

**Messiah Lutheran Church**  
**The Lutheran Church-Missouri Synod**



**Second Sunday after Epiphany**

**January 19, 2020**

**Divine Service I**

# Messiah Lutheran Church

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**VISITORS WELCOME!** A special welcome to any visitors and guests who are with us today. Please introduce yourself to the pastor after the service, and we pray that the hearing and receiving of the Word of God in our midst will be filled with joy and thanksgiving!

**ATTENDANCE REGISTER:** During the offering we ask that you sign the attendance register located at the center aisle of each pew. **Please hand the filled in sheet to the usher as you exit at the end of the service.**

**HOLY COMMUNION** is celebrated every Sunday and on Feast Days. Visiting communicant members of the Lutheran Church—Missouri Synod are invited to commune today. All other visitors are asked to speak with the pastor before coming to the altar. If there is time before the service, introduce yourself to the pastor or an elder. Other visitors are invited to use this time for prayer. If you desire information about attending communion, you are encouraged to visit with the pastor after the service today.

**PRAYERS OF PREPARATION** are found in the cover of the hymnals. Take some time before the service begins in quiet preparation and prayer.

**+SERVING TODAY+**

**Greeter:** Donna Boyd

**Elder:** Jim Vescova

**Organist:** Monica Scholz

**Ushers:** Mark Mielke, Scott Tobalsky, & Mark Bernhardt

**Altar Guild:** Kris Kochman and Bonnie Griepentrog

**Altar Flowers:** Today's flowers are provided by Bob & Evone Hagerman.

**Fellowship:** Today's treats are provided by Steve & Sarah Billings.





His body, and is Himself its Savior. <sup>24</sup>Now as the church submits to Christ, so also wives should submit in everything to their husbands.

<sup>25</sup>Husbands, love your wives, as Christ loved the church and gave Himself up for her, <sup>26</sup>that He might sanctify her, having cleansed her by the washing of water with the word, <sup>27</sup>so that He might present the church to Himself in splendor, without spot or wrinkle or any such thing, that she might be holy and without blemish. <sup>28</sup>In the same way husbands should love their wives as their own bodies. He who loves his wife loves himself. <sup>29</sup>For no one ever hated his own flesh, but nourishes and cherishes it, just as Christ does the church, <sup>30</sup>because we are members of His body. <sup>31</sup>“Therefore a man shall leave his father and mother and hold fast to his wife, and the two shall become one flesh.” <sup>32</sup>This mystery is profound, and I am saying that it refers to Christ and the church. <sup>33</sup>However, let each one of you love his wife as himself, and let the wife see that she respects her husband.

*Stand*

## **Alleluia and Verse**

*p156*

## **Holy Gospel**

*John 2:1–11*

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

<sup>6</sup>Now there were six stone water jars there for the Jewish rites of purification, each holding twenty or thirty gallons. <sup>7</sup>Jesus said to the servants, “Fill the jars with water.” And they filled them up to the brim. <sup>8</sup>And He said to them, “Now draw some out and take it to the master of the feast.” So they took it. <sup>9</sup>When 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 <sup>10</sup>and 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.” <sup>11</sup>This, the first of His signs, Jesus did at Cana in Galilee, and manifested His glory. And His disciples believed in him.

*Sit*

## **The Only Son from Heaven**

*LSB 402*

**Sermon**

*Stand*

**Nicene Creed**

*p158*

**Prayer of the Church**

*Sit*

**Offering**

*Stand*

**Offertory**

*p159*

**+SERVICE OF THE SACRAMENT+**

**Preface**

*p160*

**Sanctus**

*p161*

**Prayer of Thanksgiving**

**Lord's Prayer**

*p162*

**The Words of Our Lord**

**Pax Domini**

*p163*

**Agnus Dei**

*Sit*

**Distribution**

*Lord, When You Came as Welcome Guest*

*LSB 859*

*Songs of Thankfulness and Praise*

*LSB 394*

*I Love Your Kingdom, Lord*

*LSB 651*

*Holy, Holy, Holy*

*LSB 507*

*Stand*

**Nunc Dimittis**

*p165*

**Post-Communion Collect**

*p166*

**Benediction**

*Jesus Has Come and Brings Pleasure*

*LSB 533, MLC Choir v. 2*

**+VDM A+**

**Verbum Domini Manet in Aeternum  
The Word of the Lord endures forever**

### +PRAYER LIST+

- ✘ Those who serve in our armed forces: Austin Nehls, Michael Shafer, Rev. Lynn Christensen, Kevin Boyd, Rianon Padro, Sean Gleason, Dan Bruins, and for veterans.
- ✘ For all those suffering from illnesses or other trials, including: Thomas Kotenko (colleague of Jeff Zuehls), Mary Jens (Kathy Capriotti's sister), Vince Cozin (cousin of Jeff Vallis), Tina & Larry (friends of Sandra Babel), Henry Buehrens, Ken Krause and Steve Matthews (friends of Anita Brothers), Marcin Rosinski (friend of Bev Murakami), Ally Capriotti (Angela Pynaker's daughter-in-law), Bob Hagerman, Betty Boness, Alberta Helmke, Jonah Johnson (Casey Blair's cousin), Sean Esser (relative of John Winter), and our member on hospice: George Metallo.

### +ANNOUNCEMENTS FOR THE WEEK OF JANUARY 19<sup>TH</sup>+

- ✘ **RUSSIAN BISHOP VISIT:** Thank you to all of you who attended last week's Vespers service with Bishop Lytkin and provided a nice meal for him and all of our guests. Thank you also for your financial support of the Siberian Lutheran Church – we collected \$1,192 to aid them in their ministry.
- ✘ **VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITY:** Starting in February, we have the opportunity to serve the Shalom Soup Kitchen once a month. A sign-up sheet will be posted in the hallway each month. Please see Donna Boyd with any questions.
- ✘ **ALTAR GUILD MEETING** will be Saturday, February 1<sup>st</sup> at 9:00 am.
- ✘ **HIGHER THINGS RETREAT** in Sheboygan will be February 14-16. Greg Grenyo and Kate Tobalsky are chaperoning. The registration fees for students are being generously provided. Please see Greg Grenyo to register.
- ✘ **PREMIER CONFERENCE FOR LUTHERAN LAITY:** You're invited to attend the Issues, Etc. "Making the Case" Conference Friday, June 12 and Saturday, June 13 at Concordia University Chicago. Speakers include Mark & Mollie Hemingway, Will Weedon, Albert Mohler, Robert George, Hans Fiene, and Bryan Wolfmueller. Early bird registration is \$135 and includes three meals. For more information, visit [issuesetc.org](http://issuesetc.org) or call (618) 223-8385.

**+CONTRIBUTIONS+**

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| Budgeted Lord's Work Needed Weekly: | \$4,460 |
| Lord's Work Received 1/12-1/18:     | 3,722   |
| Difference Received vs. Needed:     | -738    |
| Difference Received vs. Needed YTD: | -153    |

**ATTENDANCE** 1/12: 131

Communed: 106

**BIRTHDAYS**

1/21 Eric Davidson  
1/24 Hannah Davidson

1/24

**ANNIVERSARIES**

Vernon & Lynda Koch (60 years)  
Jeremy & Lynn Gerlach (21 years)