

THE CHURCH IN AURORA  
ORDER OF MORNING WORSHIP  
**SCOUT SUNDAY**

February 9, 2020  
9:30 AM and 11:00 AM

**WELCOME**

**PRELUDE** "Rejoice, Ye Pure in Heart" Shackley

**CHORAL INTROIT** "This Is The Day That The Lord Has Made"

**CALL TO WORSHIP** (Please stand if you are able.)

Liturgist: Gather this day in silence and hope.

**People: We wait for God's word for us.**

Liturgist: Let your hearts and spirits be open.

**People: God is our strength and salvation.**

Liturgist: Wait patiently for the Lord.

**People: With willing hearts and spirits we wait for the Lord. Amen.**

**HYMN** no. 60 "Morning Has Broken"  
(Please stand if you are able. Pass Prayer Request Cards to Deacons.)

**OPENING PRAYER**

9:30 AM Worship:  
**SCOUT RECOGNITION** (See insert for Scout Litany.)

11:00 AM Worship:

**FIRST SCRIPTURE LESSON** pg. 836 Matthew 5:13-20

**GLORIA PATRI** no. 623 (Sing in unison. Please stand if you are able.)  
**Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost: as it was in the beginning, is now and ever shall be, world without end. Amen, Amen.**

**CHORAL ANTHEM** "Since Jesus Came Into My Heart" arr., Shackley

**PRAYER OF ILLUMINATION** (Read in unison.)  
**Lord, open our understanding by the power of the Holy Spirit, that as the Word is proclaimed, we may receive holy wisdom to understand the gifts you have bestowed upon us.**

**MINISTRY OF PROCLAMATION** Rev. Derek Hickman

**Sermon Series:** The Spiritual Renewal in Jonah  
**Sermon Title:** **In the Belly of the Beast**  
**Sermon Scripture:** Jonah 2

**HYMN** no. 68 "There's a Wideness in God's Mercy"  
(Please stand if you are able.)

**PASTORAL PRAYER AND LORD'S PRAYER** (Read in unison.)  
**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 debts as we forgive our debtors; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For Thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory, forever. Amen.**

(Order of Morning Worship continues on reverse.)

**OFFERING** (Sing in unison.)

**We give Thee but Thine own; what-e'er the gift may be. All that we have is Thine alone; a trust, O Lord, from Thee.**

**OFFERTORY MUSIC** "Praise to God, Immortal Praise" Shackley

**DOXOLOGY** pg. 625

(Sing in unison. Please stand for remainder of service if you are able.)

**Praise God from whom all blessings flow; Praise Him all creatures here below; Praise Him above, ye heavenly host; Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost. Amen.**

