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**LSB Divine Service Setting I
Second Sunday after Epiphany
January 16, 2022**

Lighting of the Candles *Jesus says: "I am the light of the world. Whoever follows me will never walk in darkness but will have the light of life."*
John 6:12

Hymn of Invocation **"O Holy Spirit, Enter In"** **No. 913**

(stand)

Confession and Absolution

P: In the name of the Father and of the ✠ Son and of the Holy Spirit.

C: Amen. *Matthew 28:19 and 18:20*

P: If we say we have no sin, we deceive ourselves, and the truth is not in us.

C: But if we confess our sins, God, who is faithful and just, will forgive our sins and cleanse us from all unrighteousness.

Silence for reflection on God's Word and for self-examination.

P: Let us then confess our sins to God our Father.

C: Most merciful God, we confess that we are by nature sinful and unclean. We have sinned against You in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done and by what we have left undone. We have not loved You with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. We justly deserve Your present and eternal punishment. For the sake of Your Son, Jesus Christ, have mercy on us. Forgive us, renew us, and lead us, so that we may delight in Your will and walk in Your ways to the glory of Your holy name. Amen.

P: Almighty God in His mercy has given His Son to die for you and for His sake forgives you all your sins. As a called and ordained servant of Christ, and by His authority, I therefore forgive you all your sins in the name of the Father and of the ✠ Son and of the Holy Spirit.

C: Amen. *I John 1:12 and Philippians 1:6*

Introit *Psalm 36:5–9; antiphon: Song of Solomon 2:4*

P: [The Lord] brought me to the banqueting house,

C: and his banner over me was love.

P: Your steadfast love, O LORD, extends to the heavens,

C: your faithfulness to the clouds.

P: Your righteousness is like the mountains of God;

C: your judgments are like the great deep; man and beast you save, O LORD.

P: How precious is your steadfast love, O God!

C: The children of mankind take refuge in the shadow of your wings.

P: They feast on the abundance of your house,

C: and you give them drink from the river of your delights.

P: For with you is the fountain of life;

C: in your light do we see light.

All: Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit; as it was in the beginning, is now, and will be forever. Amen.

P: [The Lord] brought me to the banqueting house,

C: and his banner over me was love.

Lord Have Mercy (Kyrie)

Mark 10:47

P: In peace let us pray to the Lord



C Lord, have mer - cy.

P: For the peace from above and for our salvation let us pray to the Lord.



C Lord, have mer - cy.

P: For the peace of the whole world, for the well-being of the Church of God and for the unity of all let us pray to the Lord.



C Lord, have mer - cy.

P: For this holy house and for all who offer here their worship and praise, let us pray to the Lord.



C Lord, have mer - cy.

P: Help, save, comfort and defend us, gracious Lord.



