**Welcome to Worship!**

February 20, 2022  Epiphany 7c

**Greetings and Announcements**

**Prelude** "In Nomine" John Bull

**Responsive Call to Worship based on psalm 37: 1-6, 39-40**

 Leader: Do not fret because of the wicked; do not be envious

 wrongdoers,

 **People**:  **for they will soon fade like the grass, and wither like**

 **the green herb.**

Leader:  Trust in the Lord, and do good; so you will live in the

 land, and enjoy security.

 **People:** **Take delight in the Lord, and he will give you the**

 **desires of your heart.**

Leader:  Commit your way to the Lord; trust in him, and he will

 act.

 **People: He will make your vindication shine like the light,**

 **and the justice of your cause like the noonday.**

Leader: The salvation of the righteous is from the Lord; he is

 their refuge in the time of trouble.

 **People: The Lord helps them and rescues them; he rescues**

 **them from the wicked, and saves them, because they**

 **take refuge in him.**

**Opening Hymn:** "They'll Know We Are Christians" **No. 595**

**Unison Prayer of Invocation and Lord’s Prayer (debts)**

Lord, we come to you wondering how we can love those who reject us. Help us to extend our love to others beyond our own wants and feelings, as your Son did when he taught us to pray, saying....*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 debts, as we forgive our debtors. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory forever.* *Amen*

**Gloria Patri** **No. 734**

Glory be to the Creator, and to the Christ: And to the Holy Ghost;

As it was in the beginning, is now and ever shall be: world without end. Amen.

**The Message for All Ages**

**choir anthem** "Holy, Holy, Holy"

**Reading of the Word** Luke 6: 27-38

**Sermon** We Have Met The Enemy...

**Meditation Hymn:** "Shadow and Substance"" **No. 599**

**Prayers of the People**

**Call For The Offering**

**Offertory** "Savior, Like a Shepherd Lead Us"

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**Doxology** **No. 34**

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow:

Praise God, all creatures here below.

Praise God above, ye heavenly host;

Creator, Christ, and Holy Ghost. Amen

**Prayer of Dedication**

**Closing Hymn:** "As Your Family, Lord, Meet us Here" **No. 606**

**Benediction**

**Postlude** "Morning Praise" Jan Sanborn

 

The liturgist is Heidi Duncanson.

The Greeters/Ushers this week are Linda and David Muchemore.

The flowers are given by Katie Wentworth in memory of her husband, Joseph Considine.

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***Greenland, New Hampshire***

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***God calls us together to welcome all***

***and to serve God, each other, this community,***

***and the world***

***in the spirit of Christ’s love.***

 **All are welcome!** 