



Church of
St. John & St. Philip
The Hague

Epiphany

January 2nd, 2022

11:00 HOLY COMMUNION

President: Canon Michael Roden

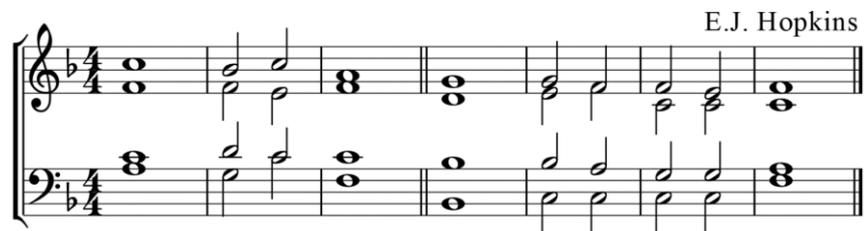
Preacher: Revd. Chris Nicholls

Music Director & Organist: Dr. Christina Edelen

PRELUDE "I Saw Three Ships Come Sailing In"
OPENING HYMN Common Praise (CP) 86 From the Eastern Mountains
COMMUNION SETTING *Hopper*
COLLECT

Creator of the heavens,
who led the Magi by a star
to worship the Christ-child:
guide and sustain us,
that we may find our journey's end
in Jesus Christ our Lord.

PSALM Psalm 72:10-15



1. The kings of Tarshish and of the isles ' shall pay ' tribute ;
the kings of Sheba and ' Seba ' shall bring ' gifts.
2. All kings shall fall ' down be ' fore him ;
all ' nations shall ' do him ' service.
3. For he shall deliver the ' poor that cry ' out ;
the needy and ' those who ' have no ' helper.
4. He shall have pity on the ' weak and ' poor ;
he shall pre ' serve the ' lives of the ' needy.
5. He shall redeem their lives from op ' pression and ' violence ;
and dear shall their ' blood be ' in his ' sight.
6. Long may he live; unto him may be given ' gold from ' Sheba ;
may prayer be made for him continually and may they ' bless him ' all the day '
long.
*Glory to the Father and ' to the ' Son ;
and ' to the ' Holy ' Spirit.
As it was in the beg ' inning is ' now ;
and shall be for ' ever. ' A ' men.*

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| 1ST READING | Ephesians 3:1-12 <i>pew Bible p. 1174-75 - read by Hans van Deemter</i> |
| GOSPEL HYMN | CP 89 O worship the Lord in the beauty of holiness |
| GOSPEL READING | Matthew 2:1-12 <i>pew Bible p. 966</i> |
| SERMON | <i>Revd. Chris Nicholls</i> |
| ANTHEM | <i>"King Jesus hath a Garden" traditional carol</i> |
| 1. King Jesus hath a garden, full of divers flowers, Where I go culling posies gay, all times and hours. <i>Refrain:</i> <i>There naught is heard but Paradise bird, Harp, dulcimer, lute, With cymbal, trump and tymbal, And the tender, soothing flute.</i> | 3. The bonny Damask-rose is known as Patience: The blithe and thrifty Marygold, Obedience. <i>Refrain</i> |
| 2. The Lily, white in blossom there, is Chastity: The Violet, with sweet perfume, Humanity. <i>Refrain</i> | 6. Ah! Jesu Lord, my heal and weal, my bliss complete, Make thou my heart thy garden-plot, fair, trim and neat. <i>Refrain</i> |
| INTERCESSIONS | <i>led by Jeanne Tubbergen</i> |
| OFFERTORY HYMN | CP 91 We Three Kings |
| GENERAL THANKSGIVING | ALMIGHTY God, Father of all mercies, we, your servants, give you our hearty thanks for all your goodness and loving-kindness to us and to all people. We bless you for our creation, preservation, and all the blessings of this life; but above all for your inestimable love in the redemption of the world by our Lord Jesus Christ, for the means of grace, and for the hope of glory. And we ask you, give us that due sense of all your mercy, that our hearts may be completely thankful, and that we show your praise, not only with our lips, but in our lives; by giving up ourselves to your service, and by walking with you in holiness and righteousness all our days; through Jesus Christ our Lord, to whom with you and the Holy Spirit be all honour and glory, world without end. Amen. |
| CLOSING HYMN | CP 88 How Brightly shines the morning star |
| POSTLUDE | <i>"Wie schon leuchtet der Morgenstern", by J. Pachelbel</i> |