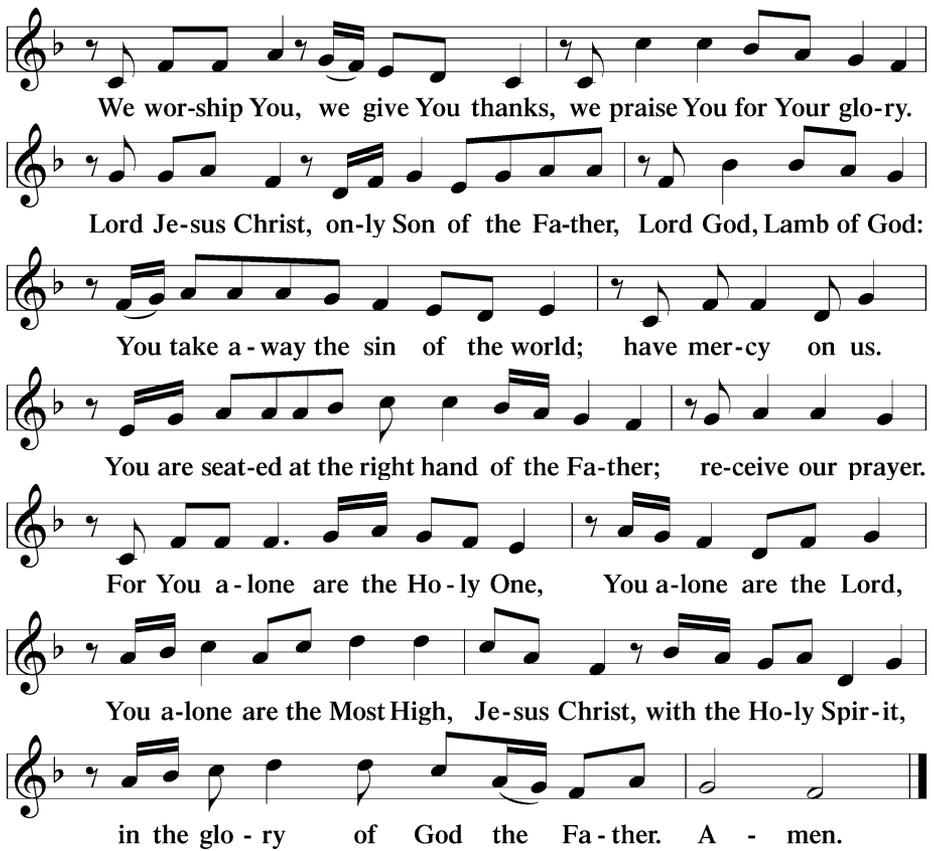
C A - men.

Glory to God in the Highest (Gloria in Excelsis) *Romans 8:34*

P: Glory to God in the highest, and peace to His people on earth.



C Lord God, heav-en-ly king, al-might-y God and Fa - ther:



We wor-ship You, we give You thanks, we praise You for Your glo-ry.
 Lord Je-sus Christ, on-ly Son of the Fa-ther, Lord God, Lamb of God:
 You take a - way the sin of the world; have mer-cy on us.
 You are seat-ed at the right hand of the Fa-ther; re-ceive our prayer.
 For You a-lone are the Ho-ly One, You a-lone are the Lord,
 You a-lone are the Most High, Je-sus Christ, with the Ho-ly Spir-it,
 in the glo - ry of God the Fa - ther. A - men.

Salutation and Collect

P: The Lord be with you.



C And al - so with you.

P: Let us pray... one God, now and forever.

C: Amen.

(sit)

Old Testament Reading

Isaiah 62:1-5

¹For Zion's sake I will not keep silent,
 and for Jerusalem's sake I will not be quiet,
 until her righteousness goes forth as brightness,
 and her salvation as a burning torch.

²The nations shall see your righteousness,
 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 sons marry you,
and as the bridegroom rejoices over the bride,
so shall your God rejoice over you.

P: This is the Word of the Lord.

C: Thanks be to God.

Memory Verse

Luke 4:18a

"The Spirit of the Lord is upon me, because he has anointed me to proclaim good news to the poor."

Epistle

1 Corinthians 12:1–11

¹Now concerning spiritual gifts, brothers, I do not want you to be uninformed. ²You know that when you were pagans you were led astray to mute idols, however you were led. ³Therefore I want you to understand that no one speaking in the Spirit of God ever says "Jesus is accursed!" and no one can say "Jesus is Lord" except in the Holy Spirit.

⁴Now there are varieties of gifts, but the same Spirit; ⁵and there are varieties of service, but the same Lord; ⁶and there are varieties of activities, but it is the same God who empowers them all in everyone. ⁷To each is given the manifestation of the Spirit for the common good. ⁸To one is given through the Spirit the utterance of wisdom, and to another the utterance of knowledge according to the same Spirit, ⁹to another faith by the same Spirit, to another gifts of healing by the one Spirit, ¹⁰to another the working of miracles, to another prophecy, to another the ability to distinguish between spirits, to another various kinds of tongues, to another the interpretation of tongues. ¹¹All these are empowered by one and the same Spirit, who apportions to each one individually as he wills.

