

# Traditional Service of Worship

5th Sunday after the Epiphany

February 4, 2024

11:00 a.m.

CHIMING OF THE HOUR

PRELUDE

arr. Swann

*Spirit of God, Descend Upon My Heart*

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

Please fill out a Connect Card located in the pew pocket or scan the QR code on the bottom right side of this bulletin.

INTROIT

\*HYMN

No. 160

*Rejoice, Ye Pure in Heart*

\*CALL TO WORSHIP (please join in reading the bold text)

Gather us in, the brokenhearted and the joyful.

**Gather us in, the weak and the strong.**

Gather us in, the fearful and the brave.

**Gather us in, the young and the old.**

Gather us in, to sing of God's works.

**Gather us in, to praise Jesus Christ.**

Gather us in, to worship and wonder.

**Gather us in, to know of God's love.**

\*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH (THE APOSTLES CREED)

**I believe in God, the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth; And in Jesus Christ his only Son, our Lord; who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; the third day he rose from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and sitteth at the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.**

\*GLORIA PATRI

No. 70

**Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost; As it was in the beginning, is now and ever shall be, World without end. Amen. Amen.**

\*RITUAL OF FRIENDSHIP

*Let no one be a stranger in the house of God.*

Please take this opportunity to greet those around you.

\*HYMN

No. 157

*Jesus Shall Reign (verse 1)*

SCRIPTURE

Isaiah 40:25-31

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

PRAYER AND 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 trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us, and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.**

OFFERTORY

Lojeski

*Steal Away*  
Chancel Choir

\*DOXOLOGY

No. 95

**Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; Praise Him, all creatures here below. Praise Him above, ye heavenly host. Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.**

\*HYMN OF ILLUMINATION

No. 510

*Come, Ye Disconsolate*

SCRIPTURE

Psalms 147:1-11, 20c

SERMON

Rev. Emily Knight

“God Who Builds and Gathers”

HOLY COMMUNION

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MUSIC DURING COMMUNION

Smith

*Let Us Break Bread Together*  
Chancel Choir

\*HYMN OF DEDICATION

No. 147

*All Things Bright and Beautiful*

\*THE BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE

Couperin

*Chaconne*

\*Congregation please stand.

## Worship Attendance - January 28, 2024

CONTEMPORARY WORSHIP - In Person	71
CONTEMPORARY WORSHIP - Online	18
TRADITIONAL WORSHIP - In Person	104
TRADITIONAL WORSHIP - Online	12
Total Worship	205

## Serving in Worship Today

### 9 a.m. Contemporary Service

Greeters: JoAnn Goodwin, Caroline Jennings, Beth Joyner

Tech Team: Laura Whiteman

Liturgist: JoAnn Goodwin

### 11 a.m. Traditional Service

Greeters: Shirley Davis, Peggy McCord

Tech Team: Leigh DiSalvo, Britt Scott

Ushers: Colleen & Ty Strong

Liturgist: Kit Thomas

Crucifer: Anthony Strong

Acolytes: Colleen Strong, Andrew Strong

## What's Happening This Week?

### TODAY:

Worship: 9:00 a.m. & 11:00 a.m.

Sunday School: 10:00 a.m.

Kids' Choir: 10:00 a.m. (Rm. 402)

Kids' Club: 10:30 a.m. (Rm. 402)

Chancel Ringers Rehearsal: 5:00 p.m. (Rm. 201)

### OTHER ACTIVITIES

Tai Chi: Tuesday at 10:30 a.m. & 7:00 p.m. (Fellowship Hall)

Yoga: Wednesday at 3:00 p.m. (Parlor)

Wednesday Night Ministry: Wednesday at 5:30 p.m.

Praise Team Rehearsal: Wednesday at 6:00 p.m. (Sanctuary)

Chancel Choir Rehearsal: Wednesday at 7:30 p.m. (Rm. 501)

Circle of Hope: Thursday at 11:00 a.m. (Fellowship Hall)

## Altar Flowers

The flowers on the altar are given to the glory of God.

**Free Wednesday Meals Served:** 144

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**CONTEMPORARY SERVICE**  
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**Gather with Song**

*Fill This Place* - Red Rocks Worship

**Welcome! Greet one another in Christ!**

*It Is Well (Oh My Soul)* - Brandon Heath

**Scripture:** Isaiah 40:25-31

*Voice Of Truth* - Casting Crowns

**Children's Message**

*We value the gift of generations, so all kids are invited to grab a worship bag (or coloring supplies) and remain in the sanctuary for worship. The nursery is open and available for kids 4 years old and younger.*

**Announcements**

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**Offer Gifts to God**

*Indescribable* - Chris Tomlin

**Proclaim God's Word**

Psalm 147:1-11, 20c

"God Who Builds and Gathers"

Rev. Emily Knight

**Break Bread. Celebrate Holy Communion.**

*Remembrance* - Hillsong United

**Benediction and Sending**

**THE AMANDA BETHANY STRONG  
MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP**



Applications are available and are due Feb. 17th. For more information, contact the church office at (904) 355-5491.



*Souper Bowl Sunday*

**LAST DAY TO ORDER**  
\$10/quart of chili  
\*Pre-order only\* by 2/4

**Kitchen pick-up on 2/11**  
10am - 12:30pm



*Ash Wednesday*

**February 14, 2024**

**Worship service**

**6:30pm in the Sanctuary**



**Remembrance Lunch**

*let us honor the loved ones we miss*

**Feb. 15th @ noon**

**Rhames Fellowship Hall**

*Feb. 24 Asian Bazaar Luncheon*  
*12-2 for Margaret's Memories*

\$25 per person includes entree, drink, & dessert  
Raffle Tickets \$5 each or 5 for \$20

To purchase tickets go to:  
<https://tinyurl.com/MM-Feb2024>



Offerings can be placed in the sanctuary offering plates, mailed to the church (819 Park St. Jacksonville, FL 32204) or given online using "MyWell" (code to the right): [www.mywell.org/give/rpumc](http://www.mywell.org/give/rpumc)



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