

Our mission is to learn the way of Jesus together as we invite others to join us at His Table.

Our Common Practices

We Gather

We gather for worship more often than not.
We gather in smaller groups to connect, learn, and grow.
We create hospitable space for one another.

We Grow

We attend the means of grace daily. (i.e. We attend to the presence of God through Scripture reading and meditation, prayer on behalf of others and myself, breath prayer, spiritual reading and study...).
We nurture our faith.
We attend to relationships that promote growth.
We develop and learn as human beings made in the image of God.

We Give

We are a generous people who give our time and resources to the mission of God and the world.
We tithe as the means through which our community enjoys fiscal health so as to minister generously.

We Go

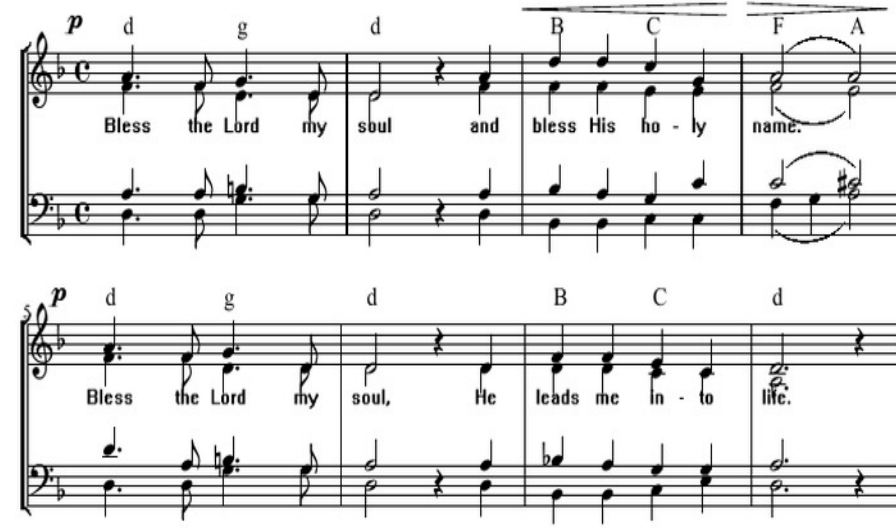
We follow Jesus into the world as His healing presence.
We help the vulnerable among us.
We go into the world offering Jesus' invitation to gather at His Table.

A Breath Prayer for the coming week:

"Lord Jesus Christ, Son of God, fill me with Your love."

Bless the Lord my soul

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Order of Worship
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The Third Sunday after Epiphany

We Gather to Worship God

Prelude Music
Welcome
Call to Worship

We Listen to the Scriptures

Prayers of the People
Scripture Reading: Psalm 62
Sermon: "Jesus' Plan to Change the World-
Part 2: I Will Make You"

We Come to the Table

The Peace
Prayer of Confession and Consecration
We Eat and Drink Together
The Lord's Prayer
Prayer of Thanksgiving
We Celebrate the Eucharist in Song

We Go to Live in the Reign of God

Community Life
Gossiping the Good Stuff
Doxology
Blessing and Sending



Jesus' Plan to Change the World Part 2: I Will Make You

¹⁸ As Jesus was walking beside the Sea of Galilee, he saw two brothers, Simon called Peter and his brother Andrew. They were casting a net into the lake, for they were fishermen. ¹⁹ "Come, follow me," Jesus said, "and I will make you fishers of men."
²⁰ At once they left their nets and followed him.

²¹ Going on from there, he saw two other brothers, James son of Zebedee and his brother John. They were in a boat with their father Zebedee, preparing their nets. Jesus called them, ²² and immediately they left the boat and their father and followed him.
Matthew 4:18-22 (NIV)

Part in Making Us His Disciple

¹ As for you, **you were dead in your transgressions and sins,** ² in which you used to live when you followed the ways of this world and of the ruler of the kingdom of the air, the spirit who is now at work in those who are disobedient. ³ All of us also lived among them at one time, gratifying the cravings of our sinful nature and following its desires and thoughts. Like the rest, we were by nature objects of wrath.

⁴ But because of his great love for us, God, who is rich in mercy, ⁵ **made us alive with Christ even when we were dead in transgressions--**it is by grace you have been saved. ⁶ And God raised us up with Christ and seated us with him in the heavenly realms in Christ Jesus, ⁷ in order that in the coming ages he might show the incomparable riches of his grace, expressed in his kindness to us in Christ Jesus.

⁸ **For it is by grace you have been saved, through faith--and this not from yourselves, it is the gift of God--** ⁹ not by works, so that no one can boast. ¹⁰ **For we are God's workmanship,** created in Christ Jesus to do good works, which God prepared in advance for us to do.
Ephesians 2:1-10 (NIV)

- We were all born _____
- _____ makes us alive with Christ
- _____ to follow God is the gift _____ God
- God has a _____ for your life

Areas of Your Life Jesus Needs to _____

- Your relationship with _____

⁵ "I am the vine; you are the branches. If a man remains in me and I in him, he will bear much fruit; apart from me you can do nothing.
John 15:5 (NIV)

Am I _____ (heart) in my relationship with Jesus?

- Your relationship with Jesus' family, the _____

Am I growing in _____ toward my church family and am I helping to fulfill the _____ of my local church in this world?

- Your relationships in your _____

Am I allowing Christ's teachings to direct my _____?

- Your relationships with the _____

Am I allowing Christ to show through my relationships with _____ in my world?

Part in Being Jesus' Disciples

¹² Therefore, my dear friends, **as you have always obeyed--**not only in my presence, but now much more in my absence--continue to **work out your salvation with fear and trembling,** ¹³ for it is God who works in you to will and to act according to his good purpose.
Philippians 2:12-13 (NIV)

- We must be _____ to his teachings
- We must be _____ in our obedience

katargazomai – 'to bring about or to _____ out' (the present tense implies a consistent and ongoing effort)

Working out your salvation involves cooperating with God in his ongoing work of moral transformation within you – both _____ and _____.

- We must be _____ in our awe

Our proper response to what God has done in our lives should be one of continued and ongoing _____ to God's Word.

How _____ are you to Christ today? Are you living out in your daily life _____ that God's Word teaches you?

What area of your life do you need to allow Jesus to change _____?