**HYMN** no. 498 "Peace Like a River"

**BENEDICTION**

**FINAL RESPONSE** "Go Now and Live For the Savior"

**POSTLUDE** "Lobe den Herren" (translation: "Praise the Lord") Hopson

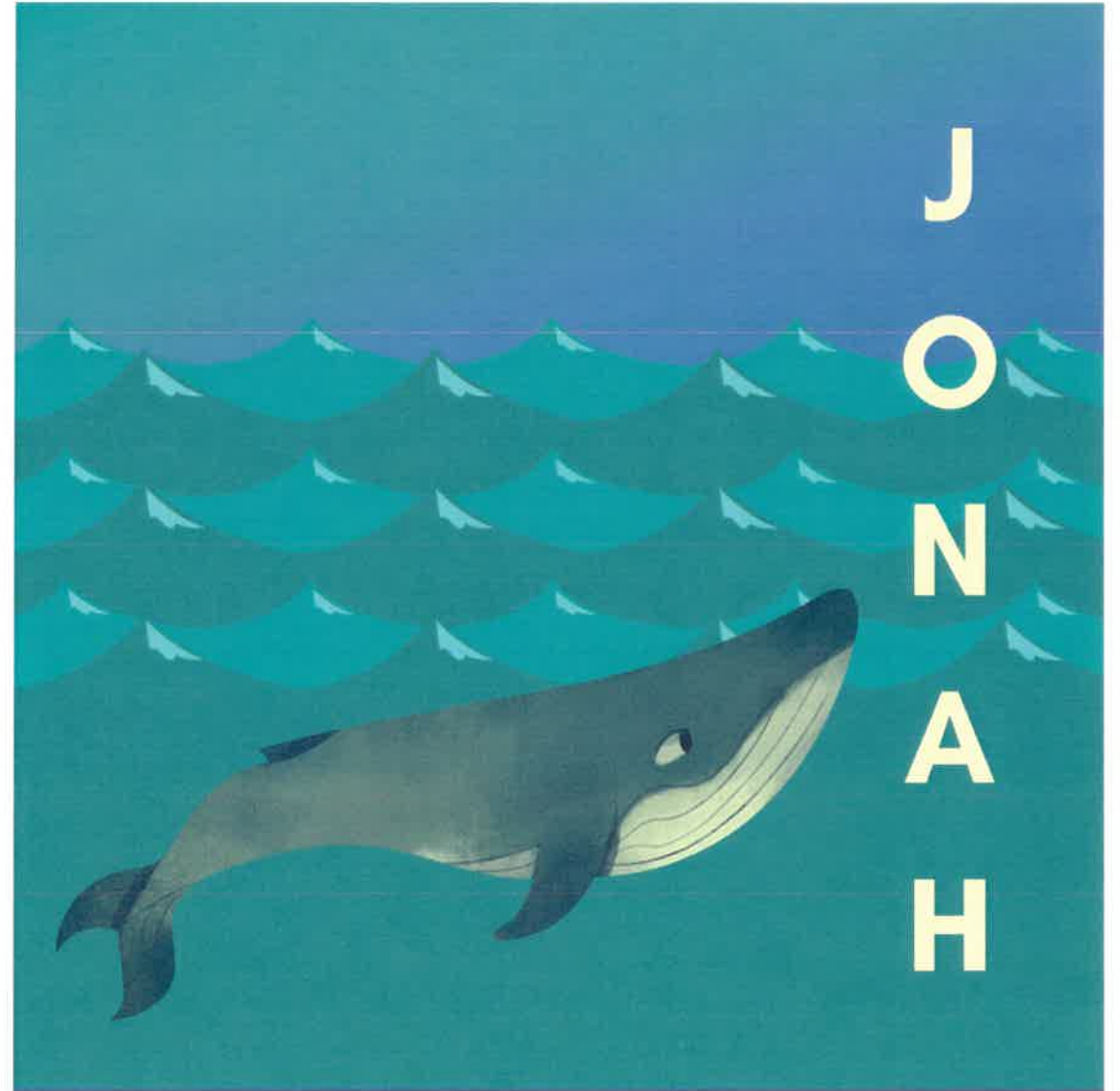


**ASSISTING WITH TODAY'S WORSHIP:**

Deacons at 9:30 AM- Mary Crane, Lynn Casey, and Paula Messner  
Deacons at 11:00 AM- Richard Oxford, Lynn Casey, and Rebecca Bliss  
Liturgist - Rev. Kevin Horak

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## **SCOUT LITANY**

Leader: A true and worthy person recognizes their obligations and does them without being watched or compelled.

**Scout: A SCOUT IS TRUSTWORTHY.**

Leader: We owe much to many - to home, school, community, nation, and to God.

**Scout: A SCOUT IS LOYAL.**

Leader: The good Samaritan showed the spirit of doing a Good Turn.

**Scout: A SCOUT IS HELPFUL.**

Leader: Courtesy is the mark of all faiths. It is shown in thoughtful acts and kindly respect for everyone.

**Scout: A SCOUT IS COURTEOUS.**

Leader: Kindness is the way people show respect for others.

**Scout: A SCOUT IS KIND.**

Leader: Life is filled with things that we must do whether we like them or not. One of the marks of growing up is our readiness to accept responsibilities willingly.

**Scout: A SCOUT IS OBEDIENT.**

Leader: Our moods make our days. If we are grouchy, our day is gloomy. If we are happy, our day is always happier.

**Scout: A SCOUT IS CHEERFUL.**

Leader: The world offers many gifts; a wise person uses them with care.

**Scout: A SCOUT IS THRIFTY.**

Leader: To each of us comes danger, difficult tasks, and temptations. In choice of courage or cowardice, may we be brave.

**Scout: A SCOUT IS BRAVE.**

Leader: To have a clean body, a clean mind, and a clean record is a rewarding achievement.

**Scout: A SCOUT IS CLEAN.**

Leader: Character is determined by the things we worship. If we respect ourselves and our brothers and sisters, and see them as gifts of the goodness of God, we live on a high plane.

