



Central Presbyterian Church



FIFTH SUNDAY AFTER EPIPHANY

February 7, 2021

Today's service will be livestreamed to Facebook (facebook.com/centraldenver)
and our website (centraldenver.com/livestream)

All are welcome to share Communion; please bring bread and something to drink as you tune in.

PRELUDE

Let Us Break Bread Together

Wil Smith

LIGHTING THE CHRIST CANDLE & WELCOME

Louise Westfall

Please feel free to post comments, greetings, and prayer requests in the "Facebook comment" section throughout the service.

GATHERING MUSIC

*God be the love to search and keep me;
God be the prayer to move my voice;
God, be the strength to now uphold me;
O Christ, surround me. O Christ, surround me (2x)*

CALL TO WORSHIP

Celeste Habiger

HYMN

Let Us Talents and Tongues Employ

LINSTEAD

1 Let us talents and tongues employ,
reaching out with a shout of joy:
bread is broken; the wine is poured;
Christ is spoken and seen and heard.

Refrain:

Jesus lives again; earth can breathe again;
pass the Word around: loaves abound!

2 Christ is able to make us one;
at the table he sets the tone,
teaching people to live to bless,
love in word and in deed express. [Refrain]

3 Jesus calls us in, sends us out
bearing fruit in a world of doubt,
gives us love to tell, bread to share:
God (Immanuel) everywhere! [Refrain]

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

ASSURANCE OF FORGIVENESS

Friends, believe the good news: **In Jesus Christ we are forgiven and restored to new life!**

SCRIPTURE READING

Isaiah 40:21-31

SERMON

Not One Is Missing

Louise Westfall

MOMENT FOR SILENCE

OUR LIFE TOGETHER

Join us after the service for our Zoom fellowship time. All are welcome!

Zoom link to join <https://rb.gy/encvHz>

Adult Faith Formation -- *White Too Long: The Legacy of White Supremacy in American Christianity*
Today at 11:30 | Same Zoom link as fellowship time (see above)

A 4-week class on the book *White Too Long: The Legacy of White Supremacy in American Christianity*, written by Robert P. Jones about his experience growing up as a Christian in the south, and the longstanding idolatry of whiteness in American Christianity. You don't need to read the book to participate.

For more ways to worship and connect this week, check our website: centraldenver.com/stayconnected

OFFERTORY

How Can I Keep from Singing

Sarah Eaton, soloist

OFFERING

To give by text, please text "centraldenver" to 73256. You will be asked to enter your credit card and donation amount.

To give online, go to <https://onrealm.org/centraldenver/-/give/CPC>

THE SACRAMENT OF THE LORD'S SUPPER

Louise Westfall

GREAT PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

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, and the power, and the glory forever. Amen.

SHARING THE BREAD AND CUP

CHARGE AND BLESSING

PASSING THE PEACE

The peace of the risen Christ be with you. **And also with you.**

[Share signs of peace with those around you or by adding a greeting in the Facebook comments.]

POSTLUDE

Praise Ye the Lord, the Almighty

Helmut Walcha