

January 26, 2020  
Third Sunday after the Epiphany  
North Warren Presbyterian Church  
Reverend Burfoot S. Ward, III, Pastor  
Cathy Peterson, Pianist

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*"We trust God's Spirit to work in us,  
through our words and deeds,  
wherever we are."*

**Prelude**

**Passing the Friendship Register**

Please sign the friendship register, your name only if you attend regularly, completely if you are new or visiting.

**Announcements**

**Call to Worship**      *"Bless the Lord"*      No. 71

**\*Hymn**      "Praise to the Lord, the Almighty"      No. 210

**\*Invocation**

**\*Prayer of Confession**

Almighty God: your Son, our Lord called men and women to serve him as disciples. Yet, so often we are burdened with such selfish pride and sin that we have turned away from our calling, acting like we do not know Him. May we who have heard your call rise up to follow where He leads, obedient to your perfect will; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

**Words of Assurance**

**\*Gloria Patri**      No. 813

**Presentation of Tithes and Offerings**

**Offertory**      *"Come Christians, Join to Sing"*      Qadosh Bells  
arranged by Bill Ingram

**\*Offertory Response**      "Doxology"      No. 815

**\*Offertory Prayer**

**Junior Sermon**

Rev. Ward

**\*Hymn**

“He Touched Me”

No. 505

**Scripture Lesson**

Matthew 4:12–23

p. 1500

**Sermon**

“Saying Yes to Jesus”

Rev. Ward

Sermon Series: “Looking at Jesus with 2020 Vision” part 4

**Joys and Concerns**

**\*Hymn** “Praise the One Who Breaks the Darkness” No. 293

**\*Benediction**

**Postlude**

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*\*Those Who Are Able, Please Stand*

*We welcome all who have come to worship with us.  
We pray that this hour will be a blessing to you.*

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**Lay Leader** today is Bill Gross.

**Ushers** today are David Snyder, Susan Stout, and Bill Ransom.

**Sound Booth** operator is Rick Blumquist.

**Nursery worker** is Nancy Bullock.

**The Sanctuary Flowers** today are presented by Bryan and Lynn Olson in memory of her grandmother, Gertie Marshall and grandfather, Clarence Lehman.

**Greeting the congregation** at the close of the worship service today is Anne and Buddy Ward at the State Street door along with Bill Gross and Sandy Ransom at the Church Street door.

**A Soup and Pie Luncheon** will be hosted by the Scouts immediately after the worship service **next Sunday**. Please plan to stay after the service and enjoy the meal.

**The 2020 Per capita** amount is \$31.50 per person. Year-end giving reports for taxes are available upon request.

**Regular Office Hours** are NOW Tuesday mornings, 8:00 am to 12:30 pm, and Thursday & Friday mornings, 8:00 am to 10:00 am.

**There dates are still open on the sanctuary flower calendar.** If you are interested in donating flowers on: April 19, May 31, or August 23, please contact the church office or the flower committee.

**Queen Esther Sight & Sound Trip** May 11-12, 2020 Cost is Single-\$325, Double-\$250, Triple-\$222, Quad-\$210. All Rooms are King or 2 Queen Suites with Queen Hide a bed. Price includes all expenses: Bus, Hotel, Dinner, Breakfast, Show, Buffet Lunch, taxes and tips. \$50 per person non-refundable deposit due with reservation. There is a \$10.00 discount per person if paid in full by 2/1/2020. Please make checks payable to NWPC/Esther. See Gary Olson or the church office for registration forms or more details.

### **Prayer Requests Today**

- ✓ Titusville Presbyterian Church
- ✓ Rev. Vaughan Smith, Pastor
- ✓ Rev. Susan Wonderland, Transitional Executive, Synod of the Trinity

### **Looking Ahead**

Monday, January 27

6:30 PM Qadosh Bells

Wednesday, January 29

6:30 PM Youth Recreation in Community House

Sunday, February 2

9:15 AM Prayer Meeting

9:30 AM Sunday School

11:00 AM Worship Service

12:15 PM Boy Scout Soup & Pie Luncheon

TITLE: *"Saying Yes to Jesus!"*

TEXTS: Matthew 4:12-23

SERIES: *"Looking at Jesus with 2020 vision" (Part 4)*

- I. Introduction: Let's consider some things today's passage teaches us about accepting Christ's call on our lives .
- II. If you want to accept Christ's call , you've got to get up and go where God calls you .
- III. If you want accept Christ's call, you've got to focus more on the opportunity you have to serve God now than on the life you left behind.
- IV. If you want to accept Christ's call, you'll find him in serving others .
- V. The best way to accept Christ's call on your life is to ask him to give you a new vision of how you can serve by . . .

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