



## Common Prayer, Common Life

Gather around the dinner table with sisters and brothers in Christ as we say the Evening Prayers together and share a common meal.  
5:30-6:45 PM

Childcare available upon reservation.

*We exist to bless the Highland neighborhood with the love of Jesus through community partnerships*

**Women's LOL Night Out**--Tuesday, January 25, 6:30-8:00 PM Bystro Byronz

**Get on the City**--our new member/regular attender site is up and running. Please take a few minutes to register and build your profile at [www.cfth.onthecitey.org](http://www.cfth.onthecitey.org)

**Children's Choir**--Wednesday nights from 5:30-6:30.

**Nursery/Preschool Volunteers Requested**--our Nursery/Preschool area is now complete and we are putting together a list of volunteers for the new year. Contact Angel at 797-4380 to sign up.

**Get a Text**—To get text messages from the church, text "4highlands" to 25827

**Missional Ministry Teams**—everyone has the opportunity to make a difference in our neighborhood by serving on a team. To see the full list and to learn how to get connected, pick up a Team Sheet in the Chapel foyer.

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Worship  
The Third Sunday after the Epiphany  
Sunday, January 23, 2011

\*Congregation Standing (if you are able)

Prelude  
Welcome  
Call to Prayer  
A Silent Recognition of God's Presence  
Prayer  
\*Hymn 22: "Sing Praises to God Who Reigns Above"  
\*Greeting of One Another  
Reading from Scripture: Isaiah 9:1-4  
Hymn No. 218 "He Leadeth Me"  
Missional Moment: Robin Cassidy, VOA, Meals on Wheels  
Prayer of Consecration  
\* "Follow Medley"  
Prayers of the People  
Prayer of Thanksgiving  
Offertory "Lead Me, Lord" Dan Gibbs, Piano  
\*Doxology "Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow"  
\*The Reading of the Gospel: Matthew 4:12-23  
Message: "Making a Turn for the Better"  
\*Hymn of Response No. 191 "I Have Decided to Follow Jesus"  
Opportunities for Service  
Benediction  
Postlude

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Isaiah 9:1-4

But there will be no gloom for those who were in anguish. In the former time he brought into contempt the land of Zebulun and the land of Naphtali, but in the latter time he will make glorious the way of the sea, the land beyond the Jordan, Galilee of the nations. The people who walked in darkness have seen a great light; those who lived in a land of deep darkness— on them light has shined. You have multiplied the nation, you have increased its joy; they rejoice before you as with joy at the harvest, as people exult when dividing plunder. For the yoke of their burden, and the bar across their shoulders, the rod of their oppressor, you have broken as on the day of Midian.

John 1:29-42

Now when Jesus heard that John had been arrested, he withdrew to Galilee. He left Nazareth and made his home in Capernaum by the sea, in the territory of Zebulun and Naphtali, so that what had been spoken through the prophet Isaiah might be fulfilled: "Land of Zebulun, land of Naphtali, on the road by the sea, across the Jordan, Galilee of the Gentiles— the people who sat in darkness have seen a great light, and for those who sat in the region and shadow of death light has dawned." From that time Jesus began to proclaim, "Repent, for the kingdom of heaven has come near."

As he walked by the Sea of Galilee, he 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 fish for people." Immediately they left their nets and followed him. As he went from there, he saw two other brothers, James son of Zebedee and his brother John, in the boat with their father Zebedee, mending their nets, and he called them. Immediately they left the boat and their father, and followed him.

Jesus went throughout Galilee, teaching in their synagogues and proclaiming the good news of the kingdom and curing every disease and every sickness among the people.