

HEBRON PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
FM 91.3

January 31, 2021

Fourth Sunday After Epiphany

11:00 A.M.

PRELUDE

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

Rev. Steve Willis

CALL TO WORSHIP (adapted from Psalm 111)

P: I will give thanks to the Lord with my whole heart, in the company of the upright in the congregation.

All: Great are the works of the Lord, studied by all who delight in them. He has gained renown by His wonderful deeds. For the Lord is gracious and merciful.

P: The fear of the Lord is the beginning of wisdom.

All: Those who practice wisdom have a good understanding, for God's praise endures forever.

INSTALLATION OF RULING ELDERS

Theresa Moore, Doug Trimble, Joan Wright

MUSIC

"Here I am, Lord"

Hebron Singers

I, the Lord of sea and sky, I have heard my people cry.
All who dwell in deepest sin, my hand will save.
I, who made the stars of night, I will make their darkness bright.
Who will bear my light to them? Whom shall I send?
Here I am Lord. Is it I Lord? I have heard you calling in the night.
I will go Lord, if you lead me. I will hold your people in my heart.
I, the Lord of snow and rain, I have borne my peoples pain.
I have wept for love of them, they turn away.
I will break their hearts of stone, give them hearts for love alone.
I will speak my word to them Whom shall I send?
Here I am Lord. Is it I Lord? I have heard you calling in the night.
I will go Lord, if you lead me. I will hold your people in my heart.
I, the Lord of wind and flame, I will tend the poor and lame.
I will set a feast for them, my hand will save.
Finest bread I will provide till their hearts be satisfied.
I will give my life to them, whom shall I send?
Here I am Lord. Is it I Lord? I have heard you calling in the night.
I will go Lord, if you lead me. I will hold your people in my heart.

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

SCRIPTURE READING

I Corinthians 8:1-6 ~ Now concerning food offered to idols: we know that "all of us possess knowledge." "Knowledge" puffs up, but love builds up. If any one imagines that he knows something, he does not yet know as he ought to know. But if one loves God, one is known by him. Hence, as to the eating of food offered to idols, we know that "an idol has no real existence," and that "there is no God but one." For although there may be so-called gods in heaven or on earth--as indeed there are many "gods" and many "lords"-- yet for us there is one God, the Father, from whom are all things and for whom we exist, and one Lord, Jesus Christ, through whom are all things and through whom we exist.

Mark 1:21-28 ~ And they went into Caper'na-um; and immediately on the sabbath he entered the synagogue and taught. And they were astonished at his teaching, for he taught them as one who had authority, and not as the scribes. And immediately there was in their synagogue a man with an unclean spirit; and he cried out, "What have you to do with us, Jesus of Nazareth? Have you come to destroy us? I know who you are, the Holy One of God." But Jesus rebuked him, saying, "Be silent, and come out of him!" And the unclean spirit, convulsing him and crying with a loud voice, came out of him. And they were all amazed, so that they questioned among themselves, saying, "What is this? A new teaching! With authority he commands even the unclean spirits, and they obey him." And at once his fame spread everywhere throughout all the surrounding region of Galilee.

SERMON

"Trustworthy Authority"

Rev. Steve Willis

AFFIRMATION OF FAITH *The Apostles' Creed*

**I BELIEVE in God the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth,
And in Jesus Christ His only Son our Lord; who was conceived by the Holy Ghost,
born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried;
he descended into hell; the third day He rose again from the dead; He ascended
into heaven, and sitteth at the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence He
shall come to judge the quick and the dead.**

I believe in the Holy Ghost; the holy catholic Church; the communion of saints; the forgiveness of sins; the resurrection of the body; And the life everlasting. Amen

MUSIC

"Dear Lord and Father of Mankind"

Hebron Singers

Dear Lord and Father of mankind, forgive our foolish ways!
Reclothe us in our rightful minds; in purer lives Thy service find, In deeper reverence, praise.
In simple trust like theirs who heard, beside the Syrian sea,
The gracious calling of the Lord, let us, like them without a word, Rise up and follow Thee.
Drop Thy still small dews of quietness till all our strivings cease.
Take from our souls the strain and stress, and let our ordered lives confess The beauty of Thy peace.
Breathe thro' the heats of our desire Thy coolness and Thy balm,
Let sense be dumb, let flesh retire; speak thro' the earthquake, wind, and fire, O still small voice of calm.

MORNING PRAYER AND THE LORD'S PRAYER (debts and debtors)

BENEDICTION

***WE WELCOME YOU** to our drive-in worship this morning! We are happy to have you with us, and we invite you to worship with us regularly any time. Drive-in will continue until it is safe for all of our members to worship together in the sanctuary. If you are a visitor or if you have a prayer or pastoral concern, send us an email or drop a note in the offering buckets.*

***HEBRON PRAYER CONCERNS** ~ Katy Shaver, Betty Piner, Nan Brown, Janet Wiseman, Hilda Dundas, David Moore, Sylvia Carter, Dick Miller, Robin Moyer, Mike Fallin, Junior Gilmer, Meredith Arneson, Ruth Rathburn, Helen Breeden, Junior Hewitt, Virginia Smiley, Mildred Brown, Patsy Shull*

***FAMILY AND FRIENDS** ~ Jon Helmick, Donna Glenn, Debby Folweiler, Dirk Smiley, Amy Jeffries, Audrey King, Roger Flory, Craig Peterson, Emily Griffin, Jim Barfield, Mary Alice Barfield, Glennie Ratliff, Oakland Huffer, Myrtle Lorraine Glenn, Tim Lane, Anabel Fields, Kathleen Sheetz, Anita Burner, Debbie Dixon, Carol Dixon, Linden Heatwole, Meade Loomis*

***DEAR HEBRON FAMILY** ~ There are no words to express how much we appreciate your love and support in our loss of Nancy T. Cook. The support of the church with the memorial service meant so much to all of us. She touched many lives at Hebron and as a nurse in this community, and we will all truly miss her. Your cards and words of support have truly helped us through this difficult time. Thank you and our love to all.*

Tom and Jan Cook, Nancy K. Cook and The Cook Family

ANNOUNCEMENTS

CHURCH CALENDAR FOR WEEK OF 1/31/2021

TODAY 11:00 A.M. Drive-in Worship and Installation of Officers

NEXT SUNDAY 11:00 A.M. Drive-in Worship

ATTENDANCE LAST WEEK: 62

OFFICERS TO BE INSTALLED: Theresa Moore, Doug Trimble, Joan Wright

STUDENT "GOODIE" BOXES will not be prepared due to high infection COVID cases. Instead the PW will purchase prepaid gift cards for four students to use in purchasing items they might need. They hope to continue the "Goodie Box" tradition next year.

CAT SURVEYS: As of 10:30 am Friday, 36 Hebron folk have responded to the questionnaire.



The people
were amazed at his teaching,
because he taught them as
one who had authority.

Mark 1:22

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