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**Sunday, January 7, 10:00am**  
**Theme: Epiphany**

† Indicates stand as you are able  
**Bold** indicates participation by the people

**MV** = More Voices  
**VU** = Voices United

**We Gather With**

PRELUDE: Kari Orosz – *“Many Meetings”* – by Howard Shore

WELCOME to our Livestream Worship Service

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF TREATY 7 LAND

GREETING ONE ANOTHER & ANNOUNCEMENTS

*A wicker prayer basket will be sent around. If you have a prayer request, please print clearly on a prayer slip, place it in the wicker basket, and pass the basket along.*

†INTROIT: *I Am the Light of the World* (v.1)

**VU#87**

CHRIST CANDLE & SILENCE

MINISTRY OF MUSIC: *The Youth Choir* -

CALL TO WORSHIP: **(Responsive)**

The Magi came from many places, following a star.

**We come to worship, and the star sheds light on our lives.**

The Magi brought gifts to offer the Child.

**We too bring gifts—ourselves, our hopes, our dreams.**

Shepherds and Magi—the meek and the mighty—all were welcome.

**We too are welcome and then return to our homes rejoicing.**

OPENING PRAYER: *(Leader)*

†HYMN: *Arise, Your Light Is Come*

**VU#79**

SCRIPTURE: *Matthew 2:1-12*

*Reader: Richard Pon*

One: This is the witness of The Church.

**Many: Thanks be to God!**

MINISTRY OF MUSIC: *The Adult Choir – Hallelujah Chorus*

*– by Handel*

CHILDREN'S TIME:

*(Children and Youth are invited to join with their leaders at one of the entrances to the Sanctuary.)*

THE MESSAGE

†HYMN: *A Light Is Gleaming*

**VU#82**

MINUTE FOR MISSION:

INVITATION TO OPEN HANDS

OPPORTUNITY TO OPEN HANDS

with our Offerings & Prayers.

†OFFERTORY: *We Three Kings (v.1)*

†OFFERTORY PRAYER: ***(Unison)***

**Though we do not bear gifts of gold, frankincense, and myrrh, we offer ourselves and what we have. The story continues, Good News abounds. Let us rejoice and be glad! Amen**

†CALL TO PRAYER: *Bathe Me in Your Light (v.1)*

**MV#82**

PASTORAL PRAYERS (Leader) & PRAYER OF JESUS (Unison)

†HYMN: *Jesus Came Bringing Us Hope*

**MV#33**

COMMISSIONING and BENEDICTION: (***Responsive***)

May God, who led the Magi,

**lead us also, in our pilgrimage.**

As sages from the East offered you their best,

**so may we honour God with our highest visions and finest energies.**

POSTLUDE

We give great thanks to all who participated in making today's  
worship service a reality.