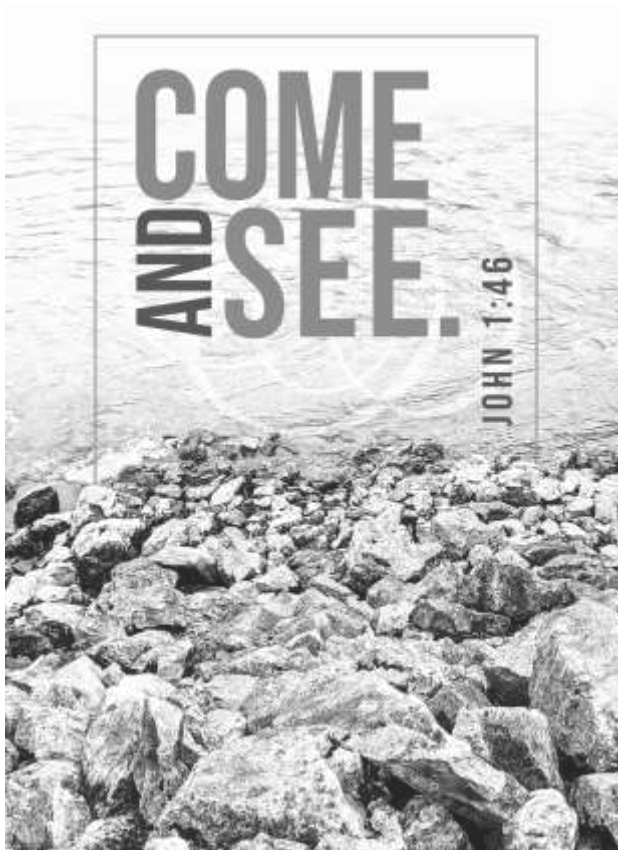


**THURSDAY, JANUARY 12, 2023 ~ 7:00 PM**  
**SUNDAY, JANUARY 15, 2023 ~ 8:00 AM & 10:30 AM**  
**SECOND SUNDAY AFTER EPIPHANY**

**DIVINE SERVICE 4 LSB 203**  
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## WE WELCOME YOU IN THE NAME OF JESUS

For your convenience personal hearing assistance units are available. Large Print Bulletins, Newsletters, and Portals of Prayers are also available. Please ask an usher for assistance.

As you are entering the sanctuary, you are entering the house of God. Prepare yourselves for worship by silently meditating on God's love. Please refrain from loud conversation before the service that would distract those for whom a preparatory meditation is important.

To those who may be visiting us today, your presence here today is a delight to us! With joy we welcome you in the name of Jesus. Please complete the guest card found in the pew pocket and turn it in to an elder or usher.

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### (10:30 AM) PRE-SERVICE BELL ANTHEM

"Jubilate, Amen"

*Arr. by: Ruby Shaw Hollis*

### WELCOME

### HYMN      **The Only Son from Heaven**

**LSB 402**

*(Please rise for last stanza)*

### INVOCATION, CONFESSION OF SINS and ABSOLUTION

*(The sign of the cross may be made by all in remembrance of their Baptism.)*

**P** In the name of the Father and of the  $\text{✠}$  Son and of the Holy Spirit.

**C** **Amen.**

**P** Our help is in the name of the Lord,

**C** **who made heaven and earth.**

**P** If You, O Lord, kept a record of sins, O Lord, who could stand?

**C** **But with You there is forgiveness; therefore You are feared.**

**P** Since we are gathered to hear God's Word, call upon Him in prayer and praise, in the fellowship of this altar, let us first consider our unworthiness and confess before God and one another that we have sinned in thought, word, and deed, and that we cannot free ourselves from our sinful condition. Together as His people let us take refuge in the infinite mercy of God, our heavenly Father, seeking His grace for the sake of Christ, and saying: God, be merciful to me, a sinner.

**C** Almighty God, have mercy upon us, forgive us our sins, and lead us to everlasting life. 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 an ordained servant of Christ, and by His authority, I therefore forgive you all your sins in the name of the Father and of the  $\text{†}$  Son and of the Holy Spirit.

**C** Amen.

## GLORIA IN EXCELSIS

LSB 204



**C** 1 To God on high be glo - ry And peace to all the earth;  
2 To You, O sole - be - got - ten, The Fa - ther's Son, we pray;  
3 For You a - lone are ho - ly; You on - ly are the Lord.



Good-will from God in heav - en Pro - claimed at Je - sus' birth!  
O Lamb of God, our Sav - ior, You take our sins a - way.  
For - ev - er and for - ev - er, Be wor - shiped and a - dored;



We praise and bless You, Fa - ther; Your ho - ly name, we sing—  
Have mer - cy on us, Je - sus; Re - ceive our heart - felt cry,  
You with the Ho - ly Spir - it A - lone are Lord Most High,



Our thanks for Your great glo - ry, Lord God, our heav'n - ly King.  
Where You in pow'r are seat - ed At God's right hand on high—  
In God the Fa - ther's glo - ry. "A - men!" our glad re - ply.

