

JANUARY 3, 2016

THE WORSHIP OF GOD  
EPIPHANY OF THE LORD SUNDAY

10:45 AM

CHIMING OF THE HOUR

CALL TO WORSHIP

Arise! Shine! For your light has come; the Lord's glory has shone upon you!  
**Thanks be to God for the gift of Jesus Christ.**

Jason W. Crosby

PASSING OF THE PEACE

Peace be with you.

**And also with you.**

Jason W. Crosby

LIFE OF THE CHURCH

Please take a moment to complete the section at the top of the insert, fold and tear it off at the perforation and put it in the offering plate. Or, you may share contact info or comments with us by sending a text message to 502-295-0285.

ENTRANCE INTO WORSHIP

Lift up your hearts.

**We lift them up to God.**

PRELUDE

*Lead, Kindly Light*  
Jennifer Gilcreast, piano

arr. Price

INVOCATION

If spoken in a language that is unfamiliar to you, worshippers are invited to silently pray for God's presence to be felt in hearts and minds through our worship.

\*HYMN OF PRAISE 162 (G0)

*The First Noel, the Angel Did Say*

THE FIRST NOEL

SERVICE OF BAPTISM

Mu Kut Paw

Wah Wah

Baptismal Vows (Repeat with each candidate)

Candidate: Jesus Christ is Lord.

Minister: Hear now the pledge of your family of faith.

**People: Jesus Christ is Lord. We rejoice with you. We will pray for you.  
And we will walk with you in the way of Jesus.**

\*GOSPEL READING

Luke 2:15-21

Erin Woggon

The word of God for the people of God.

**Thanks be to God.**

CHILDREN'S MOMENT

Andrea V. Woolley

MUSICAL OFFERING

*El Desembre Congelat*  
Jennifer Gilcreast, piano

Catalan Carol

\*EPIPHANY DOXOLOGY

*Praise God, the Giver and the Gift*

LASST UNS ERFREUEN

Praise God, the Giver and the Gift. Hearts, minds and voices now uplift: Alleluia! Alleluia!

Praise, praise the Breath of glad surprise, freeing, uplifting, opening eyes,

Three-in-Oneness, Love communing, Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia! Amen.

Brian Wren, 1987-88; © 1989 in *Bring Many Names*

\*HYMN OF EPIPHANY 185 (G0)

*We Three Kings of Orient Are*

KINGS OF ORIENT

WORDS FOR THE JOURNEY

TOWARD THE LIGHT

Jason W. Crosby

SERVICE OF HOLY COMMUNION

Beginning with those seated at the back of the sanctuary, when signaled by an usher, proceed to the communion station by way of the nearest center aisle, and return to your seat by way of the nearest side aisle. Those in the balcony may walk toward the upstairs piano to receive the bread and cup. If you are unable to come forward, please raise your hand and someone will serve you.

COMMUNION MEDITATION

Frank Woggon, guitar

DISCIPLINE OF SILENCE

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

Brittani M. Bair

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 trespasses as we forgive those who trespass 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.**

\*INVITATION TO DISCIPLESHIP AND COMMUNITY

We gladly welcome all who desire to unite with the community of faith at Crescent Hill Baptist Church to come forward during the Hymn of Response and share that decision with the minister.

\*HYMN OF RESPONSE 181

*As with Gladness Men of Old*

DIX

BENEDICTION

Jason W. Crosby

SILENCE

POSTLUDE

*Lead On, O King Eternal*  
Jennifer Gilcreast, piano

Henry T. Smart, arr. Berry

\* Worshipers are invited to rise, in body or spirit.

***A benevolence offering which is used for special needs among church members and persons in our community will be taken at the doors following worship.***

- We welcome guest pianist Jennifer Gilcreast, K-2 music teacher and assistant conductor/accompanist for choirs grades 3-12 at Highlands Latin School, Spring Meadows Campus.
- Worshipers are requested to turn off all cell phones and pagers.
- CDs of today's service are available in the sound booth following the service.
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- We invite those who wish to be baptized or join the church to share that decision with the church near the conclusion of worship. However, if you are uncomfortable doing that but would like to explore baptism or church membership, the ministers would be glad to discuss those decisions with you following worship.