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Midweek Advent Service
10:00am
December 6, 2017

Preservice music

A word of welcome to all and announcements from the pastor

Opening Hymn #347 st.1-2
“Comfort, Comfort Ye My People”

Office of Matins Pg. 219

Psalmody Psalm 80:1-7

Hymn #338
“Come, Thou Long-Expected Jesus”

Readings
Common Responsory Pg. 221

Office Hymn #375 st.1-4
“Come, Your Hearts and Voices Raising”

Sermon “Of Pots and Potters”

Canticle: Benedictus Pg. 226

Offering

Kyrie Pg. 227

Lord’s Prayer Pg. 227

Collects Pg. 227

Benedicamus and Benediction Pg. 228

Closing Hymn #375 st.5-6
“Come, Your Hearts and Voices Raising”

Sermon Text:**Isaiah 64:1-9**

¹Oh that you would rend the heavens and come down, that the mountains might quake at your presence ²as when fire kindles brushwood and the fire causes water to boil to make your name known to your adversaries, and that the nations might tremble at your presence! ³When you did awesome things that we did not look for, you came down, the mountains quaked at your presence. ⁴From of old no one has heard or perceived by the ear, no eye has seen a God besides you, who acts for those who wait for him. ⁵You meet him who joyfully works righteousness, those who remember you in your ways. Behold, you were angry, and we sinned; in our sins we have been a long time, and shall we be saved? ⁶We have all become like one who is unclean, and all our righteous deeds are like a polluted garment. We all fade like a leaf, and our iniquities, like the wind, take us away. ⁷There is no one who calls upon your name, who rouses himself to take hold of you; for you have hidden your face from us, and have made us melt in the hand of our iniquities. ⁸But now, O Lord, you are our Father; we are the clay, and you are our potter; we are all the work of your hand. ⁹Be not so terribly angry, O Lord, and remember not iniquity forever.

Psalm 80:1-7

Give ear, O Shepherd of Israel, you who lead Joseph like a flock!
You who are enthroned upon the cherubim, shine forth.

**Before Ephraim and Benjamin and Masnasseh, stir up your
might and come to save us!**

Restore us, O God; let your face shine, that we may be saved!

**O LORD God of hosts, how long will you be angry with your
people's prayers?**

You have fed them with the bread of tears and given them tears to
drink in full measure.

**You make us an object of contention for our neighbors, and
our enemies laugh among themselves.**

Restore us, O God of hosts; let you face shine, that we may be
saved!

**Glory be to the Father and to the son
and to the Holy Spirit;
as it was in the beginning,
is now, and will be forever. Amen.**

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7:00pm
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Evening Prayer Hymnal Supplement 98 Pg. 17

Service of Light Pg. 17

Hymn of Light Pg. 18

Psalm 80:1-7

Hymn #347 st.1-2
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A Reading: Isaiah 64:1-9

Magnificat Pg. 19

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Prayer Pg. 22

Blessing Pg. 22

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