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Divine Service I

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

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. **Please turn off and put away all electronic devices during the service.**

+SERVING TODAY+

Elder: TBD

Ushers: Mark Mielke & Roger Jeschke

Greeter: Mike Martin

Organist: Monica Scholz

Altar Guild: Bonnie Griepentrog & Cara Zietz

Fellowship: Louie & Kathy Capriotti

Stand

Confession and Absolution

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+SERVICE OF THE WORD+

Introit

Ps. 66:1–5, 20; antiphon: Ps. 66:4; 92:1



All the earth worships you and sings prais- | es to you;*
they sing praises | to your name.

It is good to give thanks | to the LORD,*
to sing praises to your name, | O Most High.

Shout for joy to God, | all the earth;*
sing the glory of his name; give to him | glorious praise!

Say to God, “How awesome | are your deeds!*

So great is your power that your enemies come cringing | to you.

All the earth worships you and sings prais- | es to you;*
they sing praises | to your name.”

Come and see what | God has done:*

he is awesome in his deeds toward the chil- | dren of man.

Blessèd | be God,*

because he has not rejected my prayer or removed his
steadfast | love from me!

Glory be to the Father and | to the Son*

and to the Holy | Spirit;

as it was in the be- | ginning,*

is now, and will be forever. | Amen.

All the earth worships you and sings prais- | es to you;*
they sing praises | to your name.

It is good to give thanks | to the LORD,*

to sing praises to your name, | O Most High.

Kyrie

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Gloria in Excelsis

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Salutation and Collect of the Day

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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.

Sit

Old Testament Reading

Exodus 33:12–23

¹²Moses said to the LORD, “See, you say to me, ‘Bring up this people,’ but you have not let me know whom you will send with me. Yet you have said, ‘I know you by name, and you have also found favor in my sight.’”

¹³Now therefore, if I have found favor in your sight, please show me now your ways, that I may know you in order to find favor in your sight. Consider too that this nation is your people.” ¹⁴And he said, “My presence will go with you, and I will give you rest.” ¹⁵And he said to him, “If your presence will not go with me, do not bring us up from here. ¹⁶For how shall it be known that I have found favor in your sight, I and your people? Is it not in your going with us, so that we are distinct, I and your people, from every other people on the face of the earth?”

¹⁷And the LORD said to Moses, “This very thing that you have spoken I will do, for you have found favor in my sight, and I know you by name.”

¹⁸Moses said, “Please show me your glory.” ¹⁹And he said, “I will make all my goodness pass before you and will proclaim before you my name ‘The LORD.’ And I will be gracious to whom I will be gracious, and will show mercy on whom I will show mercy. ²⁰But,” he said, “you cannot see my face, for man shall not see me and live.” ²¹And the LORD said, “Behold, there is a place by me where you shall stand on the rock, ²²and while my glory passes by I will put you in a cleft of the rock, and I will cover you with my hand until I have passed by. ²³Then I will take away my hand, and you shall see my back, but my face shall not be seen.”

Gradual

Ps. 107:20–21



**He sent out his word and | healed them,*
and delivered them from their de- | struction.
Let them thank the LORD for his | steadfast love,*
for his wondrous works to the chil- | dren of men!**

Epistle

Ephesians 5:22–33

²²Wives, submit to your own husbands, as to the Lord. ²³For the husband is the head of the wife even as Christ is the head of the church, his body, and is himself its Savior. ²⁴Now as the church submits to Christ, so also wives should submit in everything to their husbands.

²⁵Husbands, love your wives, as Christ loved the church and gave himself up for her, ²⁶that he might sanctify her, having cleansed her by the washing of water with the word, ²⁷so 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. ²⁸In the same way husbands should

love their wives as their own bodies. He who loves his wife loves himself.
²⁹For no one ever hated his own flesh, but nourishes and cherishes it, just as Christ does the church, ³⁰because we are members of his body.
³¹“Therefore a man shall leave his father and mother and hold fast to his wife, and the two shall become one flesh.” ³²This mystery is profound, and I am saying that it refers to Christ and the church. ³³However, let each one of you love his wife as himself, and let the wife see that she respects her husband.