**Scout: A SCOUT IS REVERENT.**

**All: Give us clean hands, clean words, and clean thoughts, O God. Teach us to work hard and to play fairly. Forgive us when we are unkind and help us to help others. Send us strength to do a good turn each day and so to live after Thy will. Amen.**

### **FOR OUR GUESTS...**

Information about our church may be found at the **Welcome Center Desk** near the main entrance. Please allow us to get to know you better by filling out the **Connection Card** and placing it in the offering plate. **Prayer Request Cards** are also located in the pew racks. If you have a prayer request you would like included in our weekly Prayer Chain letter, write it on a card and give it to the Deacon who comes down the aisle during the opening hymn. **Restrooms and a water fountain** are located in Great Hall. An **ADA Accessible/ Family Restroom** is located on the main floor by the nursery. **Bible Studies and other groups** meet throughout the week and are listed on the church's calendar ([www.tcia.cc](http://www.tcia.cc)), or you may call the church office (330-562-8266) for more information.

**GREETERS TODAY ARE CHARLOTTE & BOB EMRICK.**

**ALTAR FLOWERS HAVE BEEN PLACED BY THE GUTHRIE FAMILY IN LOVING MEMORY OF RUTH GUTHRIE.**

**COFFEE HOURS SNACKS HAVE BEEN PROVIDED BY MARY ALKIRE.**

**CONNECTION CARDS HAVE BEEN PLACED IN EACH BULLETIN.** Pastor Derek will explain this new way to help us stay better connected as a church family. Please complete a card and place it in the offering plate when it passes.

**"THE RICH YOUNG MAN" IS THE FEBRUARY THEME IN PROMISELAND.** Grades 1 & 2 are in Promise Inn; Grade 3 is in Promise Garden; and Grade 4 is in Promise Temple. These classrooms are located upstairs.

**HOMEMADE CHOCOLATES PREPARED BY THE LADIES OF CIRCLE 3-H WILL BE AVAILABLE FOR SALE AFTER BOTH SERVICES IN FELLOWSHIP HALL.** All proceeds benefit the 2020 Youth Workcamp mission trip to Port Huron, MI. Various chocolates will be available...shop early for that Valentine's gift while supporting our youth.

**"DISCOVER TCIA" WILL BE HELD TODAY, FEBRUARY 9 AT 4 PM.** If you or someone you know is interested in exploring membership at The Church in Aurora, then this is an opportunity to learn about non-denominational community church beliefs, worship tradition, what it means to be a member and more. Please let one of the pastors know if you would like to attend.

**VOLUNTEERS FROM OUR CHURCH WILL BE PREPARING AND SERVING THE EVENING MEAL AT HAVEN HOME TOMORROW EVENING.** Please remember them and the Cleveland-area homeless families they are serving in your prayers.

### **HAVE YOU ATTENDED A "LISTENING TOUR" WITH PASTOR DEREK??**

The next dates are:

- Tuesday, February 18, 6:30 PM at the home of Liz & Josh Sutter (Aurora)
- Thursday, February 20, 10 AM at the home of Lin & Jerry Reichelt (Aurora)

Childcare is available at the Sutter's with advance notice. Call the church office at 330-562-8266 if you would like to attend one of these small-group setting opportunities to meet with Pastor Derek as he gets to know his new church family.

**THE AURORA FOOD PANTRY REQUESTS:** pancake syrup, boxed breakfast cereal, and laundry detergent. Donations placed in the marked bench in Great Hall will be taken to the pantry on Tuesday of each week.

**SUPERBOWL SUB AND BAKE SALE – "THANK YOU** to everyone for your support at last week's Superbowl Sub and Bake Sale. Without all of you this mission trip would not be possible. We would like to give a special thank you to Jersey Mike's of Aurora for sponsoring the sub sale this year. The next time you are in Jersey Mike's be sure to say thank you for their support as they have already agreed to sponsor next year's sub sale. The sub and bake sale raised \$1911 for our youth. Thank you!" - from Rebecca Bliss

**UPDATED LISTINGS OF COMMITTEE MEMBERS ARE AVAILABLE ON THE HUNT TABLE IN GREAT HALL.**

**MARK YOUR CALENDARS: ASH WEDNESDAY WORSHIP IS FEBRUARY 26 AT 7:30 PM.**