

John 2:1-11
January 16, 2022

2nd Sunday of Epiphany

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Time After Epiphany

The Sundays after Epiphany continue to celebrate the revelation of God's glory to us as it was made known to the magi and to those on Jordan's banks at Jesus' baptism—today using wedding imagery. Our God rejoices over God's people as those being married rejoice over one another. By the power of the Spirit there are gifts galore for everyone. In Christ Jesus the best wine is saved for last. Taste and see.

PRELUDE

GATHERING

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS

Please stand as you are able.

P Blessed be the holy Trinity, ☩ one God, who creates us, redeems us, and calls us by name.

C Amen.

P Let us confess our sin in the presence of God and of one another.

Silence is kept for reflection.

P Most merciful God,

C we confess that we have sinned against you and your beloved children. We have turned our faces away from your glory when it did not appear as we expected. We have rejected your word when it made us confront ourselves. We have failed to show hospitality to those you called us to welcome. Accept our repentance for the things we have done and the things we have left undone. For the sake of Jesus Christ, have mercy on us. Forgive us and lead us, that we may bathe in the glory of your Son born among us, and reflect your love for all creation. Amen.

P Rejoice in this good news: In ☩ Christ Jesus, your sins are forgiven. You are descendants of the Most High, adopted into the household of Christ, and inheritors of eternal life. Live as freed and forgiven children of God.

C Amen.

GATHERING HYMN

The Trumpets Sound, the Angels Sing

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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.



1 The trum - pets sound, the an - gels sing, the feast is
2 Ta - bles are la - den with good things; oh, taste the
3 The hun - gry heart he sat - is - fies, of - fers the



read - y to be - gin. The gates of heav'n are o - pen wide,
peace and joy he brings. He'll fill you up with love di - vine;
poor his par - a - dise. Now hear all heav'n and earth ap - plaud



and Je - sus wel - comes you in - side.
he'll turn your wa - ter in - to wine.
the a - maz - ing good - ness of the Lord.



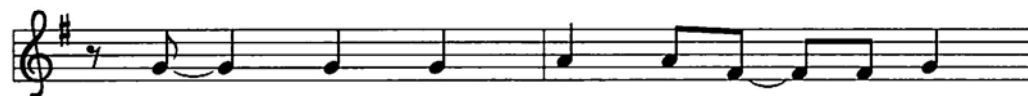
Sing with thank - ful - ness songs of pure de - light.



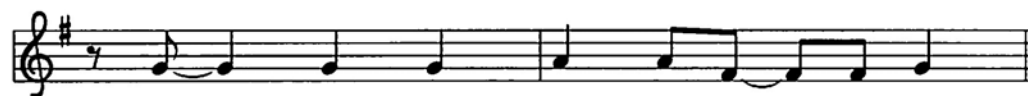
Come and rev - el in heav - en's love and light.



Take your place at the ta - ble of the King.



The feast is read - y to be - gin;



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KYRIE

Refrain



Ky-ri-e e-lei-son, on our world and on our way.



Ky-ri-e e-lei-son, ev-'ry day.

HYMN OF PRAISE

Refrain



This is the feast of vic-t'ry for our God, for the



Lamb who was slain has be-gun his reign. Al-le-lu-ia.



