January 15, 2023



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"Come and See"

John 1:29-42

Gathered at Federated Church: 76 Bell Street, Chagrin Falls, OH 44022

Also streaming live at YouTube.com/TheFederatedChurch



January 15, 2023

Third Sunday of Epiphany

10 AM

Chimes indicate the service is starting, and silence is appreciated to prepare for worship.

Prelude

I Love to Tell the Story (HANKEY; Emma Lou Diemer)

Patrick Wickliffe,

organ

Welcome and Announcements

Rev. Hamilton Throckmorton

Introit Come, Let Us Sing (Allen Pote)

Federated Choir

Patrick Wickliffe, piano

* Call to Worship (responsive)

Padi Hallam Joseph

One: I will bless God at all times;

All: God's praise shall continuously be in my mouth.

One: My soul makes its boast in God; All: let the humble hear and be glad.

One: O magnify the Lord with me

All: and let us exalt God's name together.

One: O taste and see that God is good;

All: happy are those who take refuge in God.

* Passing of Christ's Peace

(Children from grades K-8 leave for Sunday School)

* **Hymn** Be Thou My Vision

Opening Prayer (unison)

Padi Hallam Joseph

No. 595

Holy Mother,

Father of Christ who asked the disciples,

"What are you looking for?"

and who offered the invitation to "come and see,"

open our hearts to what you reveal and give us the courage to follow.

By your Spirit, aid us in our journey,

* Those who are able stand

**** Worshipers may be seated

so that, like John, our words and deeds point to the Lamb of God.

For those who are suffering, let us point to Christ through comfort.

For those who are hungry, let us point to Christ through bread.

For those in the grip of despair, let us point to Christ through hope. Amen.

Generosity Impact Moment

Rev. Betsy Wooster

Invitation to Generosity

Rev. Wooster

Anthem Spirit, God, Eternal World (Kim Kolander and Bret Heim)

Federated Choir

Patrick Wickliffe, piano

Prayers of Thanksgiving and Fellowship of Prayer

Rev. Wooster

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 sins, as we forgive those who sin 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.

* **Hymn** O God of Every Shining Constellation No. 55

Scripture John 1:29-42 Rev. Throckmorton

Sermon Rev. Throckmorton

* **Hymn** I Have Decided to Follow Jesus No. 344

* Benediction Rev. Throckmorton

Postlude Thy Strong Word (EBENEZER; Aaron David Miller) Patrick Wickliffe,

organ



~ Departing to Service ~



Calling Disciples, by Dr. He Qo

UPCOMING WORSHIP

Sunday, January 22, 10 AM
Installation of Rev. Betsy Wooster as
Pastor of Transformational Ministries
Special Guest Rev. Matt Wooster preaches
"Called to Fish for People"