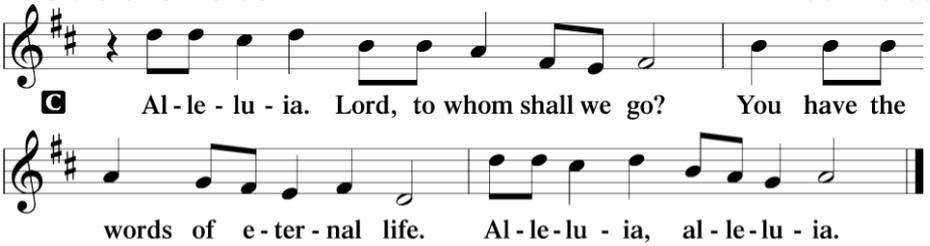
P: This is the Word of the Lord.

C: Thanks be to God.

(stand)

Alleluia and Verse

John 6:68



Al - le - lu - ia. Lord, to whom shall we go? You have the
words of e - ter - nal life. Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia.

Holy Gospel

John 2:1-11

P: The Holy Gospel according to St. John, the second chapter.



Glo - ry to You, O Lord.

¹On the third day there was a wedding at Cana in Galilee, and the mother of Jesus was there. ²Jesus also was invited to the wedding with his disciples. ³When the wine ran out, the mother of Jesus said to him, "They have no wine." ⁴And Jesus said to her, "Woman, what does this have to do with me? My hour has not yet come." ⁵His mother said to the servants, "Do whatever he tells you."

⁶Now there were six stone water jars there for the Jewish rites of purification, each holding twenty or thirty gallons. ⁷Jesus said to the servants, "Fill the jars with water." And they filled them up to the brim. ⁸And he said to them, "Now draw some out and take it to the master of the feast." So they took it. ⁹When the master of the feast tasted the water now become wine, and did not know where it came from (though the servants who had drawn the water knew), the master of the feast called the bridegroom ¹⁰and said to him, "Everyone serves the good wine first, and when people have drunk freely, then the poor wine. But you have kept the good wine until now." ¹¹This, the first of his signs, Jesus did at Cana in Galilee, and manifested his glory. And his disciples believed in him.

P: This is the Gospel of the Lord.



Praise to You, O Christ.

(Sit)

Hymn of the Day

"The Only Son from Heaven"

No. 402

Sermon

"Purification and Celebration"

John 2:1-11

(stand)

The Apostles' Creed

I believe in God, the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth.

And in Jesus Christ, His 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 into hell. The third day He rose again from the dead. He ascended into heaven and sits at the right hand of God the Father Almighty. From thence He will come to judge the living and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy Christian Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

Prayer of the Church - After each petition

P: Lord, in your mercy,

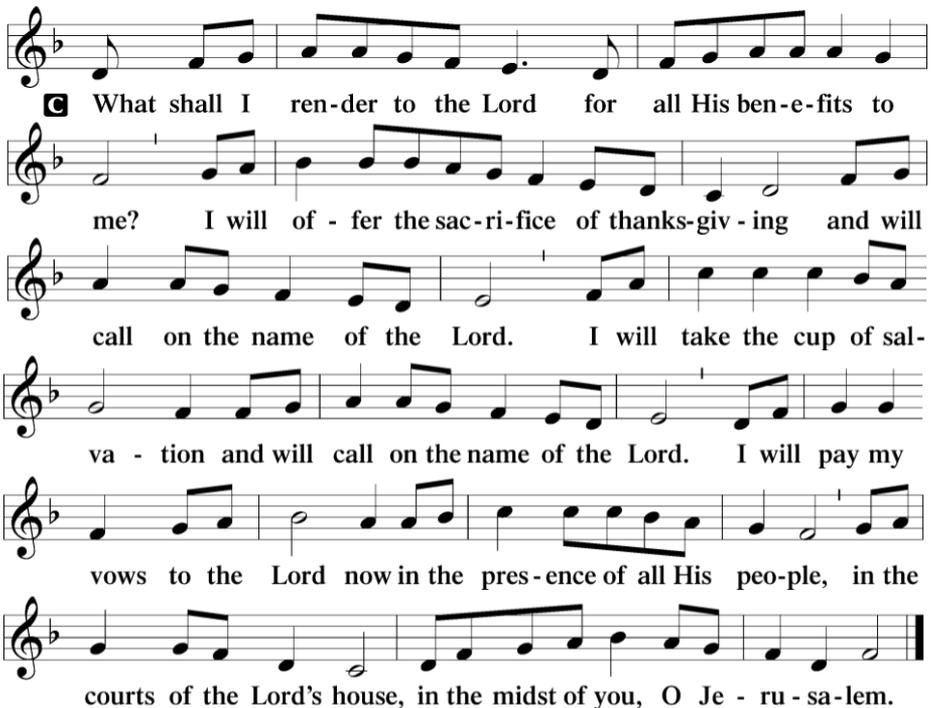
C: hear our prayer.