1 Wor-thy is Christ, the Lamb who was slain, whose blood set us free to be



peo-ple of God. Pow-er, rich-es, wis-dom, and strength, and



hon-or, bless-ing, and glo-ry are his. *Refrain* This is the feast of



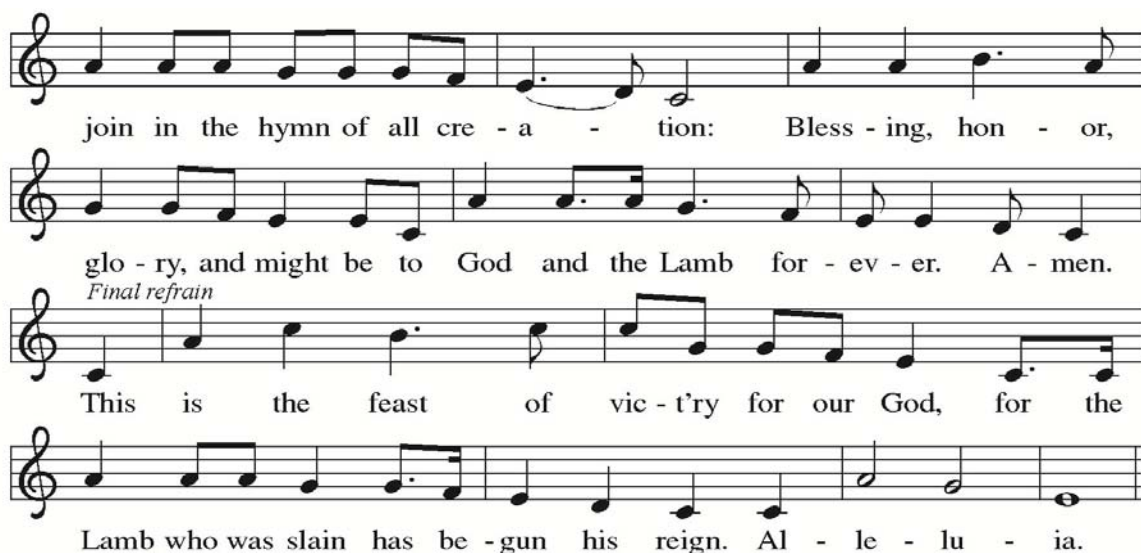
vic-t'ry for our God, for the Lamb who was slain has be-gun his reign. Al-



le-lu-ia.



2 Sing with all the peo-ple of God, and



PRAYER OF THE DAY

P The Lord be with you.

C And also with you.

P Lord God, source of every blessing, you showed forth your glory and led many to faith by the works of your Son, who brought gladness and salvation to his people. Transform us by the Spirit of his love, that we may find our life together in him, Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

C Amen.

Please be seated.

WORD

FIRST READING: ISAIAH 62:1-5

¹For Zion's sake I will not keep silent, and for Jerusalem's sake I will not rest, until her vindication shines out like the dawn, and her salvation like a burning torch.

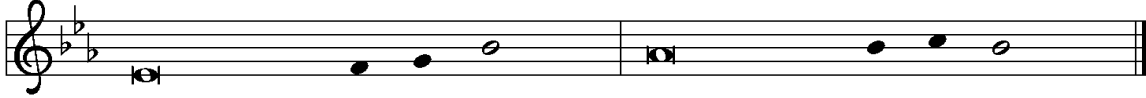
²The nations shall see your vindication, and all the kings your glory; and you shall be called by a new name that the mouth of the LORD will give. ³You shall be a crown of beauty in the hand of the LORD, and a royal diadem in the hand of your God. ⁴You shall no more be termed Forsaken, and your land 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 builder marry you, and as the bridegroom rejoices over the bride, so shall your God rejoice over you.

L The Word of the Lord.

C Thanks be to God

Psalm 36:5-10

Sung responsively



⁵Your love, O LORD, reaches | to the heavens,
and your faithfulness | to the clouds.

⁶**Your righteousness is like the strong mountains, your justice like | the
great deep;**

you save humankind and ani- | mals, O LORD.

⁷How priceless is your | love, O God!

All people take refuge under the shadow | of your wings.

⁸**They feast upon the abundance | of your house;**

you give them drink from the river of | your delights.

⁹For with you is the | well of life,
and in your light | we see light.

¹⁰**Continue your lovingkindness to | those who know you,
and your favor to those who are | true of heart.**

SECOND READING: 1ST CORINTHIANS 12:1-11

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

⁴Now there are varieties of gifts, but the same Spirit; ⁵and there are varieties of services, but the same Lord; ⁶and there are varieties of activities, but it is the same God who activates all of them 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 discernment of spirits, to another various kinds of tongues, to another the interpretation of tongues. ¹¹All these are activated by one and the same Spirit, who allots to each one individually just as the Spirit chooses.

L The Word of the Lord.

