**Worship Prayer…**

 Father in heaven, I admit I am a sinner and cannot save myself, but trust only in your Son Jesus Christ—true God and true man—who died on the cross for me and rose again to give me new life now and forever. By your Holy Spirit’s power take my heart and life and make me yours; turn me from my own selfish path to always love, trust and follow Jesus. Because you love and forgive me, help me forgive and love others. And now, as we gather together as your church in this place, make us one in truth and love according to the faithful leading and unfailing promises of your *living Word. In Jesus’ name….Amen!*

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* *Mature God’s People*
* *Live God’s Word!*

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**Sixth Sunday after Epiphany**

February 13th, 2022

10:00 am Service

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## ***WE REJOICE IN GOD’S LOVE & FORGIVENESS…***

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## Opening Prayer

## Praise Song  *“I Will Delight in the Law of the Lord”*

##  *“You Are My Hiding Place”*

Invocation

Confession & Forgiveness *On screen or Hymnal p. 158*

Affirmation of Faith: Apostles’ Creed

***WE RECEIVE GOD’S WORD…***

## Today’s Psalm *Psalm 1*

Scripture Readings *Facing page*

Message Song *“The Trees of the Field”*

Video: *Psalm 1 Word For Word (Lyric Video) • ESV Scripture Song*

youtube.com/watch?v=6v5VgZRDW6A

Message *“Like a Tree* *Planted by Streams of Water”*

***WE RESPOND TO GOD’S CALL…***

Prayers of God’s People

Lord’s Prayer

Benediction

Closing Song *“On Eagle’s Wings”*

*Please place offerings in basket at sanctuary entrance*

***“Like a Tree Planted by Streams of Water”***

 Psalm 1 says: *“Blessed is the one who does not walk in step with the wicked or stand in the way that sinners take or sit in the company of mockers, but whose delight is in the law of the Lord, and who meditates on his law day and night. That person is like a tree planted by streams of water, which yields its fruit in season and whose leaf does not wither—whatever they do prospers…”*

***1) I walk with confident trust in the Lord, bearing FRUIT.***

 **5**This is what the Lord says: “Cursed is the one who trusts in man,
who draws strength from mere flesh and whose heart turns away from the Lord. **6**That person will be like a bush in the wastelands; they will not see prosperity when it comes. They will dwell in the parched places of the desert, in a salt land where no one lives. **7**“But blessed is the one who trusts in the Lord, whose confidence is in him. 8 They will be like a tree planted by the water that sends out its roots by the stream. It does not fear when heat comes; its leaves are always green.

It has no worries in a year of drought and never fails to bear fruit.”

 Jeremiah 17:5-8

***2) I stand on the hope of Christ’s resurrection, in FAITH.***

 **17**If Christ has not been raised, your faith is futile; you are still in your sins. **18**Then those also who have fallen asleep in Christ are lost. **19**If only for this life we have hope in Christ, we are of all people most to be pitied. **20**But Christ has indeed been raised from the dead, the firstfruits of those who have fallen asleep.

 1 Corinthians 15:17-20

***3) I sit in the company of Jesus as one of His FOLLOWERS.***

 **17**[Jesus] went down with them and stood on a level place. A large crowd of his disciples was there and a great number of people from all over Judea, from Jerusalem, and from the coastal region around Tyre and Sidon, **18**who had come to hear him and to be healed of their diseases. Those troubled by impure spirits were cured, **19**and the people all tried to touch him, because power was coming from him and healing them all. Luke 6:17-19