FAIRFIELD PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

January 8, 2023 Baptism of the Lord

WE GATHER TO WORSHIP

Prelude God of Abraham Praise arr. Harold DeCou

Chiming of the Hour

Welcome & Announcements

Introit Did You Hear the Bells? Gallina

Call to Worship

Leader: Praise God! With the angels and hosts, we praise!

People: With the sun and moon, we praise!

Leader: With the fire and hail, we praise!

People: With the frost and snow, we praise!

Leader: With the mountains and valleys, we praise! **People:** With the skies and the seas, we praise!

All: Praise God!

WE PRAISE GOD TOGETHER

*Hymn #56

Sing Praise to God Who Reigns Above

Prayer of Confession

Ever-present God, you became our Savior in all our distress. In all the ways we hurt, and all the ways we hurt others, in all the ways we feel neglected and all the ways we neglect others, in all the ways we cry out and all the ways we cause others to cry, you are with us, comforting us and holding us to account. In your love, redeem us once again. Lift us up and grant us your mercy, as you have throughout the generations. Amen. (Silent prayer and reflection)

Words of Assurance

Leader: Friends, in Jesus Christ our sins are forgiven!

People: Thanks be to God!

*Gloria Patri #734

"Glory Be to the Father"

Psalter Reading Psalm 29

L: Ascribe to the Lord, you gods, ascribe to the Lord glory and strength.

- P: Ascribe to the Lord the glory that is due the hold name; worship the Lord in the beauty of holiness.
- L: The voice of the Lord is upon the waters; the God of glory thunders; the Lord is upon the mighty waters.
- P: The voice of the Lord is a powerful voice; the voice of the Lord is a voice of splendor.
- L: The voice of the Lord breaks the cedar trees; the Lord breaks the cedars of Lebanon;
- P: the Lord makes Lebanon skip like a calf, and Mount Hermon like a young wild ox.
- L: The voice of the Lord splits the flames of fire; the voice of the Lord shakes the wilderness; the Lord shakes the wilderness of Kadesh.
- P: The voice of the Lord makes the oak trees writhe and strips the forests bare.
- L: And in the temple of the Lord all are crying, "Glory!"
- P: The Lord sits enthroned above the floods; the Lord sits enthroned as Sovereign forevermore.
- All: The Lord shall give strength to the chosen people; the Lord shall give the people the blessing of peace.

Pastoral Prayer and The Lord's Prayer

WE HEAR GOD'S WORD

Scripture Lesson

Exodus 3: 11-15 Pew Bible p. 50- Old Testament

Sermon Series The Great I Ams

Message "Who is Calling?" Dr. Steve Starzer

WE RESPOND TO GOD'S WORD

*Hymn of Response #569

God of Grace and God of Glory

Offering

(Please sign and pass the Friendship Pads during this time)

Offertory All Glory Be to God on High Friedrich Wilhelm Zachau

*The Doxology #44

Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow

*Prayer of Dedication

The Lord's Supper (insert)

*Closing Hymn #66

To God Be the Glory

*Benediction

*Postlude Toccata al Post Comunio Domenico Zipoli

^{*} Those who are able, please stand.