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THE  
GEORGETOWN  
PRESBYTERIAN  
CHURCH

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*Sunday, January 14, 2024, 11 a.m.*

*Second Sunday after Epiphany*

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PRELUDE	Lead On, O King Eternal	Flor Peeters (1903-1986)
WELCOME	Leader: The grace of the Lord Jesus Christ be with you all. People: <b>And also with you.</b>	
INTROIT	These Are They Which Follow the Lamb	John Goss (1800-1880)
CALL to WORSHIP <i>Adapted from Psalm 22</i>	Leader: You who fear the LORD, praise God! Stand in awe, all children of God! People: For God did not hide from me, but heard when I cried out. Leader: The poor shall eat and be satisfied; those who seek God shall praise the LORD. May your hearts live forever! People: Future generations will be told about the Lord, and proclaim his deliverance to all people, saying that God has done it. Leader: Let us worship God.	
◆ HYMN 1	Holy, Holy, Holy! Lord God Almighty!	Nicaea

◆ *You are invited to stand*

*As a courtesy to others, please turn off your cell phone and refrain from flash photography during the service.*

PRAYER of  
CONFESSION

Leader: I said I will confess my transgressions to the Lord.

**People:** And you forgave the iniquity of my sin.

Leader: Let us pray:

**People:** Gracious God, you know us better than we know ourselves.  
You know our sins even before we confess. Your knowledge is  
complete, but challenging. We'd much rather avoid painful  
truths and deny our role in wrongdoing. Help us face our  
failings so we can move forward in truth. Amen.

(Silent prayer)

ASSURANCE of  
PARDON

Leader: Friends believe the good news.

**People:** In Jesus Christ we are forgiven. Amen!

◆ GLORIA PATRI  
*Glory to God, #581*

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost; as  
it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without  
end. Amen.

TIME with CHILDREN

Rev. Dr. Camille Cook Howe

BAPTISM

SALLY ANN MARGARET TRULUCK

*Daughter of*

KAREN *and* WALKER TRULUCK

◆ HYMN 486

Child of Blessing, Child of Promise

*Kingdom*

PRAYER *for* ILLUMINATION

Deacon Jack Gillum

FIRST LESSON

Psalm 139:1-6, 13-18

Pg. 639

Leader: The Word of the Lord.

**People:** Thanks be to God!

ANTHEM

Savior, Like a Shepherd Lead Us

William Batchelder Bradbury  
(1816-1868) (arr. F. Bock)

SECOND LESSON

John 1:43-51

Pg. 95

Leader: The Word of the Lord.

**People:** Thanks be to God!

SERMON

*Called or Called Out?*

Rev. Dr. Camille Cook Howe

◆ HYMN 720

Jesus Calls us

*Galilee*

◆ DECLARATION of  
FAITH

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 on 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.

PRAYERS of the  
PEOPLE and the  
LORD'S PRAYER

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come. Thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil: For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

OFFERING and  
OFFERTORY

Lead On, O King Eternal

Henry Smart (1813-1879)  
(arr. O. Young)

*Passing of the Fellowship Books*

◆ DOXOLOGY

Praise God from whom all blessings flow; praise God all creatures here below; praise God above, ye heavenly host; praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

PRAYER of THANKSGIVING

◆ HYMN 450

Be Thou My Vision

*Slane*

◆ BENEDICTION

RESPONSE

Send Me

Rachel Aarons (b. 1984)

POSTLUDE

Toccata in Seven

John Rutter (b. 1945)

## About Today's Service

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**About the Music:** The choral anthem this morning is an arrangement of the well-known hymn “Saviour, Like a Shepherd Lead Us.” The text of this hymn first appears in 1840, in a collection titled “Hymns for the Young.” A few years later, the prolific hymn tune writer William Bradbury composed the tune expressly for this text. This arrangement was made by Fred Bock, who served as Director of Music in the Hollywood Presbyterian Church through the end of the last century.

