

Welcome to . . .
The Presbyterian Church of Saint David
January 12, 2020
The Baptism of Jesus

Call to Worship:

Give glory to God, worship the Lord in
the splendour of holiness.

**The voice of the Lord is full of power and majesty.
In God's temple we cry, "Glory!"**

Hymn: God of mercy, God of grace 39

Prayer: (said responsively)

We praise you, O God, majestic and compassionate,
glorious in nature, present in the Human One Jesus.

**To you all angels sing their praise;
the heavens and all powers bow before you.**

**We offer our worship in the Name of Him
in whom your glory is revealed, Jesus Christ our Lord.**

Holy God, sometimes we forget that we are yours.

Sometimes we think you forget us and are far away.

Then we remember the gift of your Son Jesus
and how your Spirit touched him at his baptism,
and we know that you have come down to earth
to show how much you love us.

**Forgive our lack of faith
and our failure to recognize your presence.
Help us to discover new joy as your children;
through Jesus Christ our Saviour. 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: *Isaiah 42:1-9*
Matthew 3:13-17

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:

**Loving God, thank you for bringing us
into communion with our risen Saviour,
and with all who love him in heaven and on earth.
Help us to carry your salvation and joy to all the world
in the Name of Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.**

Hymn: Amigos de Cristo/Friends of the Lord 476

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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