Prelude

Greeting/Announcements

Hymn "O One with God the Father" (Tune: #369) 77 LBW

Brief Order for Confession and Forgivenesspg 77 LBW

Prayer of the Day:

Father in heaven, at the baptism of Jesus in the River Jordan you proclaimed him your beloved Son and anointed him with the Holy Spirit. Make all who are baptized into Christ faithful in their calling to be your children and inheritors with him of everlasting life; through your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.

The Gospel Acclamation:

"Alleluia. Lord, to whom shall we go? You have the words of eternal life. Alleluia."

The Announcement of the Gospel "Glory to You, O Lord"
Gospel
Response after the Gospel "Praise to You, O Christ"
Sermon "Promises Kept?" Pastor Scott Grorud
Hymn "Hail to the Lord's Anointed" 87 LBW

Apostles' Creed

I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth.

I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord. He was conceived by the power of the Holy Spirit and born of the virgin Mary. He suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried. He descended into hell. On the third day he rose again. He ascended into heaven, and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again to judge the living and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy Christian Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

Offering

Offertory Response

Create in me a clean heart, O God, and renew a right spirit within me. Cast me not away from your presence, and take not your Holy Spirit from me. Restore to me the joy of your salvation, and uphold me with your free Spirit.

Prayers of the Church

The Words of Institution

The Lord's Prayer

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 trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever and ever. Amen.

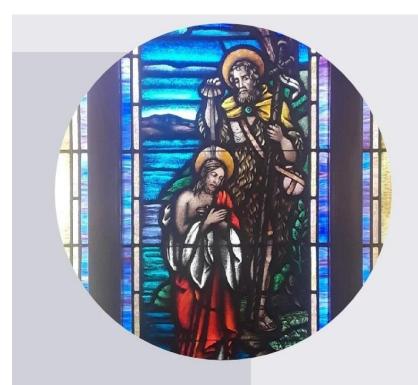
"What Does This Mean?"

Questions about Today's Worship Theme: Luke 3:15-22

- **†** Why did John the Baptist deny so strongly that he was the Messiah?
- **★** Why did questions about who Jesus really is persist?
- † How did Jesus' baptism address the questions about his identity?
- † In what way does Jesus keep the promises John made about his ministry?

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LUKE 3:22