Welcome to. . . The Presbyterian Church of Saint David February 4, 2018 5th Sunday after Epiphany

Call to Worship:

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L> The peace of the Lord be with you always.

ALL> And also with you.

Jesus says: I am the bread of life. Whoever comes to me will never be hungry, and whoever believes in me will never be thirsty, anyone who comes to me I will never drive away.

Hymn: Here, O my Lord <u>543 vv 1-3</u>

Prayer: (said together)

In the Lord's Supper, Christ is present by the power of the Holy Spirit, and offers us his body, broken for our sake, And his blood, shed for the forgiveness of our sons. We come, Lord, to your Holy Table earnestly seeking these benefits and the renewal of life giving communion with you and your people. 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: Psalm 46

John 15: 1-11

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

Invitation

Prayer of Thanksgiving & Blessing, Prayers for Others

Communion

Prayer: (said together)

We thank you, O God, that through Word and Sacrament You have given us your Son,
Who is the true bread from heaven and food of real life.
So strengthen us in your service That our daily living may show our thanks in words and deeds of love.
In Jesus' name. Amen.

Hymn: Here, O my Lord <u>543 vv 4 - 7</u>

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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