



**Pleasant Hill Presbyterian Church
Online Worship Service
Sunday, January 16, 2022
Second Sunday after the Epiphany**

Gathering Around the Word

Prelude

Sweet Hour of Prayer
arr. Joel Raney

Hyoun Joo Song

Welcome and Announcements

The Rev. Katie Day

Call to Worship

Katie

One: And God said, "You're invited!" What are we invited to?

**All: To be called by name, to witness God's glory revealed,
to hear the promises fulfilled.**

One: When do we respond?

All: Today and everyday.

One: Where do we show up?

All: Wherever we may find ourselves.

One: What do we need to bring?

All: Our open hearts and minds.

One: We are invited!

All: Let us worship God.

Call to Confession

The Rev. Jennie Sankey

Prayer of Confession

Almighty God, we confess that we have been led astray by the idols of our world. We have depended on our possessions and have not placed our trust in your grace. We have carelessly consumed the gifts you offer and have failed to be faithful stewards of the earth's resources. We have sought security in the power of privilege and status rather than the strength of your Holy Spirit. Forgive us, we pray. Lead us to true repentance that we may serve you faithfully. Through Christ we pray, Amen.

Assurance of Grace

Jennie

Passing of the Peace

Jennie

One: The peace of Christ be with you.

All: **And also with you.**

The Word Read and Proclaimed

Children's Sermon

Jennie

Organ Solo

Flute Piece
William Hine

Hyoun Joo

Prayer for Illumination

Jennie

Scripture Reading

1 Corinthians 12:1-11

Jennie

Now concerning spiritual gifts, brothers and sisters, I do not want you to be uninformed. You know that when you were pagans, you were enticed and led astray to idols that could not speak. Therefore I want you to understand that no one speaking by the Spirit of God ever says "Let Jesus be cursed!" and no one can say "Jesus is Lord" except by the Holy Spirit. Now there are varieties of gifts, but the same Spirit; and there are varieties of services, but the same Lord; and there are varieties of activities, but it is the same God who activates all of them in everyone. To each is given the manifestation of the Spirit for the common good. To one is given through the Spirit the utterance of wisdom, and to another the utterance of knowledge according to the same Spirit, to another faith by the same Spirit, to another gifts of healing by the one Spirit, to another the working of miracles, to another prophecy, to another the discernment of spirits, to another various kinds of tongues, to another the interpretation of tongues. All these are activated by one and the same Spirit, who allots to each one individually just as the Spirit chooses.

Scripture Reading

John 2: 1-11

Katie

On the third day there was a wedding in Cana of Galilee, and the mother of Jesus was there. Jesus and his disciples had also been invited to the wedding. When the wine gave out, the mother of Jesus said to him, "They have no wine." And Jesus said to her, "Woman, what concern is that to you and to me? My hour has not yet come." His mother said to the servants, "Do whatever he tells you." Now standing there were six stone water jars for the Jewish rites of purification, each holding twenty or thirty gallons. Jesus said to them, "Fill the jars with water." And they filled them up to the brim. He said

to them, “Now draw some out, and take it to the chief steward.” So they took it. When the steward tasted the water that had become wine, and did not know where it came from (though the servants who had drawn the water knew), the steward called the bridegroom and said to him, “Everyone serves the good wine first, and then the inferior wine after the guests have become drunk. But you have kept the good wine until now.” Jesus did this, the first of his signs, in Cana of Galilee, and revealed his glory; and his disciples believed in him.

Sermon “You’re Invited to a Wedding” Katie

Responding to the Word

Special Music *As the Wind Song* Solo: Lee Bourgeois

Affirmation of Faith Katie

Adapted from the Confession of 1967

God’s sovereign love is a mystery beyond the reach of the human mind. Human thought ascribes to God superlatives of power, wisdom, and goodness. But God reveals divine love in Jesus Christ by showing power in the form of a servant, wisdom in the folly of the cross, and goodness in receiving sinful men and women. The power of God’s love in Christ to transform the world discloses that the Redeemer is the Lord and Creator who made all things to serve the purpose of God’s love.

Prayer for the People Jennie

Silent Prayer, Pastoral Prayer

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 debts as we forgive our debtors. Lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil, for thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory, forever. Amen.

Invitation to Offering Jennie

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Offertory *For the Beauty of the Earth* Hyoun Joo
arr. Jason Tonioli

Prayer of Dedication Jennie

Following the Word into the World

Charge and Benediction Katie

Postlude *Glory to God* Hyoun Joo
arr. Paul Vasile

Parts of this morning’s liturgy are adapted from *Feasting on the Word*.

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