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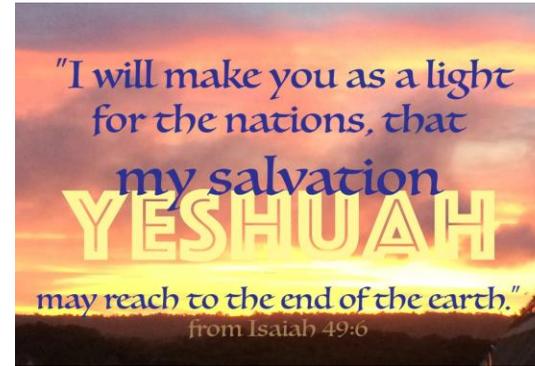
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LeRoy
 Presbyterian Church
 2nd Sunday after Epiphany
 January 15, 2023 ~ 9:00 am

Welcome and Announcements

***Call to Worship**

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***Hymn 11 vs 1 & 2**

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Celebrations and Concerns

Pastoral Prayer & Lord’s Prayer

Scripture

John 1:29-42 & Isaiah 49:1-7

Children’s Time

Sermon “A Light to the Nations”

Rev. Donna Murphy-Ceradsky

***Hymn 198 vs 1 & 3**

Just As I Am, Without One Plea

Offering Invitation and Offering

***Doxology (inside front cover of Hymnal)**

***Prayer of Dedication**

Generous God, you have already given us all that we need. Help us trust your continued care, so we are eager to share with others the abundance of your blessings. Strengthen us for service, and remind us of the great joy that awaits those who answer your call. Accept our gifts and give us new songs of praise as we celebrate the opportunity to be in ministry, in the name of your Son, Jesus Christ. Amen.

***Affirmation of Faith:**

We confess that Jesus is the Christ, the Son of the living God, and proclaim him Lord and Savior of the world. In Christ's name and by his grace we accept our mission of witness and service to all people.

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Within the universal church, we receive the gift of ministry and the light of scripture. In the bonds of Christian faith, we yield ourselves to God that we may serve the One whose kingdom has no end. Blessing, glory, and honor be to God forever. Amen.

***Hymn 330 vs 1 & 2**

O Jesus, I Have Promised

***Benediction**

***Passing of the Peace**

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**please stand as you are able*

John 1:29-42

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So they went and saw where he was staying, and they spent that day with him. It was about four in the afternoon. ⁴⁰ Andrew, Simon Peter's brother, was one of the two who heard what John had said and who had followed Jesus. ⁴¹ The first thing Andrew did was to find his brother Simon and tell him, "We have found the Messiah" (that is, the Christ). ⁴² And he brought him to Jesus.

Jesus looked at him and said, "You are Simon son of John. You will be called Cephas" (which, when translated, is Peter).

Isaiah 49:1-7

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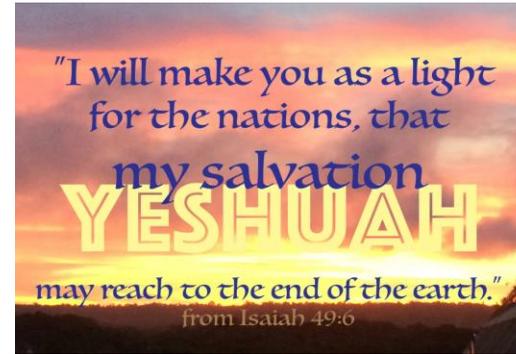
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*Hymn 140 vs 1 - 3

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*Hymn 357 vs 1, 2, 3 & 5

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*Doxology Hymn 95

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*** Invitation to discipleship**

***Hymn 396 vs 1 - 4**

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***Benediction**

***Hymn 672 vs 1**

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