



**CENTRAL PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH**  
**6300 Trinity Drive, Pine Bluff, Arkansas**

**Sunday, January 17, 2021**

**Second Sunday in Ordinary Time**

**GREET THOSE AROUND YOU IN THE NAME OF CHRIST**

**LIGHTING OF THE CANDLES**

**CHIMING OF THE HOUR**

**ANNOUNCEMENTS AND RITUAL OF FRIENDSHIP PRELUDE**

**CALL TO WORSHIP (Responsive)**

Zac: When God is revealed to us, God invites us in, saying:

**People: "Follow me. Come and see."**

Zac: Having known us from the very beginning, God shapes us still, saying:

**People: "Follow me. Come and see."**

Zac: God uses our ordinary gifts and our everyday lives, saying:

**People: "Follow me. Come and see."**

Zac: God seeks our service, with the gifts we have to give, saying:

**People: "Follow me. Come and see."**

Zac: God calls us ever deeper into the mystery of faith, saying:

**People: "Follow me. Come and see."**

**CALL TO CONFESSION**

**PRAYER OF CONFESSION**

**O Lord, you know us inside and out. We pretend that you see us from far away, that we can hide our selfishness from you. Yet you alone know the fickleness of our hearts; you know even our words of repentance before we can form them. Forgive us and make us whole. Fill us with gratitude for our very being. Lay your hand on us and bless us. And give us words to tell the world of your wonderful works! Amen.**

**ASSURANCE OF PARDON**

Zac: The good news in Christ is that when we face ourselves and God with the awareness of our need, we are given grace to grow, and courage to continue the journey. Friends, believe the good news of the gospel. In Jesus Christ, we are forgiven!

**People: Amen.**

## **PROCLAIMING THE WORD**

**CHILDRENS SERMON**

**ROSE VONTUNGELN**

### **FIRST READING:**

**Psalm 139:1-6, 13-18**

**<sup>1</sup>O LORD, you have searched me and known me.**

**<sup>2</sup>You know when I sit down and when I rise up; you discern my thoughts from far away.**

**<sup>3</sup>You search out my path and my lying down, and are acquainted with all my ways.**

**<sup>4</sup>Even before a word is on my tongue, O LORD, you know it completely.**

**<sup>5</sup>You hem me in, behind and before, and lay your hand upon me.**

**<sup>6</sup>Such knowledge is too wonderful for me; it is so high that I cannot attain it.**

**<sup>13</sup>For it was you who formed my inward parts; you knit me together in my mother's womb.**

**<sup>14</sup>I praise you, for I am fearfully and wonderfully made. Wonderful are your works; that I know very well.**

**<sup>15</sup>My frame was not hidden from you, when I was being made in secret, intricately woven in the depths of the earth.**

**<sup>16</sup>Your eyes beheld my unformed substance. In your book were written all the days that were formed for me, when none of them as yet existed.**

**<sup>17</sup>How weighty to me are your thoughts, O God! How vast is the sum of them!**

**<sup>18</sup>I try to count them—they are more than the sand; I come to the end—I am still with you.**

### **SECOND READING:**

**John 1:43-51**

**<sup>43</sup>The next day Jesus decided to go to Galilee. He found Philip and said to him, "Follow me." <sup>44</sup>Now Philip was from Bethsaida, the city of Andrew and Peter. <sup>45</sup>Philip found Nathanael and said to him, "We have found him about whom Moses in the law and also the prophets wrote, Jesus son of Joseph from Nazareth." <sup>46</sup>Nathanael said to him, "Can anything good come out of Nazareth?" Philip said to him, "Come and see." <sup>47</sup>When Jesus saw Nathanael coming toward him, he said of him, "Here is truly an Israelite in whom there is no deceit!" <sup>48</sup>Nathanael asked him, "Where did you get to know me?" Jesus answered, "I saw you under the fig tree before Philip called you." <sup>49</sup>Nathanael replied, "Rabbi, you are the Son of God! You are the King of Israel!" <sup>50</sup>Jesus answered, "Do you believe because I told you that I saw you under the fig tree? You will see greater things than these." <sup>51</sup>And he said to him, "Very truly, I tell you, you will see heaven opened and the angels of God ascending and descending upon the Son of Man."**

The Word of the Lord.

**Thanks be to God.**

**PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION**

**SERMON**

**Rev. Timothy Reeves  
Delivered by RE Zachary Cosner**

*Where Heaven and Earth Meet*

**RESPONDING TO THE WORD**

**\*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH**

The Apostles' Creed (Traditional)

I believe in God, the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth;  
And in Jesus Christ His only Son, our Lord; who was conceived by the Holy Ghost,  
born of the Virgin Mary,  
suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried;

he descended into hell  
the third day he rose again from the dead; he ascended into heaven,  
and sitteth at the right hand of God the Father Almighty;  
from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Ghost, the holy Catholic Church, the communion of saints, the  
forgiveness of sins,  
the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

**OFFERTORY**

**\*PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING AND DEDICATION**

**SHARING OUR JOYS AND CONCERNS**

(You each are encouraged to give voice to your concerns or to name those for whom you love and pray.)

**PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE AND LORD'S PRAYER**

(We use debts and debtors)

**FOLLOWING THE WORD INTO THE WORLD**

**\*CHARGE AND BLESSING**

**\*\*POSTLUDE**

*Go forth into the world rejoicing. Love and serve the Lord.*

**Those who are able, please stand.**

**\*\* Please be seated and remain for the postlude if you can.**

**Lay Reader: Zac Cosner**

## **PRAYER CONCERNS**

*Donna McCaleb  
Bernice Lackey  
Emil & Carol Brown  
Karen Perdue  
David Perdue  
Nelson Buchanan  
Andy Matlock  
Adam Vick  
Sydney Hayes*

*Brad VonTungeln  
Hester Insley  
Jemmie Moseley  
Lurline Elam  
Denise Mosley  
Mary Light  
Dominik Munn  
Suzy VonTungeln  
Skarlett Munn*

## **FRIENDS AND RELATIVES**

<u>Name</u>		<u>Name</u>	
<i>Dr. Laura Festa</i>	<i>Wife of former pastor, Dr. Dan Festa</i>	<i>Carol Taylor</i>	<i>Friend of Denise Mosley</i>
<i>Scott McGeorge</i>	<i>Friend of Lawrence Fikes</i>	<i>Dewayne Simpson</i>	<i>Father of Denise Mosley</i>
<i>Rebecca and Earl Phillips</i>	<i>Friends of Karen and David Perdue</i>	<i>Hailey Chandler</i>	<i>Friend of the Church</i>
<i>Max Zeng</i>	<i>Mike and Lan Kelly's son</i>	<i>Cassie Everett</i>	<i>Friend of Dana Neal</i>
<i>Lori &amp; Luis Sanchez</i>	<i>Family of Lizabeth Sanchez</i>	<i>Kara &amp; Kyle Taylor</i>	<i>Friend of Dana Neal</i>
<i>Jorga Walker</i>	<i>Wife of Donald Walker</i>	<i>Franklin Ward</i>	<i>Uncle of Dana Neal</i>
<i>Anita Rodriguez</i>	<i>Daughter of Mary Light</i>	<i>Elaine Porter</i>	<i>Step-Mother of Dana Neal</i>
<i>Linda Minyard</i>	<i>Friend of the church</i>	<i>Allison Cromwell</i>	<i>Daughter of Kay Cromwell</i>
<i>Kathy Griffin</i>	<i>Sister of Pamela Riegler</i>	<i>Brenda Greenham</i>	<i>Aunt of Zac Cosner</i>
<i>Clara Hammonds</i>	<i>Step-Grandmother of Bubba VonTungeln</i>	<i>Lydia Wright</i>	<i>Rev. Timothy Reeves &amp; Jane Reeves' Granddaughter</i>
<i>Jane Glover</i>	<i>Friend of The Cosner Family</i>	<i>Ryker Cheek</i>	<i>Nephew of Bubba VonTungeln</i>
<i>Dr. Carlos Arango</i>	<i>Friend of the Vick Family</i>	<i>Al Drewett</i>	<i>Brother-In-Law of Pat Drewett</i>
<i>Jorie Arbataitis</i>	<i>Friend of The Cosner Family</i>	<i>Jennifer Place &amp; Family</i>	<i>Friends of The Cosners</i>
<i>Family of Robert Crass</i>	<i>Family of Pamela Riegler</i>	<i>Family of Butch Mitherson</i>	<i>Friends of Laura Cosner</i>
<i>Benjimen Neal</i>	<i>Dana Neal's Son</i>		

## **PLEASE PRAY FOR OUR FELLOW PRESBYTERIANS:**

*Active Ruling Elders*

*First, Benton*

## **OUR SERVICE MEN AND WOMEN AROUND THE WORLD**

**Help us keep our prayer list up to date. If you have family or friends who need to be added or removed from the prayer concerns list, please let the Office know.**

Welcome to Central Presbyterian Church, where we come together to celebrate God's love, nurture growth, share our faith and serve the needs of others. This congregation opens wide its doors and hearts and welcomes all in the name of Jesus Christ.

## Announcements

The Session of CPC has decided to stick with Virtual Services for the foreseeable future. Keep in contact with us via social media (Username: CentralPresPB) or at our website for announcements about any special services and when we plan to resume in person worship.

Archives of our Online Services can be found on Facebook and YouTube! Links to each are on our website, CentralPrespb.com

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### **Session**

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Laura Cosner

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#### **Class of 2021**

Zac Cosner (Clerk)

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Brad VonTungeln

Danny Reeves

#### **Standing Committee Moderators:**

Zac Cosner - Budget & Finance

Suzy VonTungeln - Fellowship & Education

Denise Mosley - Missions & Outreach

George Mosley & Danny Reeves

-Building & Grounds

Laura Cosner & Jemie Moseley

-Worship & Music