

Offertory Prayer

Let us pray: O God whose light shines in our darkness, **accept these gifts we bring, and make us as trees who bear good fruit. Inspire us to give not only our riches and our possessions, but also to dedicate our time, abilities and lives to your service. For you love all you have made and desire all to live in peace; through your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.**

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Hymn LBW #534
“Now Thank We All Our God”

Bells

Dismissal
Go in peace. Serve the Lord.
Thanks be to God!

Postlude



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February 3, 2019 9:00am

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Welcome and Announcements
“Super Bowl” Youth Video – The 7-9th Grade Sunday School Class
Brief Order for Confession & Forgiveness
We confess our sins before God and one another.
Pause for silence and reflection.
Patient God, you have taught us all we need to be your faithful people. And yet we persist in going our own way, doing our own thing, and minding our own business when we ought to be about the business of your kingdom. Forgive our selfish neglect of others and bring us back into wholeness with our brothers and sisters. Amen.

First Reading: Isaiah 58:6-12
⁶ Is not this the fast that I choose: to loose the bonds of injustice, to undo the thongs of the yoke, to let the oppressed go free, and to break every yoke? ⁷ Is it not to share your bread with the hungry, and bring the homeless poor into your house; when you see the naked, to cover them, and not to hide yourself from your own kin? ⁸ Then your light shall break forth like the dawn, and your healing shall spring up quickly; your vindicator shall go before you, the glory of the Lord shall be your rearguard. ⁹ Then you shall call, and the Lord will answer; you shall cry for help, and he will say, Here I am.
If you remove the yoke from among you, the pointing of the finger, the speaking of evil, ¹⁰ if you offer your food to the hungry and satisfy the needs of the afflicted, then your light shall rise in the darkness and

Hymn LBW #439
“What a Friend We Have in Jesus”

your gloom be like the noonday.

¹¹ The Lord will guide you continually, and satisfy your needs in parched places, and make your bones strong; and you shall be like a watered garden, like a spring of water, whose waters never fail. ¹² Your ancient ruins shall be rebuilt; you shall raise up the foundations of many generations; you shall be called the repairer of the breach, the restorer of streets to live in.

The Word of the Lord.
Thanks be to God.

Psalm 20:1-7

(Read Responsively)

¹ The Lord answer you in the day of trouble! The name of the God of Jacob protect you!

² **May he send you help from the sanctuary, and give you support from Zion.**

³ May he remember all your offerings, and regard with favor your burnt sacrifices.

⁴ **May he grant you your heart's desire, and fulfil all your plans.**

⁵ May we shout for joy over your victory, and in the name of our God set up our banners.

May the Lord fulfil all your petitions.

⁶ Now I know that the Lord will help his anointed; he will answer him from his holy heaven with mighty victories by his right hand.

⁷ **Some take pride in chariots, and some in horses, but our pride is in the name of the Lord our God.**

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Gospel: Matthew 6:7-21

The Holy Gospel according to Matthew, the 6th chapter.

Glory to you, O Lord.

⁷ ‘When you are praying, do not heap up empty phrases as the Gentiles do; for they think that they will be heard because of their many words. ⁸Do not be like them, for your Father knows what you need before you ask him.

⁹ Pray then in this way: Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your name. ¹⁰ Your kingdom come. Your will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. ¹¹ Give us this day our daily bread. ¹² And forgive us our debts, as we also have forgiven our debtors. ¹³ And do not bring us to the time of trial, but rescue us from the evil one. ¹⁴ For if you forgive others their trespasses, your heavenly Father will also forgive you; ¹⁵ but if you do not forgive others, neither will your Father forgive your trespasses.

¹⁶ And whenever you fast, do not look dismal, like the hypocrites, for they disfigure their faces so as to show others that they are fasting. Truly I tell you, they have received their reward. ¹⁷ But when you fast, put oil on your head and wash your face, ¹⁸ so that your fasting may be seen not by others but by your Father who is in secret; and your Father who sees in secret will reward you.

