

AN EVER-WIDENING CIRCLE OF GRACE



Ridgefield-Crystal Lake Presbyterian Church

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2nd Sunday after Epiphany
January 20, 2019 | 11:00

*As a courtesy, please silence cell phones before worship.
A “+” indicates all are invited to stand in either body or spirit.*

WE GATHER

INTROIT: A NEW ANOINTING

WELCOME AND NEWS OF THE CHURCH ALIVE!

+CALL TO WORSHIP

One: With you, Lord, there is no turning back, no returning to what once was, for we journey ever forward in faith.

**All: Let us worship God, in whom we place our trust—
the God of all that is old and new.**

+HYMN 304: O SING A NEW SONG TO THE LORD

+PRAYER OF CONFESSION

One: Let us make our own silent confession before the Lord.

~ *silence* ~

One: Creative one, holy and mysterious, maker of the universe, designer of all that is, we come humbly before you today.

**Men: *We are glad to be here, eager and alert,
ready to be astonished anew by your word to us.***

*Women: May we hear your voice afresh
and listen for your teaching.*

**Men: *We are sorry for those times
when we fail to rise to the challenge of your word.***

*Women: We are sorry for those times we choose to ignore your
teaching and prefer to try and do things our own way.*

All: Forgive us, Lord.

+ASSURANCE OF FORGIVENESS AND PASSING THE PEACE

One: Christ is our peace and reconciles us to God.
In our confession, we are promised God's mercy,
and are assured that God's grace
will follow us all the days of our lives.

**All: In the name of Jesus Christ, we are forgiven and
granted his peace. Thanks be to God.**

One: You are invited to greet one another in peace.

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

+DOXOLOGY: Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow GTG 607
**Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;
praise Christ, all people here below;
praise Holy Spirit evermore;
praise Triune God, whom we adore. Amen.**

+PRAYER OF DEDICATION

WE GO

+HYMN 733: WE ALL ARE ONE IN MISSION

+SENDING

+CHORAL RESPONSE

a Clare Benediction

John Rutter

*We gather in grace, we grow in grace, we go in grace...
The journey continues in an ever-widening circle of grace.*

NURSERY CARE is provided during all worship services. Infants and pre-kindergarten children are welcomed there by our trained staff.

NEWS OF THE CHURCH ALIVE! Details of all church events, meetings etc. are available online at www.rclpc.org. Printed copies are available from the ushers.