## SALUTATION and COLLECT OF THE DAY

**P** The Lord be with you.

**C** And also with you.

**P** Let us pray.

Almighty and everlasting God, who governs all things in heaven and on earth, mercifully hear the prayers of Your people and grant us Your peace through all our days; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

**C Amen.**

*(Please be seated)*

**(8:00 AM) CHOIR ANTHEM** "O That I Had a Thousand Voices"

✠ **WORD** ✠

**PSALM**

*Psalm 40:1–11; antiphon: v. 3*

*(Congregation speaks the lines in **bold** responsively)*

I waited patiently for the LORD;  
he inclined to me and heard my cry.

**He drew me up from the pit of destruction,  
out of the miry bog,  
and set my feet upon a rock,  
making my steps secure.**

He put a new song in my mouth,  
a song of praise to our God.

Many will see and fear,  
and put their trust in the LORD.

**Blessed is the man who makes  
the LORD his trust,  
who does not turn to the proud,  
to those who go astray after a lie!**

You have multiplied, O LORD my God,  
your wondrous deeds and your thoughts toward us;  
none can compare with you!

I will proclaim and tell of them,  
yet they are more than can be told.

**Sacrifice and offering you have not desired,  
but you have given me an open ear.**

**Burnt offering and sin offering  
you have not required.**

Then I said, "Behold, I have come;  
in the scroll of the book it is written of me:

**I desire to do your will, O my God;  
your law is within my heart."**

I have told the glad news of deliverance  
in the great congregation;  
behold, I have not restrained my lips,  
as you know, O LORD.

**I have not hidden your deliverance within my heart;  
I have spoken of your faithfulness and your salvation;  
I have not concealed your steadfast love and your faithfulness  
from the great congregation.**

As for you, O LORD, you will not restrain  
your mercy from me;  
your steadfast love and your faithfulness will  
ever preserve me!

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

## **OLD TESTAMENT READING**

*Isaiah 49:1-7*

Listen to me, O coastlands,  
and give attention, you peoples from afar.  
The LORD called me from the womb,  
from the body of my mother he named my name.  
He made my mouth like a sharp sword;  
in the shadow of his hand he hid me;  
he made me a polished arrow;  
in his quiver he hid me away.

And he said to me, "You are my servant,  
Israel, in whom I will be glorified."  
But I said, "I have labored in vain;  
I have spent my strength for nothing and vanity;  
yet surely my right is with the LORD,  
and my recompense with my God."  
And now the LORD says,  
he who formed me from the womb to be his servant,  
to bring Jacob back to him;  
and that Israel might be gathered to him—  
for I am honored in the eyes of the LORD,  
and my God has become my strength—  
he says:  
"It is too light a thing that you should be my servant  
to raise up the tribes of Jacob  
and to bring back the preserved of Israel;  
I will make you as a light for the nations,  
that my salvation may reach to the end of the earth."  
Thus says the LORD,  
the Redeemer of Israel and his Holy One,  
to one deeply despised, abhorred by the nation,  
the servant of rulers:  
"Kings shall see and arise;  
princes, and they shall prostrate themselves;  
because of the LORD, who is faithful,  
the Holy One of Israel, who has chosen you."

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

**C** **Thanks be to God.**

## **EPISTLE READING**

*1 Corinthians 1:1–9*

Paul, called by the will of God to be an apostle of Christ Jesus, and our brother Sosthenes,

To the church of God that is in Corinth, to those sanctified in Christ Jesus, called to be saints together with all those who in every place call upon the name of our Lord Jesus Christ, both their Lord and ours:

Grace to you and peace from God our Father and the Lord Jesus Christ.

I give thanks to my God always for you because of the grace of God that was given you in Christ Jesus, that in every way you were enriched in him in all speech and all knowledge—even as the testimony about Christ was confirmed among you—so that you are not lacking in any spiritual gift, as you wait for the revealing of our Lord Jesus Christ, who will sustain you to the end, guiltless in the day of our Lord Jesus Christ. God is faithful, by whom you were called into the fellowship of his Son, Jesus Christ our Lord.

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

**C** **Thanks be to God.**

*(Please rise)*

### ALLELUIA and VERSE

*LSB 205*



**C** Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia.



**C** These things are writ - ten that you may be - lieve that



Je - sus is the Christ, the Son of God.



**C** Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia.

### HOLY GOSPEL

*John 1:35–51*

**P** The Holy Gospel according to St. John, the first chapter.

**C** **Glory to You, O Lord.**

The next day again John was standing with two of his disciples, and he looked at Jesus as he walked by and said, "Behold, the Lamb of God!" The two disciples heard him say this, and they followed Jesus. Jesus turned and saw them following and said to them, "What are you seeking?" And they said to him, "Rabbi" (which means Teacher), "where are you staying?" He said to them, "Come and you will see." So they came and saw where he was staying, and they stayed with him that day, for it was about the tenth hour. One of the two who heard John speak and followed Jesus was Andrew, Simon Peter's brother. He first found his own brother Simon and said to him, "We have found the Messiah" (which means Christ). He brought him to Jesus. Jesus looked at him and said, "So you are Simon the son of John? You shall be called Cephas" (which means Peter).

