

Welcome to . . .
The Presbyterian Church of Saint David
January 28, 2018
4th Sunday after Epiphany

Opening Responses

L> Peace on each one who comes in need,
ALL> peace on each one who comes in joy.
L> Peace on each one who offers prayers,
ALL> peace on each one who offers song.
L> Peace of the Maker, peace of the Son,
ALL> peace of the Spirit, the Triune One.

Hymn: Jesus calls us here to meet him 528

Prayer: (said together)

**Holy God, open our ears to hear
what you are saying to us today.
Open our eyes, to see
where Jesus' healing love is needed in our world.
Open our hands, to do your work
and help where help is needed.
Open our lips, to bring comfort, joy,
and laughter to your people.
Open our minds, to hear new truths
about how you work in our world.
Open our hearts, to love you,
our neighbours, and ourselves
as you have loved us.
In Jesus' name. Amen.**

RESPONSE in Preparation for the Readings:

L> Listen for the Word that God has spoken;
**ALL> Speak, Lord, to our speaking,
speak, Lord, to our listening,
speak, Lord, to our souls' deep understanding.**

The Word of God: *Deuteronomy 18:15-22*
I Corinthians 8:1-13

L> For the Word of God in scripture,
for the Word of God among us,
for the Word of God within us.
ALL> Thanks be to God.

Reflection: "How do we know?"

Invitation

Prayer of Thanksgiving & Blessing, Prayers for Others

Communion

Prayer: (said together)

**Lord Jesus, you have put your life into our hands;
now we put our lives into yours.
Take us, renew and remake us.
What we have been is past;
what we shall be, through you,
still awaits us.
Lead us on.
Take us with you.
Amen.**

Hymn: When voices are confusing 636

Blessing:

L> Deep peace of the running wave to you,
deep peace of the flowing air to you,
deep peace of the quiet earth to you,
deep peace of the shining stars to you,
deep peace of the Son of Peace to you.

ALL> Amen.

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