



*The People of God in Worship*  
*January 3rd, 2021*  
*Eleven o'clock in the Morning*

**THE GREETING**

The Rev. Dr. Martha D. Kears

To our Guests, Members, and Friends: In the pew rack you will find a small brochure to give us the opportunity to get to know you and serve you better. Fill in where appropriate, and place it in the collection plate. Welcome and thank you!

**PRELUDE**

Allan Heer

**LIGHTING OF THE CHRIST CANDLE**

The Rev. Dr. Martha D. Kears

**INVOCATION**

The Rev. Dr. Martha D. Kears

**SPECIAL MUSIC**

Nathan Graybeel

**CONCERNS AND CELEBRATIONS OF COMMUNITY, THE MORNING PRAYER, AND THE LORD'S PRAYER**

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*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 trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, for ever and ever. Amen.*

**SCRIPTURE READING**

Matthew 2:1-12

Rev. William Deal

A word from God for the people of God-thanks be to God!

**THE MESSAGE**

*Guide Us To Thy Perfect Light*

Rev. William Deal

**THE SHARING OF THE BREAD AND CUP**

The Rev. Dr. Martha D. Kears

All are invited to share the bread and the cup, waiting for all to be served.

The Bread: This is my body which is broken for you.

Do this to remember me.

The Cup: This cup is the new covenant in my blood.

Do this as often as you drink it to remember me

**SPECIAL MUSIC**

Debbie Burton, Victoria Graybeel & Noah Graybeel

**THE BENEDICTION**

Rev. William Deal