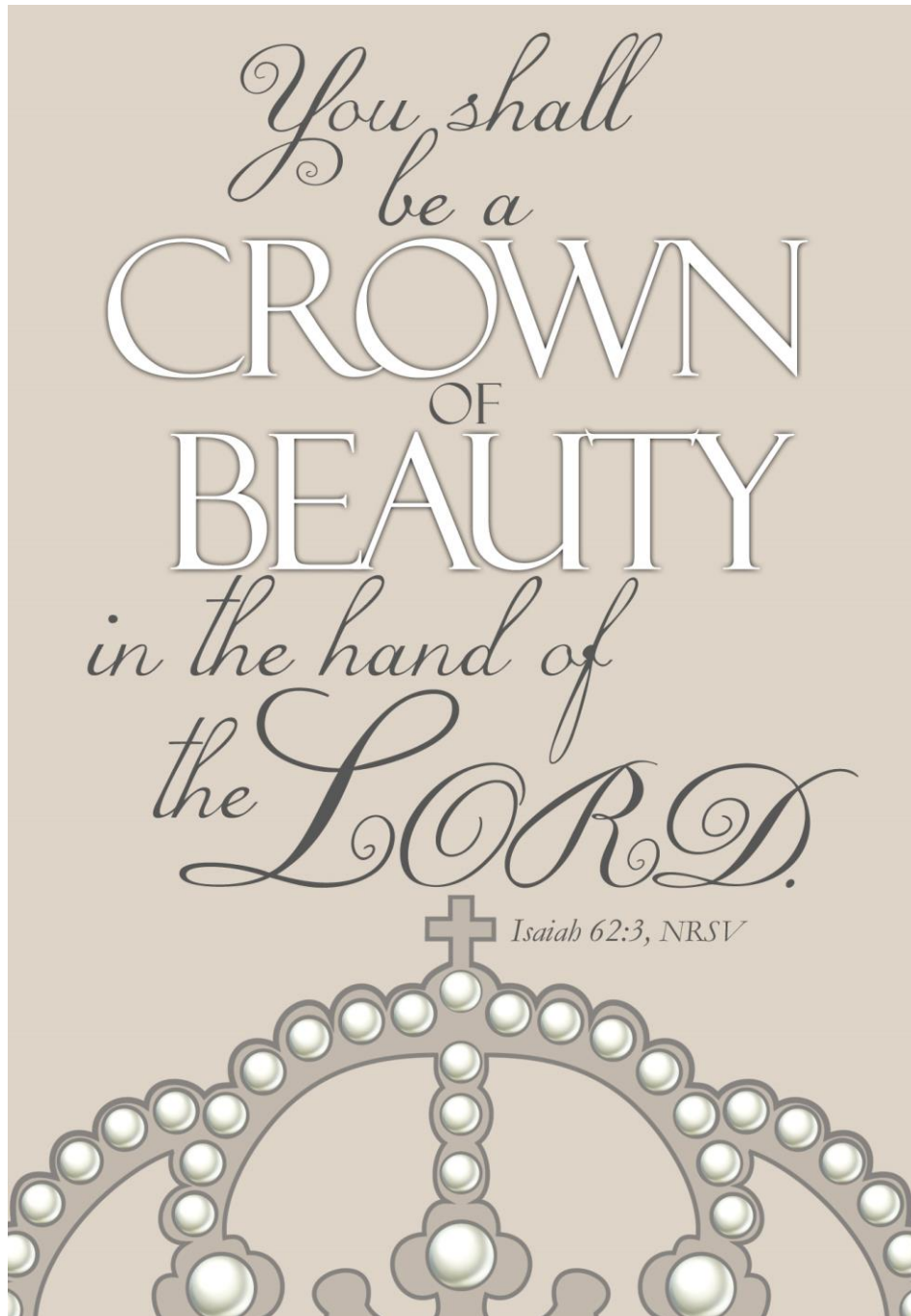


Christ's Reformed Church – United Church of Christ

~ growing people of faith who live in Jesus, love one another and bear abundant fruit ~



JANUARY 20, 2019

9:30 AM

SECOND SUNDAY AFTER EPIPHANY



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“UNSPEAKABLE AND UNTHINKABLE LOVE”

~ GATHERING IN GOD’S PRESENCE ~

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

PRELUDE

“Preludio I”

J. S. Bach

~ PREPARING FOR GOD’S WORD ~

CALL TO WORSHIP

The scriptures tell us that God loves us without end.

God loves us more than we could possibly know.

Like precious children,

we cannot grasp the extent of God’s love.

God seeks to save us from all forms of harm and pain,

to rescue us from every form of slavery and oppression.

God gives of himself abundantly

and calls us to do the same.

Come, let us learn the ways of righteousness.

Let us be instructed by our God and set free from loneliness and sin.

INVOCATION

* OPENING HYMN

“Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise”

Black 1

AFFIRMING OUR CHRISTIAN VALUES

CONFESSION

Prayer of Confession

1 Corinthians 12

Almighty God,

**we confess that we have been led astray
by the idols of our world.**

**We have depended on *our* accomplishments
instead of trusting in you and your grace.**

We have carelessly wasted the gifts you offer,

GOSPEL LESSON

John 2:1-11

SERMON

“Unspeakable and Unthinkable Love”

Dr. Hodge

~ RESPONDING AS GOD’S PEOPLE ~

OFFERTORY

“Wade in the Water”

Men’s Ensemble

* DOXOLOGY

* PRAYER OF DEDICATION AND THANKSGIVING

~ GOING IN GOD’S NAME ~

* CLOSING HYMN

“Sent Forth by God’s Blessing”

Black 76

COMMISSIONING AND BENEDICTION

1 Corinthians 12

POSTLUDE

“A New Song – Psalm 98”

Jane Marshall