

FIFTH SUNDAY AFTER THE EPIPHANY

9:00AM

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 7, 2021

GATHERING

GREETING AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

PRELUDE *In the Midst of New Dimensions* J. B. Rush

***CANTICLE OF LIGHT AND DARKNESS (RESPONSIVELY):**

L: We look for light but find darkness,
P: FOR BRIGHTNESS, BUT WALK IN GLOOM.
L: We grope like those who have no eyes;
P: WE STUMBLE AT NOON AS IN THE TWILIGHT.
L: If I say, "Let only darkness cover me, and the light about me be night,"
P: EVEN THE DARKNESS IS NOT DARK TO YOU,
L: The night is bright as the day,
P: FOR DARKNESS IS AS LIGHT WITH YOU.
L: Blessed be your name, O God, for ever. You reveal deep and mysterious things;
P: YOU ARE LIGHT AND IN YOU IS NO DARKNESS.
L: Our darkness is passing away ...
P: AND ALREADY THE TRUE LIGHT IS SHINING.

***OPENING HYMN OF PRAISE #679** *O Splendor of God's Glory Bright*

***GOSPEL LESSON #1** *Matthew 6:19-24*

ANTHEM *Christ, Be Our Light* Farrell

A WORD TO THE CHILDREN

Lori Meyers

***GOSPEL LESSON #2** *Matthew 6:25-34*

***GLORIA PATRI #70**

WITNESS TO THE WORD *"What Are You Talking About?
It Depends On Who You're Listening To"*
Rev. L. Kim Eanes

***SONG OF PRAISE #223** *Break Forth, O Beauteous Light*

OFFERTORY *There Is A Balm in Gilead* Afro-American Spiritual

***THE DOXOLOGY #95**

***PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING**

PRAYER CONCERNS, PASTORAL PRAYER, THE LORD'S PRAYER #895

CLOSING HYMN OF PRAISE #249 *There's A Song in the Air*

***DISMISSAL WITH BLESSING**

***POSTLUDE** *Azmon* R. Hillert

***Please stand as you are able**