The next day Jesus decided to go to Galilee. He found Philip and said to him, "Follow me." Now Philip was from Bethsaida, the city of Andrew and Peter. Philip found Nathanael and said to him, "We have found him of whom Moses in the Law and also the prophets wrote, Jesus of Nazareth, the son of Joseph." Nathanael said to him, "Can anything good come out of Nazareth?" Philip said to him, "Come and see." Jesus saw Nathanael coming toward him and said of him, "Behold, an Israelite indeed, in whom there is no deceit!" Nathanael said to him, "How do you know me?" Jesus answered him, "Before Philip called you, when you were under the fig tree, I saw you." Nathanael answered him, "Rabbi, you are the Son of God! You are the King of Israel!" Jesus answered him, "Because I said to you, 'I saw you under the fig tree,' do you believe? You will see greater things than these." And he said to him, "Truly, truly, I say to you, you will see heaven opened, and the angels of God ascending and descending on the Son of Man."

**P** This is the Gospel of the Lord.

**C** **Praise to You, O Christ.**

*(Please be seated)*



## CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

HYMN

Rise, Shine, You People

LSB 825

SERMON

"A Eureka Moment"

Text: John 1:35-51

*(Please rise)*

APOSTLES' CREED

*(Hymnal – Inside Back Cover)*

PRESENTATION OF OUR OFFERINGS TO THE LORD

*(As our offerings are brought forward, we sing the Offertory)*

OFFERTORY

LSB 192



Cre-ate in me a clean heart, O God, and re -  
new a right spir - it with - in me. Cast me not a -  
way from Thy pres-ence, and take not Thy Ho - ly Spir - it  
from me. Re - store un - to me the joy of Thy sal - va -  
tion, and up - hold me with Thy free spir-it. A - men.

PRAYER OF THE CHURCH

*(At the conclusion of each petition, congregation responds "hear our prayer")*

LORD'S PRAYER

*(Hymnal – Inside Back Cover)*

BENEDICAMUS

LSB 212

**P** Let us bless the Lord.

**C** Thanks be to God.

## **BENEDICTION**

*LSB 212*

**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.**

*(Please be seated)*

## **HYMN                      Forth in the Peace of Christ We Go**

**LSB 920**

**(10:30 AM) POSTLUDE**

"Go, Tell It on the Mountain"

*Bell Choir*

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## **SERVING IN OUR WORSHIP SERVICE TODAY**

**Preacher:** Rev. Gregg Stanton

**Organist/ Music Director:** Kim Woller

**Choirs:** (8:00 AM) Adult Choir  
(10:30 AM) Bell Choir

**Lay Readers:** (7:00 PM) Duane Graf  
(8:00 AM) Floyd Wondisford  
(10:30 AM) Sean Malone

**Elders:** (7:00 PM) Chuck Boie, Jeff Driessen & Lee Roloff  
(8:00 AM) Jack Welter  
(10:30 AM) Jerry Sutton

**Ushers:** (7:00 PM) Team 7 – Jeff Driessen Team  
(8:00 AM) Team 3 – Floyd Wondisford Team  
(10:30 AM) Team 4 – Jeff Hurlbut Team

**Acolytes:** (8:00 AM) Sam Jagielski  
(10:30 AM)

**Fellowship Snacks provided by:** The Steinhaus Family

## Upcoming Festival and Midweek Lenten Services

**Transfiguration** ~ *Thursday, February 16– 7:00 PM*

*Sunday, February 19 – 8:00 AM & 10:30 AM*

### Upcoming Lenten Midweek Services – Please note:

All Wednesday evening services will be held at 6:30 PM

All Thursday & Friday evening services will be held at 7:00 PM

### Midweek Lenten Service Schedule:

**Ash Wednesday** ~ *Wednesday, February 22 – 11:00 AM & 6:30 PM*

#### Midweek Lent Services

**Wednesday, March 1** –

*11:00 AM & 6:30 PM*

**Wednesday, March 8** –

*11:00 AM & 6:30 PM*

**Wednesday, March 15** –

*11:00 AM & 6:30 PM*

**Wednesday, March 22** –

*11:00 AM & 6:30 PM*

**Wednesday, March 29** –

*11:00 AM & 6:30 PM*



**Palm Thursday/Sunday** ~ *Thursday, March 30 – 7:00 PM*

*Sunday, April 2 – 8:00 AM & 10:30 AM*

**Maundy Thursday** ~ *Thursday, April 6 – 11:00 AM & 7:00 PM*

**Good Friday** ~ *Friday, April 7 – 1:00 PM & 7:00 PM*

### The Resurrection of Our Lord (Easter) ~

*Sunday, April 9 – 6:00 AM, 8:00 AM & 10:30 AM*