



Lutheran Church of Our Redeemer

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Second Week after Epiphany

Saturday, January 15, 2022 5:30 p.m.

Prelude "How Brightly Shines the Morning Star" (arr. Stade & Stein)

Welcome

Invocation, Confession and Forgiveness

Blessed be the holy Trinity, ☩ one God, who creates us, redeems us, and calls us by name.

Amen.

Let us confess our sin in the presence of God and of one another.

(Silence is kept for reflection.)

Most merciful God,

we confess that we have sinned against you and your beloved children.

We have turned our faces away from your glory when it did not appear as we expected.

We have rejected your word when it made us confront ourselves.

We have failed to show hospitality to those you called us to welcome.

Accept our repentance for the things we have done and the things we have left undone.

For the sake of Jesus Christ, have mercy on us. Forgive us and lead us, that we may bathe in the glory of your Son born among us, and reflect your love for all creation.

Amen.

Rejoice in this good news:

In ☩ Christ Jesus, your sins are forgiven. You are descendants of the Most High, adopted into the household of Christ, and inheritors of eternal life.

Live as freed and forgiven children of God.

Amen.

Opening Hymn

"Gather Us In" #532 vs. 1, 2 & 4

Prayer of the Day

Lord God, source of every blessing, you showed forth your glory and led many to faith by the works of your Son, who brought gladness and salvation to his people. Transform us by the Spirit of his love, that we may find our life together in him, Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

Amen.

Scripture Reading

Isaiah 61:1-5

¹For Zion's sake I will not keep silent, and for Jerusalem's sake I will not rest, until her vindication shines out like the dawn, and her salvation like a burning torch. ²The nations shall see your vindication, and all the kings your glory; and you shall be called by a new name that the mouth of the Lord will give. ³You shall be a crown of beauty in the hand of the Lord, and a royal diadem in the hand of your God. ⁴You shall no more be termed Forsaken, and your land shall no more be termed Desolate; but you shall be called My Delight Is in Her, and your land Married; for the Lord delights in you, and your land shall be married. ⁵For as a young man marries a young woman, so shall your builder marry you, and as the bridegroom rejoices over the bride, so shall your God rejoice over you.

This is the Word of the Lord. **Amen**

Psalm

Psalm 36:5-10

⁵Your love, O Lord, reaches to the heavens,
and your faithfulness to the clouds.
⁶Your righteousness is like the strong mountains, your justice like the great deep;
you save humankind and animals, O Lord.
⁷How priceless is your love, O God!
All people take refuge under the shadow of your wings.
⁸They feast upon the abundance of your house;
you give them drink from the river of your delights.
⁹For with you is the well of life,
and in your light we see light.
¹⁰Continue your lovingkindness to those who know you,
and your favor to those who are true of heart.

Gospel

John 2:1-11

¹On the third day there was a wedding in Cana of Galilee, and the mother of Jesus was there. ²Jesus and his disciples had also been invited to the wedding. ³When the wine gave out, the mother of Jesus said to him, "They have no wine." ⁴And Jesus said to her, "Woman, what concern is that to you and to me? My hour has not yet come." ⁵His mother said to the servants, "Do whatever he tells you." ⁶Now standing there were six stone water jars for the Jewish rites of purification, each holding twenty or thirty gallons. ⁷Jesus said to them, "Fill the jars with water." And they filled them up to the brim. ⁸He said to them, "Now draw some out, and take it to the chief steward." So they took it. ⁹When the steward tasted the water that had become wine, and did not know where it came from (though the servants who had drawn the water knew), the steward called the bridegroom ¹⁰and said to him, "Everyone serves the good wine first, and then the inferior wine after the guests have become drunk. But you have kept the good wine until now." ¹¹Jesus did this, the first of his signs, in Cana of Galilee, and revealed his glory; and his disciples believed in him.

This is the Gospel of the Lord. **Thanks be to God**

Sermon

“Cana Grace”

Jack Holmquest

Hymn of the Day

“A Mighty Fortress Is Our God” #504 vs. 1, 2 & 4

Apostles’ Creed

I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth. I believe in Jesus Christ, God's only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried; he descended to the dead. On the third day he rose again; he ascended into heaven, he is seated at the right hand of the Father, and he will come 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.

Offering and Announcements

Text to Give: 605-250-6765

Prayers of the Church

Hospitalized/ill: Tenley Schmig, Pastor Keith Smith, Chuck Schuchard, Carl Bevers,
Terri Bruner, Mark Mandery, Curtis Dahl, James Bahr, Francis Kearney
Brian Pribyl, *cousin of Pam Luckhurst*
Cynthia Emery, *sister of Renae (Ken) Madison*
Jesse Frederick, *daughter-in-law of Kent and Gwen Anderson*
Gloria Fastnact, *friend of Rod and Doris Knight*
Kevin Stark, *brother of Carol (Ron) Bergan*

Deaths: Nate Buckley, *son of Scott Hardie and Nancy Buckley*
Wanda Lee, *sister of David (Jan) Johnson*
Gladys Sandaker, *grandmother of Stacey (Jesse) Greve,*
great-grandmother of Hanna & Hailli Greve

The Lord’s Prayer

Benediction

Sending Hymn

“Songs of Thankfulness and Praise” #310 vs. 1, 2 and 4

Call to Service Go in peace to love and serve the Lord! **Thanks be to God!**

Postlude

“Brightest and Best of the Stars of the Morning” (arr. Held)

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Serving This Weekend

Presiding: Cathy Zubke; **Preaching:** Jack Holmquest;

Organ: AJ Sherrill; **Sound and Projection:** Sam Langner