

WORSHIP KIT 1-23-2022 3rd Sunday after Epiphany

PRELUDE “Aria Pastorale”

Flor Peeters

CHIMING OF THE HOUR

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

OPENING PRAYER

CONGREGATIONAL INTTOIT: “Bind Us Together” TWC 690

CALL TO WORSHIP

The Lord is near to all those who call upon God’s name. God fulfills the desire of all those who fear him; he will also hear their cry and save them. Let us worship God.

*HYMN

“The Kingdom of God is Justice and Joy” TWC 712

*CALL TO CONFESSION

If we say we have no sin, we deceive ourselves, and the truth is not in us. But when we confess our sins, God, who is faithful and just, will forgive us our sins and cleanse us from all unrighteousness. Trusting in God’s grace, let us confess our sin.

*UNISON PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Eternal God, in whom we live and move and have our being, whose face is hidden from us by our sins, and whose mercy we forget in the blindness of our hearts: Cleanse us from all our offenses, and deliver us from proud thoughts and vain desires, that with reverent and humble hearts we may draw near to you, confessing our faults, confiding in your grace, and finding in you our refuge and strength; through Jesus Christ your son. Amen.

*SILENT PRAYER OF CONFESSION (PAUSE)

*ASSURANCE OF PARDON

Anyone who is in Christ is a new creation. The old life has gone; a new life has begun. Know that you are forgiven and be at peace. Amen.

*GLORIA PATRI

TWC 805

SCRIPTURE READING:

Ruth 1: 14-18

SOLO:

“Whither Thou Goest”

Flor Peeters

Vocalist: Philip Aley

SERMON:

“Our Town”

The Rev. V. W. Torbert,, 3rd

