

The Third Sunday after the Epiphany

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Liz Valente, Baptism of Jesus, drawing, Viçosa, Brazil, 2021.

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The worship at Broadway Baptist Church has been consciously crafted to reflect and recapture historic and classical worship. Worship is an act of offering and praise to God. Our priority is to worship God according to the model found in Isaiah 6:1-8. Central to our worship is the proclamation of the Word of God through scripture, sermon, and music. We encourage all worshippers to engage in the worship of God; after all, worship is also a verb.

Please silence your cell phones during this time of worship.

**Please stand in body or in spirit.*

The Greeting

Rev. Dr. Kevin Gardner-Sinclair

The peace of Christ be with you. **And also with you.**

The Minute for Ministry

Charles Thomas

The Prelude

Jonathan Oblander

Fantasia in b minor, J.S. Bach

The Call to Worship

Foster Davis

One Voice: God, you revealed your son by the star at his birth, and by the dove at his baptism.

Many: The light from heaven was followed by three seekers and a lone Hebrew prophet.

One Voice: You have called us to be star seekers and star followers.

**Many: Shine on us today as we seek the Light of the world in our worship.
Amen.**

*The Hymn

Congregation

Christ, Whose Glory Fills the Skies, No. 562

The Old Testament Lesson

Rev. Susan Reed

Isaiah 43:1-7

The Choral Worship

Chancel Choir

Gracious Spirit Dwell With Me, Scott

The Morning Prayer

Rev. Dr. Kevin Gardner-Sinclair

***The Hymn**

Congregation

The Kingdom of God Is Justice and Joy, No. 712

*Children, ages pre-K to 3rd grade, will leave for their time of worship
and exit through the door located to the left of the pulpit.*

***The Gospel Lesson**

Rev. Dr. Kevin Gardner-Sinclair

Matthew 4:12-17

The Homily

Rev. Dr. Kevin Gardner-Sinclair

Baptism of Our Lord: Called Beloved

***The Hymn**

Congregation

I Want to Walk as a Child of the Light, No. 539

***The Offertory Prayer**

Ellen Waddle

The Offertory

Jonathan Oblander

Imitatio in b minor, J.S. Bach

***The Congregational Response**

Congregation

**Let all things their creator bless, and worship him in humbleness, O praise him,
Alleluia! Praise, praise the Father, praise the Son, and praise the Spirit, Three in
One, O praise him, O praise him, Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!**

***The Benediction**

Rev. Dr. Kevin Gardner-Sinclair

***The Postlude**

Jonathan Oblander

Fugue in b minor, J.S. Bach

The flowers in the sanctuary this morning are given to the glory of God
in celebration of Broadway's ministers and staff.

Prayer Concerns:

Sympathy to the family of Pat Schafer who died on January 16.
Wanda Johnson, recent surgery
Jean Henry, health concerns
Dick and Lucille Brown, health concerns
Ben Thomas, health concerns

Save the Dates!

Youth Trivia Night- February 4
All Committee Luncheon- February 12
Children Volunteer Luncheon- February 19
Ash Wednesday Service- February 22
Lifetimers Luncheon- February 26
Spring Missions Sale- March 3-4
Habitat for Humanity Baptist House- March 9-11
Women's Spring Luncheon- March 18

Our promise to each other:

We pledge ourselves to be the family of God for you in this place. We offer you our love, our care, our kinship, and our hopes. We hope to learn from you, give to you, and receive from you by God's grace.

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