

CASTILE UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST

4 Washington Street

Castile, NY 14427

2nd Sunday after Epiphany

Sunday, January 14th, 2018

10:00 AM

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Prelude: "We Gather Here to Worship" - Michael Joncas

Ringling of the Tower Bell

Greeting and Announcements

Moment of Concern – Marcy VanZandt

Call to Worship:

Pastor: Come to hear God's call to service;
come to meet Christ, who claims you.

People: Speak, O God, for your servant hears.

Show us the way, for we would follow.

Pastor: Come, responding to God's summons.

Come, rejoicing that God cares.

People: With longing hearts we seek God's love;

with joyful lips we sing God's praise.

Pastor: Come, for we are not our own.

God's love, in Christ, has made us saints.

People: God is our help and our support;

nothing we have done can cut off our Creator's care.

◆ Praise & Worship Hymn No. 54 "Here I Am Lord"

Confession of Sin: (In Unison)

**Come, all who live in prisons of limited loyalties and misplaced trust.
Come, all who are enslaved by your own passions and greed. Come, for
there is forgiveness and health for all who are truly repentant. Let us
confess our sins.**

Assurance of Forgiveness: Rev. Harrison Putnam

You are not your own, you were bought with a price. The Messiah has come, and you have been claimed as God's own. As Christ was raised from the dead, so, too, all who long to escape the death of sin are lifted by God to newness of life. Accept the pardon and transformation God offers in Christ. Amen.

◆ Gloria Patri (No. 623 in blue hymnal)

Pastor: O Lord, how majestic is your name in all the earth!

All: You have set your glory above the heavens!

Passing of the Peace (Please refrain from shaking hands – Flu season)

Leader: Having been reconciled to God in Jesus Christ, let us share signs of that reconciliation with one another. The Peace of our Lord Jesus Christ be with you all.

People: And also with you (Please share God's Peace with those around you saying: "the Peace of Christ be with you".)

Children's Message – Steven Meyer

Dismissal to Bible Adventure Time

Scripture Reading: 1 Samuel 3:1-10 pg. 201

Church Choir: "The Summons" (J Bell)

Gospel Reading: John 1:43-51 pg. 810

Message: "Known and Loved" - Rev. Harrison Putnam

◆ Hymn No. 88 "Fairest Lord Jesus"

Invitation to Giving

Offertory: "Upon the Cross" - Genevieve Glen, OSB

◆ Doxology (No. 624 in Blue Hymnal)

Prayer of Dedication

Hymn No. 183 "This is My Prayer" (In P & W Hymnal)

Joys and Concerns & The Lord's Prayer (sings)

Hymn No. 183 "This is My Prayer" (In P & W Hymnal)

◆ Hymn No. 138 "Go Tell it on the Mountain"

Benediction

Postlude: "Thanks be to Christ" - William Bradbury

If you are a guest here today, we welcome you and invite you to visit us again whenever possible. Please introduce yourself to our Pastor before leaving and sign our guest book.

**"No Matter Where You are on Your Faith Journey,
YOU are Welcome Here!**