Worship

Sixth Sunday after Epiphany

February 17, 2019 10:15 AM

*Please rise as able

-- Ready for the Word --

Announcements and Welcome

Musical Prelude

Musical Beginning

“This Is the Day”

The Light of God Enters

Invitation to Worship

*Hymn Hymnal No. 839

“Blessed Assurance, Jesus is Mine!”

We Confess Together

Gracious God, our sins are too heavy to carry, too real to hide, and too deep to undo. Forgive what our lips tremble to name, what our hearts can no longer bear, and what has become for us a consuming fire of judgment. Set us free from a past that we cannot change; open to us a future in which we can be changed and become the change we expect of others. Grant us the grace to grow more and more in your likeness and image; through Jesus Christ, the light of the world.

Silent Confession

Assurance of Pardon

Leader: God will make us good because God loves us, not because we are good will God love us.

People: O most merciful redeemer, friend, and brother,

Leader: we know thee more clearly,

People: we love thee more dearly,

Leader: and we follow thee more nearly,

People: day by day. Amen.

*Response

Hymnbook No. 175

“Seek Ye First”

*Passing of the Peace

-- Receiving the Word --

Children’s Story

*Hymn Hymnal No. 475

“Come, Thou Font of Every Blessing”

Prayer for Understanding

Old Testament Lesson (page 719) Jeremiah 17: 5-10

New Testament Lesson (page 64) Luke 6: 17-26

Reflection **“Bless”**

Musical Offering by Dardess

“When We Sing to God, We Are One”

Children singing all over the world!

Hear them singing all over the world!

A song for every nation, a prayer for peace and love.

There’s a song for all creation; a song to God above!

And how good to sing together, in perfect harmony!

Children singing all over the world!

Hear them singing all over the world!

And when we sing to God, our hearts become as one.

Yes, when we sing to God, we are one!

-- Responding to the Word --

Prayers of the People

Lord’s Prayer (*debts/debtors*) Hymnal Pg. 35

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, and the power, and the glory, for ever. Amen.

Offertory arranged by Ryan

“Lord, Be Glorified”

*Hymn

Hymnal No. 697

“Take My Life”
(verses 1-4)

*Blessing

*Choral Benediction

“Shalom”

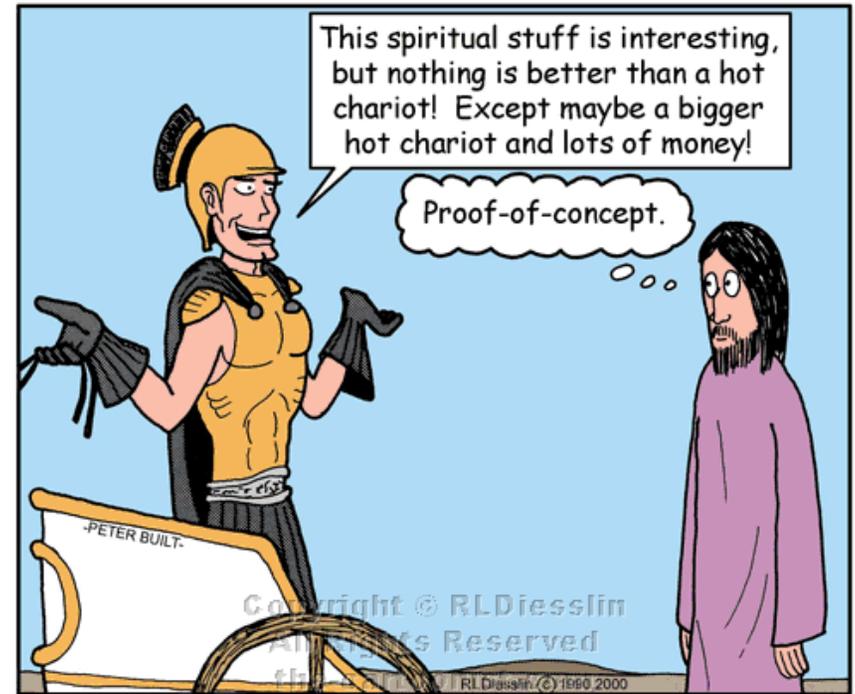
*The Light of God Goes with Us into the World

*Postlude

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Let's Get Our Priorities Straight

Luke 6.17-26



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Participants in today's service: Mitch Welliver (worship leader), Sydney Hackenberg (acolyte), Children's Choirs (musical beginning, offering and benediction), camp focus (children's sermon), Bell Choir (offertory), Beth Holmes and Pam Franklin (Deacons), Joy Christian (organist), Rev. Bob Andrews, Pastor Emeritus, www.robertjohnandrews.com (reflection). Next week's reflection by Rev. Steve Cureton: *"The Drainpipe of Life"*

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