



# The Setauket Presbyterian Church

*“As active disciples of Jesus Christ, we celebrate and share the love of God among ourselves and with others.”*

## THE SERVICE FOR THE LORD’S DAY

2nd Sunday after Epiphany

January 17, 2016

9:30 AM

### PREPARATION FOR WORSHIP

*We use this time to make the transition between “getting here” and “being here”.*

*Take these few minutes to find the still, deep places within you, where God’s Spirit dwells.*

**Prelude** *Omnis Terra*

Gregorian Chant

**Ringing of the Steeple Bell**

**Welcome and Announcements**

**Introit: Light Enters** *Prelude in B minor*

Chopin

SPC Hand Bell Choir

### \* Call to Worship

How precious is your steadfast love, O God!

**All people may take refuge in the shadow of your wings.**

They feast on the abundance of your house,

**and you give them drink from the river of your delights.**

For with you is the fountain of life;

**in your light we see light.**

\* **Hymn 505** *The Trumpets Sound, the Angels Sing*

THE FEAST IS READY

### PRAYER FOR RECONCILIATION

**God of love and joy, you turn darkness into light; you turn water into wine; and nothing is impossible for you. We thank you for coming to dwell among us as the Christ, the light of the world. We know that Jesus wants us to be the light of the world, but in real life, dear God, we know how dimly we burn. We lift up to your light those times when we close our eyes and ears to the call of Jesus: we still find reasons to turn away from the needy; to be skeptical of cries for justice; to be too busy to strive for peace. In the fullness of your mercy, cleanse us of fear and self-reproach, and baptize us once again with your Spirit, so that, forgiven and renewed, we may show forth your glory as it shines forth in the face of Jesus Christ...*(Silent Prayer)***

### Assurance of God’s Grace

...Friends, believe the good news of the Gospel:

**In Jesus Christ we are forgiven!**

\* **Gloria** (sing once in unison, twice in a round)

from Taizé Hymnal

**<sup>(a)</sup>Glory to God, glory to God, <sup>(b)</sup>glory to God in the highest;  
glory to God, glory to God; alleluia, alleluia.**

### WITH THE CHILDREN AND THE LORD’S PRAYER

(Children should proceed to their church school class.)

## HEARING THE WORD

Sung Prayer for Illumination

Hymn 288 Spirit of the Living God

*Spirit of the living God, fall afresh on me...melt me, mold me, fill me, use me...*

First Reading Isaiah 62:1-5

Anthem *Resounding Rings of Praise*

Barbara Kinyon

Second Reading John 2:1-11

## THE SERMON

The Rev. Mary B. Speers

\* HYMN 773 *Heaven Shall Not Wait*

HEAVEN SHALL NOT WAIT

## MINUTE FOR STEWARDSHIP

## THANKING GOD THROUGH OUR OFFERINGS

Offertory *Blessed Quietness*

Traditional

SPC Choir

(Please sign the Friendship Roster found at the end of the pew,  
noting the name of fellow worshippers when it is returned.)

\* Doxology 606 (alt)

\* Prayer of Dedication

**We return these gifts to you, O God, for all that we have comes from you. Follow them with your blessing as you send us forth into your world. Help us to see you in the needs that confront us daily. Help us to see you in those who are weak, and lonely, and hungry, and afraid. And as we offer ourselves to the least of these, may we know that we are touching you.**

## PRAYERS OF THANKSGIVING AND INTERCESSION

\* HYMN 853 *Siyahamba/We Are Marching in the Light of God*

SIYAHAMBA

\* CHARGE TO THE CONGREGATION and BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE *All Things Bright and Beautiful*

Royal Oak

*\*please rise in body or in spirit; **unison prayers are in bold.***

Large print bulletins, Bibles, hymnals and listening devices are available; please ask a Deacon.

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### NEXT SUNDAY, JANUARY 24

9:00 Knitting at 9 in the Parlor

9:30 Worship Service with the Rev. Craig Malbon preaching; Childcare (ages 1 - 3);  
7th Grade Program Balcony

9:45 Church School (Preschool through 6th Grade)

11:00 Children's Choir in the Choir Room

11:00 Confirmation Class in the Assistant Pastor Office

11:00 Adult Education Class in the Parlor

11:00 Parenting Workshop in the Jr./Sr. High Room

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