Stand

Alleluia and Verse

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Holy Gospel

John 2:1–11

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.

Sit

The Only Son from Heaven

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Sermon

Stand

Nicene Creed

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+SERVICE OF THE SACRAMENT+

Stand

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Distribution

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Lord, When You Came as Welcome Guest *LSB 859*

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Jesus Has Come and Brings Pleasure *LSB 533*

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Benediction

Christ Is the World's Redeemer *LSB 539*

+VDMA+

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

+PRAYER LIST+

- ✘ Those who serve in our armed forces: Austin Nehls, Rev. Lynn Christensen, Rianon Padro, Rick Zuehls, and for veterans.
- ✘ For all those suffering from illnesses or other trials, including: David Kristopeit (brother-in-law of Linda Polcin), Henry Handschke (brother-in-law of Mary Jo Jiter), Herb Knautz (relative of Angela Pynaker), Donna Primuth, Marilyn Thornburgh, James Von Dissen (nephew of Marilyn Dissen), Rylie Snodgrass, Fran Kroll, Hannah Basquez (granddaughter of Jim & Kathy Vescova), Allison Heiman (granddaughter of Jane Gundlach), Vern and Judy Stern (relatives of Jane Gundlach), Jim Tomsheck (brother of John Tomsheck), Wendell Zirbel (brother-in-law of Mary Sandberg), and Nancy Davenport (aunt of Cara Zietz).

+ANNOUNCEMENTS FOR THE WEEK OF JANUARY 16th+

- ✘ **HOME BLESSING:** We have celebrated the Feast of the Epiphany of our Lord, which begins the season of Epiphany (which has four Sundays this year and ends with the Feast of the Transfiguration of our Lord on February 6). The blessing of homes is a traditional part of the Epiphany season, as the Magi visited the home of the Christ Child, so we invite the blessing of Christ to our homes during this season. Part of the traditional rite of home blessing is the "chalking of the door," during which the pastor writes, with chalk, over the front door "20 + C + M + B + 22." The 20 and 22 are the current year, the + symbols are crosses for Christ, and the C, M, & B stand for Christus Mansionem Benedicat, which means May Christ Bless This House. C, M, & B are also the initials of the Wise Men (Caspar, Melchior, & Balthazar), celebrated in the church on Epiphany. Pastor would be happy to schedule a home blessing with you if you are interested during the Epiphany season.
- ✘ **CHOIR PRACTICE** has been cancelled for the remainder of the month.
- ✘ **FOOD PANTRY:** Please bring food donations next Sunday as they are delivered to the Shalom Center at the end of the month. Thank you for your generosity to our community.
- ✘ **HIGHER THINGS RETREAT** in Sheboygan will be February 18-20. The registration fees for students are being generously provided. If your teen would like to attend, please see Greg Grenyo to register before January 20th.
- ✘ **COOKIES:** We are in need of people to serve cookies and juice during fellowship time on Sundays. Please sign up on the sheet on the bulletin board outside the kitchen.

- ✘ **LIFE GATHERING STAND:** Wisconsin Right to Life invites you to stand together for an hour on the corner of 75th St. and 39th Ave. holding positive pro-life signs while praying on Saturday, January 22nd at 11 am. Family-friendly signs will be provided that share the message that God is the Giver of Life and we need to honor all life from conception to natural death.

+CONTRIBUTIONS+

Budgeted Lord's Work Needed Weekly:	\$4,653
Lord's Work Received 1/9-1/15:	3,203
Difference Received vs. Needed:	-1,450
Difference Received vs. Needed YTD:	-996
Mortgage Balance as of 12/31/2021:	57,625

ATTENDANCE 1/9: 110

BIRTHDAYS

1/17 Sandra Babel
 Evone Hagerman
 1/21 Eric Davidson

BAPTISM BIRTHDAYS

1/16 Mike McConville

ANNIVERSARIES

1/17 Paul & Mary Rusch (52 years)

+JANUARY EVENTS AT MESSIAH+

Tuesday	Jan. 18	6:00 pm	Parish Planning Meeting
		7:00 pm	SLC Meeting