



*Seventh Sunday after Epiphany*  
Good Shepherd United Methodist Church  
February 19, 2023 10:30 am Order of Worship

Prelude: *Christie Sanctorum*, P. Antiphoner, arr. D. Remes

Dr. Larisa Soboleva, Music Director

Greeting

Call to Worship:

Worship Leader

Leader: Let the radiance of Christ be evident among us:

**People: in our songs and our words;**

Leader: in our deepest thoughts and desires;

**People: in the youthful and the experienced, the exhausted and the energetic;**

Leader: in the hungry and the scared.

**People: We are here together. We join our voices and our hearts in praise.**

Opening Prayer: (2 Peter 1, Matthew 17)

Worship Leader

**God of glory, grace us with your presence. Overwhelm us with your love.**

**Guide us with your wisdom and fill us with your Holy Spirit, as we worship  
and praise you this day. Amen**

Hymn: *Holy Spirit, Come, Confirm Us* #331

congregation may sing\*

Scripture: Genesis 28:10-22; Luke 24:17-31

Worship Leader

Leader: This is the word of God for the people of God

**People: Thanks be to God**

Sermon: *We Walk Not Alone*

Bruce Temperley

Offertory: *Prelude*, A. Scriabin

Doxology hymnal #95

congregation may sing\*

Pastoral Prayer

Lord's Prayer

Hymn: *See the Morning Sun Ascending* #674

congregation may sing\*

Announcements

Benediction/Blessing

Postlude: *This Little Light of Mine*, music attributed to H.D. Loes, arr. M. Hayes

Announcements

As we discern God's vision for Good Shepherd, we ask members to pray daily. You can use this prayer or your own: **O God, we give thanks for all of your blessings. We pray for Good Shepherd United Methodist Church. Increase our passion to connect people to your love in Jesus. Give us your vision; help us to be attentive to your voice and fill us with the power of the Holy Spirit so that we may accomplish what you call us to do. In Jesus' name we pray. Amen.**

**Ash Wednesday Imposition of Ashes** February 22, 2023 12:00-1:00 pm at Good Shepherd UMC north entrance under the portico with Bruce Temperley.

**Ash Wednesday Worship Service**, February 22, 2023 7:00-8:00 pm at Dearborn First UMC.

**Lenten Bible Study** begins Thursday March 2 at 4:00 pm with Rev. Steve Perrine in person and on Zoom. Request the link if you are joining online. There is no Bible study for the next 2 weeks.

**Food Pantry** needs canned fruit, peanut butter and toilet paper.

**Harbor Oaks Hospital clothing collection** continues, drop off in Fellowship Hall.