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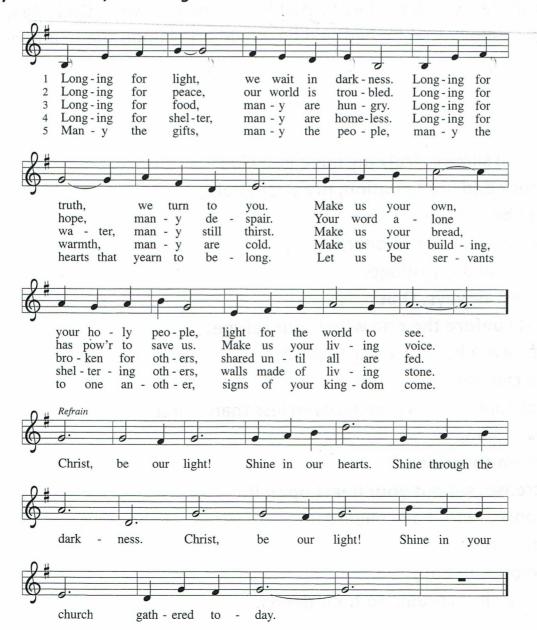
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January 24, 2021 – Third Sunday after Epiphany 10:30 AM - www.facebook.com/durhamlutheran

Prelude "Shine on Us" - Michael & Debbie Smith - Piano Welcome- Announcements - Intro to Worship Opening Hymn – "Christ, Be our Light" -vs. 5 - ELW #715

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Prayer of the Day

Almighty God, by grace alone you call us and accept us in your service. Strengthen us by your Spirit, and make us worthy of your call, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. Amen.

Reading-Jonah 3:1-5, 10

The word of the LORD came to Jonah a second time, saying, 'Get up, go to Nineveh, that great city, and proclaim to it the message that I tell you.' So Jonah set out and went to Nineveh, according to the word of the LORD. Now Nineveh was an exceedingly large city, a three days' walk across. Jonah began to go into the city, going a day's walk. And he cried out, 'Forty days more, and Nineveh shall be overthrown!' And the people of Nineveh believed God; they proclaimed a fast, and everyone, great and small, put on sackcloth.

When God saw what they did, how they turned from their evil ways, God changed his mind about the calamity that he had said he would bring upon them; and he did not do it.

Psalm 62: 5-12

For God alone I wait in silence; truly my hope is in God.

⁶God alone is my rock and my salvation, my stronghold, so that I shall never be shaken

⁷In God is my deliverance and my honor; God is my strong rock and my refuge.

⁸Put your trust in God al-ways, O people, pour out your hearts before the one who is our refuge.

⁹Those of high degree are but a fleeting breath;

those of low estate can- not be trusted.

Placed on the scales together they weigh even less than a breath.

¹⁰Put no trust in extortion;

in robbery take no empty pride;

though wealth increase, set not your heart upon it.

¹¹God has spoken once, twice have I heard it, that power be-longs to God.

¹²Steadfast love belongs to you,

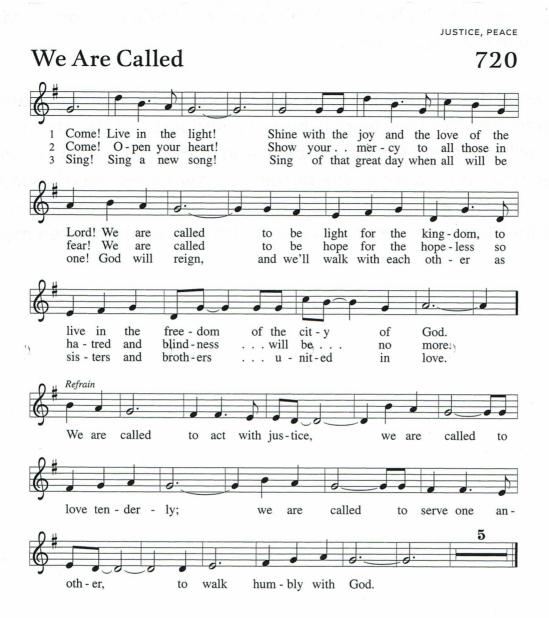
O Lord, for you repay all according to their deeds.