¹⁹ Do not store up for yourselves treasures on earth, where moth and rust consume and where thieves break in

and steal; ²⁰ but store up for yourselves treasures in heaven, where neither moth nor rust consumes and where thieves do not break in and steal. ²¹ For where your treasure is, there your heart will be also.’

The Gospel of the Lord.
Praise to you, O Christ.

Children’s Sermon

Gospel Hymn LBW #458
“Jesus, Priceless Treasure”

Sermon

Hymn of the Day LBW #460
“I Am Trusting You, Lord Jesus”

Installation of Elected Parish Officers

The following persons, having been elected to positions of leadership, are asked to come forward as their offices and names are called:

In Holy Baptism our Lord Jesus Christ liberated you from sin and death and made you members of his Church. Through Word and Sacrament you have been nurtured in faith. I ask you, together with all who are here gathered, to confess the faith of the Church, the faith in which we are baptized.

I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth. I believe in Jesus Christ, God’s only Son, our Lord. He was conceived by the power of the Holy Spirit and born of the virgin Mary. He suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died and was buried. He

descended into hell. On the third day he rose again. He ascended into heaven, and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again to judge the living and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

St. Paul writes: There are different kinds of spiritual gifts, but the same Spirit gives them... On behalf of your sisters and brothers in Christ, I ask you: Are you ready to accept and faithfully to carry out the duties of the offices to which you have been elected?

Yes, by the help of God.

People of God, I ask you: Will you support these, your elected leaders, and will you share in the mutual ministry that Christ has given to all who are baptized?

Yes. By the help of God.

I now declare you installed as officers and council members of this congregation. God bless you with his Holy Spirit, that you may prove faithful servants of Christ. **Amen.**

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Offering

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Ushers: Tom Hollingsworth, Jerome Lysen, Daren Schuerman, Al Grussing, Jeff Anderson

Acolytes: Zoe Halvorson, Kyra Gronseth

Lector: Kyra Gronseth

Assisting Deacon: Hans Helgense

Altar Guild: Cindy Steffen, Julie Anderson

Prayer concerns: Mike Heinzig, Mike Langford, Don Wilts

Church Council: President Brian McNeill, Vice President Mark Grussing, Secretary Becky Woitte, Council members: Jason Anderson, Jodee Erickson, Byron Giese, Hans Helgense, Laura Hulterstrum, Stacy Lindahl

* **Please join** us for a bridal shower in honor of Becca Petersen February 16 @ 10am. Instead of a card please bring your favorite recipe to share with the couple! The couple is registered at Target.

* **We are looking** for folks who are interested in running the computer program/video equipment for worship services and for those willing to enter the information into the computer software. Training will be provided. If you are wanting to help, signup sheets have been posted on the bulletin board in the narthex. Thanks for considering it!

* **Thank you** for the gift of Christmas Cookies. The cookies were amazing. Thank you for thinking of me. Marla Forbord

* **If you would like** to receive the monthly newsletter by email instead of regular mail, please email the church, call the church office, or fill out the form below and give to Pam:

Name _____

Email address

This Week's Schedule

Sun. 9am-Communion Worship
2/03 10:00-Coffee Hour - Outreach & Community Relations
10:15-Sunday School
10:15-WELCA
5:00-Boot Camp for Men
Isaiah 43:18-19, 2 Corinthians 5:17

Mon 2:45 Team Promise

Wed. 4:30-7 grade Confirmation
2/ 6 5:15-8 & 9 grade Confirmation
6:30-Committee Meetings
7:00-Council

Thurs. 8am-quilting

Sun. 9:00-Worship
2/10 10:00-Coffee Hour = Taylor & Elise Duncan, Cameron & Kyra Gronseth, Sara Larson, Chaden Carroll, Jack Helgense, Blake Lien
10:15-Sunday School