**Flowers:** The flowers in the sanctuary today are given in celebration of the baptism of Sally Ann Margaret Truluck

**Ushers:** Karl Mattison (Captain), Erin Collier, Doug Davies, Fred Hart, Diana Jordan, Bill Krokowski, Lewis Mattison, Rob McLeod, and Marianne Roos

**Punch Bunch:** Please join us in the Georgetown Room following worship hosted by Pastor Meghan and her daughters, Inez and Lucía

**Children's Worship Leaders:** Pastor Meghan, Esther Wisdom, Kathleen Jennings, Tim Shirk and Casey Nolan

**Nursery Caregivers:** Gamage Perera, Swarna Nawarantha, and Udeni Passaramudalige

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# Weekly Calendar

## *Sunday, January 14*

9:45am      Nursery  
10:00am      Sunday School, Adult Education  
10:45am      Singing with Ms. Regina  
11:00am      Worship\*\*  
12:00pm      Punch Bunch

## *Monday, January 15*

GPC Office Closed - MLK Day

## *Tuesday, January 16*

11:00am      GPC Staff Meeting

## *Saturday, January 20*

5:00pm      Confirmation/Youth Progressive  
                Dinner

## *Sunday, January 21*

9:45am      Nursery  
9:50am      Confirmation Class  
10:00am      Sunday School, Adult Education  
10:45am      Singing with Ms. Regina  
11:00am      Worship\*\*  
12:00pm      Punch Bunch  
12:15pm      New Member Conference  
5:00pm      Yoga\*

*\*Event will be conducted virtually.*

*\*\*Both virtual and in-person options will be available.*

## Announcements

### **Celebration of Jennie Lopez**

Mark your calendars and please join us on February 4th at 10:00 am (before the worship service) to celebrate Jennie Lopez and all that she has done as our Children's Ministry Director.

## YCW Volunteers

YCW is looking for more volunteers in 2024! We welcome parent and non-parent volunteers to our group of greeters and storytellers. GPC will offer a Zoom training led by Emma Marshall on Saturday, January 27 from 10:00 am - 12:00 pm, and an in person training with YCW veteran and elder Katie Novaria on Sunday, January 28 from 12:15 - 2:15 pm, with lunch provided. Please email Liza Boyd and/or Pastor Meghan to let us know which training you plan to attend.

## Stewardship 2024: Sharing God's Story

Please show your appreciation for your many blessings, and your dedication to this Church with a Stewardship gift for 2024. We ask everyone to participate, especially those who have not given before. If you are particularly blessed this year, please increase your intent. The Bible asks us to joyfully give thanks to God. Let us also be joyful givers so we can continue to "Share God's Story." Please fill out the intent card in the pews and return it to the offering plate or fill out the online intent form at [gtownpres.org/stewardship](http://gtownpres.org/stewardship).

## Joyful Noise Rehearsals!

Joyful Noise will sing the introit during the worship service on Sunday, February 4, and we invite all GPC children in PreK and up to sing with us. Please make sure you attend singing time with Ms. Regina for a majority of the rehearsal dates: Sunday, January 7, 14, 21, 28, and February 4. All rehearsals are in the chapel at 10:40.

## Worship

[gtownpres.org/worship](http://gtownpres.org/worship)

Welcome to Georgetown Presbyterian Church, where people have gathered to worship for over 240 years. We worship each Sunday at 11:00am.

## Serve

[gtownpres.org/serve](http://gtownpres.org/serve)

### Sign Up to Be a Greeter

You may have noticed the smiling faces of GPC's greeters, volunteers who welcome members and visitors each Sunday with a friendly word and a warm handshake (or elbow bump!). This is a great way to meet people in the congregation and help bring warmth and community to our congregation. To volunteer for this fun and important role, visit [gtownpres.org/connect](http://gtownpres.org/connect).

### Georgetown Saturday Suppers

Saturday Suppers are back inside! The last Saturday of every month, GPC members meet at Mt. Zion United Methodist Church to serve dinner to 30-60 neighbors who are hungry. The move inside means a return to seated suppers and hot food. It also means a jump from 4-5 volunteers to 10-12 volunteers every last Saturday. Email [info@gtownpres.org](mailto:info@gtownpres.org) if you would like to get involved. To support, visit [gtownpres.org/give](http://gtownpres.org/give).

## Give

[gtownpres.org/give](http://gtownpres.org/give)

Your gifts enable the mission and ministry of this church. To manage a current pledge or make a one-time gift, visit [gtownpres.org/give](http://gtownpres.org/give) or scan the QR code below.

To give of your time and talents, visit

[gtownpres.org/timeandtalents](http://gtownpres.org/timeandtalents).



## Connect

[gtownpres.org/connect](http://gtownpres.org/connect)

### New Member Conference

Interested in joining GPC? Learn more about membership and what it means to be a Presbyterian at our next New Member Conference on January 21st. Be in touch with Pastor Jessica for more information. Visit [gtownpres.org/join](http://gtownpres.org/join) to sign up.

