

First Baptist Church Lincoln
January 9, 2022
Order of Worship

Life Together and Welcome

Call to Worship - for the first Sunday of Epiphany

(inspired by Matthew 3:13-17, Mark 1:4-11, Luke 3:15-17, 21-22)

The heavens open. The Spirit descends.
Jesus emerges from the water.

And a voice echoes through the blue expanse.
"This is my child, the Beloved, with whom I am well-pleased."
Jesus is named. Claimed.

We come to the water. We remember we are named. Claimed.
Can it be so? What a thing to be named. Claimed.
Let us worship the one who names and claims us still.

~ written by Caela Wood, Pastor at the First Congregational United Church of Christ,
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Opening Song Blessed Assurance #314

Prayer Time

Scripture Reading..... Isaiah 43:1-3

Praise SongBetter Is One Day

Scripture Reading..... Isaiah 43:4-7

Praise SongGive Us Clean Hands

Praise Song Be Thou My Vision #359

MessagePastor Joy Martinez-Marshall
..... Luke 3:15-23a

Remember Your Baptism As the Deer

Benediction Pastor Joy Martinez-Marshall