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Offering

(stand)

Offertory



What shall I ren-der to the Lord for all His ben-e-fits to
me? I will of - fer the sac-ri-fice of thanks-giv - ing and will
call on the name of the Lord. I will take the cup of sal-
va - tion and will call on the name of the Lord. I will pay my
vows to the Lord now in the pres-ence of all His peo-ple, in the
courts of the Lord's house, in the midst of you, O Je - ru - sa-lem.

The Lord's Prayer

Matthew 6:9-13

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 trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory forever and ever. Amen.

Concluding Collect

The Benediction

Numbers 6:24-26

P: The Lord bless you and keep you. The Lord make His face shine on you And be gracious to you. The Lord look upon you with favor and give you peace.

C: Amen.

(Sit)

Closing Hymn "Songs of Thankfulness and Praise" No. 394



✠ **THE ALTAR FLOWERS** are given to the glory of God.

✠ **IN OUR PRAYERS** we remember all who are ill or under medical care, Gladys Brack, Hunter Bushnell, Fern Knocke, Sue Krueger, Diana Trent, Craig Turner, Buni Snyder, Barb Sweet, Eddie (Pattie Oestmann's brother), Pattie Oestmann, Lisa Cook (Joyce Scott's ex-daughter-in-law), Baker Coon (grandson of a friend of the Ponds), Mark Eckstein (Nancy Pond's brother), Andy Paton, Marilynn Marrs, Brayli Stewart (Diana Trent's niece), Stephanie Anderson (cousin of Val Rush), Helen Hill (Charlie Theas' sister), JC Duncan-Eaton & Anthony Wiley (Sheryl Harper's friends), Marcia Cales, Michael Knocke & family.



Being Lutheran: This class that provides an overview of what Lutherans believe, teach, and confess, is tentatively scheduled to begin on **January 17 at 6:00 pm** and run for ten consecutive Mondays. It is ideal for people considering membership in this congregation as well as for anyone who would like to review the most important aspects of the Christians faith. Please let Pastor Herald know if you would like to attend. If a majority of those attending agree to a different day or time, we will adjust the schedule as needed.



Catechism Camp (ages 10-15) will be June 20-23

High School Youth meeting after the service next Sunday
(January 23rd)

THIS WEEK AT REDEEMER

- TODAY:** 9:00 am Sunday School
10:15 am Divine Service without Holy Communion
11:30 am Jr. High Youth Group
- MONDAY:** **Scribe News Due**
6:00 pm Being Lutheran Class
- WEDNESDAY:** **6:00 pm Catechism Class**
- NEXT SUNDAY:** 9:00 am Sunday School
10:15 am Divine Service with Holy Communion
11:30 am Jr. High Youth Group
11:30 am High School Youth Group
8:00 am Lutheran Hour on 1280 AM
10:30 am Lutheran Hour on 95.9 FM

THOSE SERVING AT REDEEMER

- Officiating Elder:** Eric Snider
- Altar Committee:** Rose Anstine, Lacy Colquhoun, Becky Wiest

STEWARDSHIP

- January 9, 2022 – Worship – 59**
- Budget Needs Weekly - \$2,932.62**
- Home Budget Offering - \$5592.50**
- Missions - \$100.00
- Endowment - \$100.00

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