



# Central Presbyterian Church



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## THIRD SUNDAY AFTER EPIPHANY

January 24, 2021

Today's service will be livestreamed to Facebook ([facebook.com/centraldenver](https://facebook.com/centraldenver))  
and our website ([centraldenver.com/livestream](https://centraldenver.com/livestream))

## PRELUDE

Partita in D Minor: Corrente

Chris Jusell, violin

## LIGHTING THE CHRIST CANDLE & WELCOME

Louise Westfall

Please feel free to post comments, greetings, and prayer requests in the "Facebook comment" section throughout the service.

## GATHERING MUSIC

*God be the love to search and keep me;  
God be the prayer to move my voice;  
God, be the strength to now uphold me;  
O Christ, surround me. O Christ, surround me (2x)*

## CALL TO WORSHIP

Chris Aron

## HYMN

*Morning has Broken*

BUNESSAN

*1 Morning has broken  
Like the first morning,  
Blackbird has spoken  
Like the first bird.  
Praise for the singing!  
Praise for the morning!  
Praise for them, springing  
Fresh from the Word!*

*2 Sweet the rain's new fall  
Sunlit from Heaven,  
Like the first dewfall  
On the first grass.  
Praise for the sweetness  
Of the wet garden,  
Sprung in completeness  
Where God's feet pass.*

*3 Mine is the sunlight,  
Mine is the morning,  
Born of the one light  
Eden saw play.  
Praise with elation,  
Praise every morning,  
God's re-creation  
Of the new day!*

## PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Tim Mooney

## ASSURANCE OF FORGIVENESS

Friends, believe the good news: **In Jesus Christ we are forgiven and restored to new life!**

## SCRIPTURE READING

Isaiah 58:1-12

## SERMON

Repairers of the Breach

Louise Westfall

## MOMENT FOR SILENCE

## THE SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

We rejoice in the presentation of Stella Irene Berv, daughter of Alex and Lauren [Kenney] Berv, born June 1, 2020. The baptism was pre-recorded January 23, 2021.

## OUR LIFE TOGETHER

**Central is now offering a way to join in Sunday morning worship without a smartphone or computer!**

Congregation members may now phone in and hear just the audio of the service. Dial 1.339.207.6673 at 10:30am to participate.

**Join us after the service for our Zoom fellowship time.** All are welcome!

Zoom link to join <https://rb.gy/encvhz>

**Adult Faith Formation** -- *White Too Long: The Legacy of White Supremacy in American Christianity*

**Today at 11:30** | Same Zoom link as fellowship time (see above)

A 4-week class on the book *White Too Long: The Legacy of White Supremacy in American Christianity*, written by Robert P. Jones about his experience growing up as a Christian in the south, and the longstanding idolatry of whiteness in American Christianity. You don't need to read the book to participate.

**For more ways to worship and connect this week, check our website:** [centraldenver.com/stayconnected](http://centraldenver.com/stayconnected)

**Register for Central's Annual Meeting | Sunday, January 31, 11:30am**

This year we will have our annual meeting on Zoom. Please pre-register for the meeting:

<https://us02web.zoom.us/meeting/register/tZckf-2srzwwEt1UOKOdyYsqilsggmuagge5>

## OFFERTORY

*Oceans*

Hillsong UNITED  
Katheryne Baker, soloist

## OFFERING

**To give by text**, please text "centraldenver" to 73256. You will be asked to enter your credit card and donation amount.

**To give online**, go to <https://onrealm.org/centraldenver/-/give/CPC>

To give to Central's COVID-19 Relief Fund Text "centraldenver COVID" to 73256 or donate online at <https://onrealm.org/centraldenver/give/COVID>

## **PRAYERS OF THE CHURCH**

Tim Mooney

### **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.

### **CHARGE AND BLESSING**

### **PASSING THE PEACE**

The peace of the risen Christ be with you. **And also with you.**

[Share signs of peace with those around you or by adding a greeting in the Facebook comments.]

### **POSTLUDE**

*Holy God, We Praise Your Name*

Flor Peeters