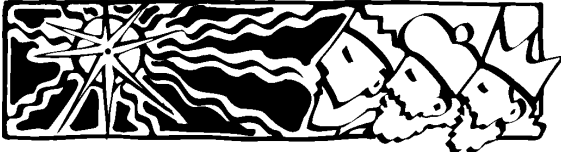


Second
Sunday after
the Epiphany



PRELUDE

Entrée
Variations sur KELVINGROVE

C. Frank
D. Bedard

GATHERING OF THE COMMUNITY

CALL TO WORSHIP

***PROCESSIONAL HYMN**

#113 Rejoice, Ye Pure in Heart

MARION

***INVOCATION AND 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, for ever and ever. Amen.

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

O Lord our God,
you spoke to Samuel and he listened.
We confess that we pay attention to so many
other voices that we fail to hear your voice.
At other times your gentle whisper invites us
into a deeper relationship with you
but we are too busy or too afraid to respond.
Forgive us Lord.
Strip away all that hinders us
from receiving your love and grace.
Holy Spirit, enable us not only to hear you
but to joyfully follow you.

(Silence for personal confession and reflection)

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

***GLORIA PATRI**

R. Goodson

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son,
and to the Holy Ghost;
As it was in the beginning, is now and
Ever shall be, world without end. Amen.

FIRST READING

John 1:43-51

Response to the reading: "Thanks be to God"

LITANY

One: When the Word of the Lord was seldom heard,
God spoke to Samuel

Many: Speak to us, Lord God of all creation.

One: Our noisy world drowns out the voice of God

Many: Speak to us, God of the still small voice.

One: Our cluttered lives leave little space for God

Many: Speak to us, O God who waits for us.

All: Speak Lord, for your servant is listening

Speak Lord, for your servant is listening

Speak Lord, for your servant is listening

***HYMN OF PRAISE**

#350 The Summons

KELVINGROVE

CHILDREN'S BLESSING

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

SECOND READING

I Samuel 3:1-10

Response to the reading: "Thanks be to God"

***HYMN OF MEDITATION**

#559 Here I Am, Lord

D. Schutte

SERMON

Rev. Dr. Gary Nelson

CELEBRATION OF OUR TITHES AND OFFERINGS

Offertory

Aria

C. Phillips

***Doxology**

Praise God from whom all blessings flow;
Praise Him all creatures here below;
Praise Him above ye heavenly host;
Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost. Amen.

***Prayer of Gratitude**

***HYMN FOR THE JOURNEY**

#581 Called as Partners in Christ's Service

BEECHER

THE BLESSING OF THE COMMUNITY

Leader: May the grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of
God and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you.

People: And also with you.

***The Sending of the Community**

***Congregational Amen**

The service of the church into the world - - begins again this week

***POSTLUDE**

Recessional

A. Breur

*Please stand, as you are able

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