### Serve Punch Bunch!

We are seeking new and returning volunteers to contribute to our weekly Punch Bunch in 2024! Grab your family or some friends, take a trip to Safeway or Costco, and help us build and nourish our community in this time of fellowship. Sign-up online and find helpful resources for hosting at [gtownpres.org/connect](http://gtownpres.org/connect).

### Requests for Prayers

Scan here or visit [gtownpres.org/connect](http://gtownpres.org/connect) to fill out the care and support form. Responses will go directly to the GPC

Care Committee. Thank you for helping us care for yourselves and the broader GPC community.



### Join Us For Yoga Online Sundays at 5 pm!

Sunday morning worship is great for your soul- why not add Sunday evening yoga to care for your mind and body? Join your GPC friends for an hour of easy flow yoga and breath work with certified instructor Charlotte Adamo. Classes are on Zoom and cost \$25 each (payable by Venmo or check). Charlotte sees the best in everyone, and she meets you where you are, offering prompts for beginners, and challenges for the more advanced. For more info, feel free to email [Mary Beth Ray](mailto:MaryBeth.Ray) or [Charlotte Adamo](mailto:Charlotte.Adamo). Namaste, we hope to see you soon!

## Learn

[gtownpres.org/learn](http://gtownpres.org/learn)

### Children's Programming on Sunday Morning Education Hour 10:00 - 11:00 am

*Sunday School:* Children ages 3.5 - fifth grade are invited to attend as often as you are able at 10:00 am in the third floor classrooms. The Sunday School teachers will walk children down to the chapel for singing at the end of class.

*Singing with Ms. Regina:* Children of all ages are welcome to sing along with us in the chapel beginning at 10:45. Parents are invited to stay and sing together.

*Confirmation Class:* Confirmation class runs weekly from September through February for interested Youth in sixth grade and up. Class is led by Pastor Meghan at 10:00 am in the Youth Room.

### Worship Hour 11:00 am - 12:00 pm

*Young Children and Worship:* Following the Time with Children in the worship service, children in PreK-2nd grade are led upstairs to participate in this Montessori-based worship program. Parents should plan to walk upstairs to pick their children up from the classrooms.

*Children's Church:* Following the Time with Children in the worship service, children in 3rd - 5th grade are led to the chapel to participate in age-appropriate worship, led by one of our pastors and Ms. Regina. Children are dismissed back to the sanctuary or to punch bunch when Children's Church is over.

### Youth Group

Youth Group meets a couple of Sunday evenings each month. If you're interested in receiving emails about youth group programming, please reach out to Jennie to be added to the list ([JDL@gtownpres.org](mailto:JDL@gtownpres.org))

## Daily Lectionary

<i>Monday</i>	Matthew 20: 29-34
<i>Tuesday</i>	Psalms 125; 90
<i>Wednesday</i>	1 Peter 4:7-19
<i>Thursday</i>	Micah 7:11-20
<i>Friday</i>	Luke 21:5-19
<i>Saturday</i>	Psalms 25; 110

## Happy Birthday!

<i>January 14</i>	Tom Lotterman Luke Knapp
<i>January 16</i>	Mary Bernabucci Frances Gray Farver
<i>January 17</i>	Wallace Martin Barry Phelps
<i>January 18</i>	Kate Berrang
<i>January 19</i>	Gillian Auger Henry Sumner Max Ebie Mary McDermott Betsy Byrne
<i>January 20</i>	Sara Ebie

# *Serving Our City, United in Christ*

*Welcome to the Georgetown Presbyterian Church*

If you are here for the first time, we extend a special welcome to you. Please take a moment to read through the bulletin which contains important information for the life of this congregation.

- Ushers are wearing red lapel tags and are in the back of the Sanctuary. If you have any questions, don't hesitate to ask them.
- Please join us after worship for refreshments and fellowship in the Georgetown Room.

**Children are always welcome!**

- Worship bags are available for children who wish to stay in the worship service. Children can pick these up under the bench in the Narthex, and return them after church
- For our youngest children through three years old, nursery care is available upstairs beginning at 9:45am.
- After the Time with Children in the service, children can remain with their families or exit the Sanctuary with our Children's Worship leaders to continue age-appropriate worship. Please feel free to escort your children to their classroom to meet the leaders.

**Navigating the Service**

- Stars ♦ indicate when you are invited to stand if you are able.
- Bold text indicates that the congregation says this together, in one voice.
- Hymns can be found in the purple hymnals. Bibles are located at the end of the pews. Large print hymnals are available in the back of the Sanctuary.
- We receive communion once a month, and all are welcome.



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