

## Wednesday, February 7<sup>th</sup>, 2024

### Welcome & Announcements

#### \*Opening Hymn

“Gather Us In”

ELW 532

1. Here in this place the new light is streaming, now is the darkness vanished away; see in this space our fears and our dreamings brought here to you in the light of this day. Gather us in, the lost and forsaken, gather us in, the blind and the lame; call to us now, and we shall awaken, we shall arise a the sound of our name.
2. We are the young, our lives are a myst'ry, we are the old who yearn for your face; we have been sung throughout all of hist'ry, called to be light to the whole human race. Gather us in, the rich and the haughty, gather us in, the proud and the strong; give us a heart, so meek and so lowly, give us the courage to enter the song.
3. Here we will take the wine and the water, here we will take the bread of new birth, here you shall call your sons and your daughters, call us anew to be salt for the earth. Give us to drink the wine of compassion, give us to eat the bread that is you; nourish us well, and teach us to fashion lives that are holy and hearts that are true.
4. Not in the dark of buildings confining, not in some heaven, light years away here in this place the new light is shining, now is the kingdom, and now is the day. Gather us in and hold us forever, gather us in and make us your own; gather us in, all peoples together, fire of love in our flesh and our bone.

#### \*Greeting

P: The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit, be with you all. C: And also with you.

#### \*Prayer of the Day:

P: Let us pray together,

C: Everlasting God, you give strength to the weak and power to the faint. Make us agents of your healing and wholeness, that your good news may be made known to the ends of your creation, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. Amen.

#### \*Holy Gospel: Mark 1:29-39

As soon as they left the synagogue, they entered the house of Simon and Andrew, with James and John. Now Simon's mother-in-law was in bed with a fever, and they told him about her at once. He came and took her by the hand and lifted her up. Then the fever left her, and she began to serve them. That evening, at sundown, they brought to him all who were sick or possessed with demons. And the whole city was gathered around the door. And he cured many who were sick with various diseases, and cast out many demons; and he would not permit the demons to speak, because they knew him. In the morning, while it was still very dark, he got up and went out to a deserted place, and there he prayed. And Simon and his companions hunted for him. When they found him, they said to him, "Everyone is searching for you." He answered, "Let us go on to the neighboring towns, so that I may proclaim the message there also; for that is what I came out to do." And he went throughout Galilee, proclaiming the message in their synagogues and casting out demons.

#### Sermon

Pastor Brad

#### \*The Apostle's Creed

I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth. I believe in Jesus Christ, his 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.

\*The Prayers: Each petition ends with: P: Lord, in your mercy, C: Hear our prayer.

#### \*The Peace:

P: The peace of the Lord be with you always. C: And also with you.

*We invite you to share the peace in the manner you are most comfortable with. Please respect others during this time, knowing that someone may not be comfortable sharing the peace with you in the same manner.*

## Offering

### \*The Words of Institution

#### \*The Lord's Prayer:

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.

### Distribution of Communion

### Post-Communion Blessing & Prayer

#### \*Benediction and Sending

P: May the Lord bless you and keep you. May the Lord's face shine upon you and be gracious to you. May the Lord look upon your with favor and give you peace, in the name of the Father and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit. C: Amen. P: Go in peace to love and serve the Lord. C: THANKS BE TO GOD!

### Closing Hymn

"You are Mine"

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1. "I will come to you in the silence, I will lift you from all your fear. You will hear my voice, I claim you as my choice. Be still and know I am here. Do not be afraid, I am with you. I have called you each by name. Come and follow me, I will bring you home; I love you and you are mine."
2. "I am hope for all who are hopeless, I am eyes for all who long to see. In the shadows of the night, I will be your light. Come and rest in me. Do not be afraid, I am with you. I have called you each by name. Come and follow me, I will bring you home; I love you and you are mine."
3. "I am strength for all the despairing, healing for the ones who dwell in shame. All the blind will see, the lame will all run free, and all will know my name. Do not be afraid, I am with you. I have called you each by name. Come and follow me, I will bring you home; I love you and you are mine."
4. "I am the Word that leads all to freedom, I am the peace the world cannot give. I will call your name, embracing all your pain. Stand up, now walk and live! Do not be afraid, I am with you. I have called you each by name. Come and follow me, I will bring you home; I love you and you are mine."

### Postlude

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

February Crew Dates are the 7<sup>th</sup> and 21<sup>st</sup> from 3:30-5:00 pm. All third-six graders are welcome!

First Communion Students are: Henry Arnold, Remington Dean, Charlie Gretzlock, Adelyn Jeske, Brielle Jeske, Mya Knutson, Ellery Pelzel, Kendall Prochnow, Myla Middlestadt, Ella Schauer, and Hudsyn Dachel

Ash Wednesday, Feb 14<sup>th</sup> We will be having worship at Noon and 6:30 pm . Both will have ashes and communion. Confirmation Youth will be serving a baked potato bar meal at 5:30pm.

Lent Schedule: Wednesday, Feb 21: Soup Meal 5:30, Service 6:30 pm "Belonging". Wednesday, Feb 28: Spaghetti meal 5:30, Service 6:30 pm "Purpose". Wednesday, March 6: Brats and hotdog meal 5:30, Service 6:30 pm "Strength". Wednesday, March 13: Taco Bar 5:30, Service 6:30 pm "Hope". Wednesday, March 20: Soup meal 5:30, Service 6:30 pm "Grace". All services will use the Holden Evening Prayer version.

### Serving Our Lord and Church

Pastor: Bradley K. Peterson

Parish Manager: Andrea McVeigh

Organists: Ginny Waller, Lee Peshaw

Reader: Kathy Hanson

Ministers: All Baptized Believers

Ushers: Steve Stark, Dick Stark, Pat Gretzlock

Altar Guild: Gail Stark & Norma Stark

Fellowship: Brett Schlosser & Arianny Steies

### Schedule For The Week of Feb 4-11

Sunday	9:00am	Worship w/Holy Communion
Monday	10:00am	Bible Study
Tuesday	9:00am	Quilting
Wednesday	5:30pm	8th grade Confirmation
	6:30pm	Worship Service
Thursday	10:00am	Card Club
Sunday	9:00am	Worship w/Holy Communion

### Our Prayer Concerns

Carol Erickson	Saul Hedlund	Gary Gilbertson	Dick Clack	Tim Bird
Leona Steies	Kayden Ebensperger	Shannon Bauer	Amy Frieburg	
Jennifer Marlett	Brad Stevens	Ben Schlosser	Shirley Middlestadt	
Randee Mayer	Beverlye Thompson	Lynda Swenson	Kasen Iverson	
Willard Tronrud	Tom Lohfink	Gaylan Nerison	Lynda Bird	
Jeanna Hollister	Ashley Behling	Brian Moll	Jessica Larson	

### Weekly Devotions

Sunday: Luke 7:31-35

Wednesday: Luke 8:4-8

Saturday: Luke 8:19-25

Monday: Luke 7:36-50

Thursday: Luke 8:9-15

Sunday: Luke 8:26-31

Tuesday: Luke 8:1-3

Friday: Luke 8:16-18

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