

St. Paul's Presbyterian Church

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Call to worship: While walking by the Sea of Galilee, Jesus saw two brothers, Simon (who is called Peter) and Andrew his brother, casting a net into the sea, for they were fishermen. And he said to them, "Follow me, and I will make you fishers of men." Immediately they left their nets and followed him.

—Matthew 4:18-20

Hymn: *Will you come and follow me* # 634 Blue

Prayer of Adoration and Confession & The Lord's Prayer

Psalm: *O LORD I will exalt You* # 30 A (Book of Psalms for Worship)

Prayer of illumination: WCF 1.4 The authority of the holy Scripture, for which it ought to be believed and obeyed, dependeth not upon the testimony of any man or church, but wholly upon God (who is truth itself), the Author thereof; and therefore it is to be received, because it is the Word of God.

Scripture Reading: Responsive Psalm 30, Jonah 1, John 21:1-14

Sermon: Joy (and Fish) Comes with the Morning

The Great Prayer of Thanksgiving # 564 Blue

Hymn: *God's name forever shall endure* #43 Blue

Offertory Prayer

Hymn: *Jesus calls us, o'er the tumult* # 672 Blue

Westminster Shorter Catechism: Q. 5. Are there more Gods than one?

A. There is but one only, the living and true God.

Benediction: The LORD bless you and keep you; the LORD make his face to shine upon you and be gracious to you; the LORD lift up his countenance upon you and give you peace.

—Numbers 6:24-26