THE UNITED CHURCH of CHRIST at The Villages

Service of The Word

Sunday, January 22, 2023

Third Sunday after Ephiphany

*Indicates, "All who are able, please stand"

PRELUDE "Theme and Variations on Jesus Loves Me" By Jolene Boyd

CALL TO WORSHIP Doug MacFarlane

***HYMN** "A Mighty Fortress" See screen

New Century Hymnal #439

"Just As I Am"

New Century Hymnal #207

WELCOME, INTRODUCTION, AND ANNOUNCEMENTS PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING FOR DONATIONS

"We're Marching to Zion" By Robert Lowry

Doug MacFarlane

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

Pastoral Prayer

The Lord's Prayer See screen

SPECIAL MUSIC "I Exalt Thee"

UCC Choir under the direction of Donna Kagan

SCRIPTURE READING

Philippians Chapter 2 Verses 14–16 & Chapter 4 Verses 10-14 (CEB)

Proverbs Chapter 4 Verses 23-24 (NRSV)

MESSAGE "Wholehearted Living: How to be Content" The Rev. Joe DiDonato

BENEDICTION

***DEPARTING SONG** "Let There Be Peace On Earth" See screen

*POSTLUDE "Heart and Soul" By Hoagy Carmichael and Fred Loesser

Serving You Today

Pastor: The Rev. Joe DiDonato

Accompanist: George Bellefontaine

Song Leader: Janice DiDonato

Worship Reader: Doug MacFarlane

AV Team: Denny Lawson, Ann Turso, Carolyn Hamel, Tom Van de Bussche