The Holy Gospel - Mark 1:14-20

Now after John was arrested, Jesus came to Galilee, proclaiming the good news of God, and saying, "The time is fulfilled, and the kingdom of God has come near, repent, and believe in the good news."

As Jesus passed along the Sea of Galilee, he saw Simon and his brother Andrew casting a net into the sea- for they were fishermen. And Jesus said to them, "Follow me and I will make you fish for people." And immediately they left their nets and followed him. As he went a little farther, he saw James son of Zebedee and his brother John, who were in their boat mending the nets. Immediately he called them; and they left their father Zebedee in the boat with the hired men, and followed him.

Message



Prayers and Intercessions:

Pastor: O God our salvation.

People: Our hope is in you.

Lord's Prayer Sign of Peace

Blessing

Helping in Worship

Organist/Choir Director

- Carolyn Williams

Altar Guild

- Val McGinn, Nancy Moskella

Technology Leader

- Ken Anderson

Preparation of Bulletin/ Office Secretary - Jessica Mette

Custodian

- Dianna Streletz

ANNOUNCEMENTS

- Virtual Worship every Sunday at 10:30AM on Facebook.
- Virtual "Whirl" Sunday School every week on Facebook.
- "Outreach" offerings for both January and February will be divided equally and sent to Food banks: "The Lord's Pantry" (Ottsville) and Project of Easton.

Please lift up in prayer the following ...

For Healing of those in our Congregation: Michael Altemus; Joanne & David Antoni; Esther Crouse; Norma Fox; Faye Gadwell; Virginia Hager; Betty & George Kreitz; Phyllis Lanshe; Silas Rodenbach; Hal Taylor; and Carolyn Williams; Joanne Ziegenfuss.

For Healing of Friends and Family: Phyllis Allebach; Brian Ashmore, Jr.; Lynn Bailey; Reta Bieber; Jason Bigley; Julia Bizon; Karen Bolesta; Kelly Bordelon; Phyllis Boyer; Melissa Carafa; Deb Carmichael; Josie Crawn; DeLorenzo Family; Helen Eby; Chris Fear; Ray Fear; Fred Foerster; Ken Garey; Candie Gimbar; Florence Gonzalez; Bob Helm; Kathy J.; Paige Jipner; Virginia Johnson; Mary Ellen Jonczyk; Jean Kaki; Jane Kemmerer; Martine King; Priscilla Kinter; Joanne Dehel Lavin; Macey Litz; Barbara Lynch; Chelsea Marley; Warren & Pat Merkham; Andrea Miller; Clint O'Connor; Jeff Petruno; Lisa Pezzino; Les Pross; Donnie Pyne; Letitia Reidinger; Randy Rilling; Jill Roland; Connie Rugen; Linda Saunders; David Sebring; Laurel Sheetz; Gary Shollenberger; Erma Starling; Donna Storm; Yolanda Taube; Russ Trauger; Alex Ulrey; Michelle Woodruff. ALSO, Laura, Kelly, Charlie D., Charlie L., and Jane.

For those who are Homebound: Cleo and Ken Eck.

For the Grieving: The families of Lea Kneebone; Sarah Rhine; Gerry Seipt; Manfred & Elfriede Marschewski; Rudolf von Watzdorf; and Duane Lehr.

For those in Health Care: Including Sara Aquino, Debbie Angstadt; Kendell Beerer, Mary Crouse, Sara Deal Den Herder, Mary Erceg; Faye Gadwell; Morgan Litz; Tanya Naska; Kristi Lee Reiman; and Sharron Streletz.

Essential Food Workers: Bethany Michl, Trauger's Farm

Essential Postal Workers: Andrea Fox and Dawn Margeson

New Baby: Please keep Kristi Lee and Dane Reiman and their newborn son, Dane Charles, in your prayers.