C **Thanks be to God.**

Please stand as you are able.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

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

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

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

GOSPEL: JOHN 2:1-11

¹On the third day there was a wedding in Cana of Galilee, and the mother of Jesus was there. ²Jesus and his disciples had also been invited to the wedding. ³When the wine gave out, the mother of Jesus said to him, "They have no wine." ⁴And Jesus said to her, "Woman, what concern is that to you and to me? My hour has not yet come." ⁵His mother said to the servants, "Do whatever he tells you." ⁶Now standing there were six stone water jars for the Jewish rites of purification, each holding twenty or thirty gallons. ⁷Jesus said to them, "Fill the jars with water." And they filled them up to the brim. ⁸He said to them, "Now draw some out, and take it to the chief steward." So they took it. ⁹When the steward tasted the water that had become wine, and did not know where it came from (though the servants who had drawn the water knew), the steward called the bridegroom ¹⁰and said to him, "Everyone serves the good wine first, and then the inferior wine after the guests have become drunk. But you have kept the good wine until now." ¹¹Jesus did this, the first of his signs, in Cana of Galilee, and revealed his glory; and his disciples believed in him.

P The Gospel of the Lord.

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

Please be seated.

Please stand for the final verse of the hymn.

P Let us confess our faith with the words of the Apostles' Creed.

**C I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth.
I believe in Jesus Christ, God's 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 to the dead.
On the third day he rose again; he ascended into heaven, he is seated at
the right hand of the Father, and he will come 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

A The Spirit of the Lord is poured out upon us in abundance; so we are bold to
pray for the church, the world, and all that God has made.

A brief silence.

A By your Spirit, activate within your church gifts of faith, healing, and prophecy.
Unite those who profess your name across congregations, especially Redeemer
Lutheran Church and Immanuel Lutheran Church in Salina, St. John Lutheran
Church in Bendena, and St. John Lutheran Church in Lancaster, denomina-
tions, and geographic boundaries. Open our hearts to recognize and celebrate
surprising miracles. God of grace,

C hear our prayer.

A Your creation reflects your generosity. Bless farmers, migrant farmworkers, or-
chard-keepers, ranchers, and all who tend the abundance of the land. Protect
food and water sources from destruction, that all can eat and drink and be satis-
fied. God of grace,

C hear our prayer.

A By your Spirit, grant wisdom, knowledge, and discernment to those who hold
leadership positions at any level. Direct policymakers toward compassionate
decisions that build up safe and just communities. Lead all authorities in seek-
ing and serving the common good. God of grace,

C hear our prayer.

Refrain

Now the feast and cel - e - bra - tion, all of cre - a - tion
sings for joy to the God of life and love and free-dom;
praise and glo - ry for - ev - er - more!

1 Now is the feast of the Lamb once slain, whose blood has

Refrain

freed and u - nit-ed us to be one great peo-ple of God.

2 Pow - er and rich-es, wis-dom and might, all hon - or and

Refrain

glo - ry to Christ for - ev - er.

3 For God has come to dwell with us, to make us peo-ple of

Refrain

God; to make all things new.

- A As Jesus provided generously in a moment of need, provide generous gifts of healing for those in need this day, especially Keith Springer, Peggy Buchholz, Helen Laughlin, Linda Longren, Don O'Brien, Linda Stone, Liz Utech, Susan Fitz, and Martha Nemeth. Provide abundantly for all who are hungry or thirsty, all seeking shelter, and all who seek peace. God of grace,
- C hear our prayer.**
- A We ask that you comfort the family of Eugene Berillon, especially his wife Jackie as she mourns the death of her husband. God of grace,
- C hear our prayer.**
- A You see us for who we are and you delight in us. Embrace those struggling with self-worth, wrestling with self-identity, or facing significant life transition. Remind us that nothing can separate us from your love. God of grace,
- C hear our prayer.**
- A Send blessings to Ben Carlson and Linda Longren as they celebrate their birthdays, and to Betty Quarnstrom as she remembers her baptism. God of grace,
- C hear our prayer.**
- P You bless us through the spiritual gifts of the saints who have gone before us. We give thanks for the life of Martin Luther King Jr. and all who have modeled the way of courageous faith. God of grace,
- C hear our prayer.**
- P Since we have such great hope in your promises, O God, we lift these and all of our prayers to you in confidence and faith; through Jesus Christ our Savior.
- C Amen.**

The Peace

P The peace of the Lord be with you always.

C And also with you.

Let us greet one another with God's peace. Please be seated.

PRESENTATION OF THE GIFTS

OFFERTORY

Arise, Your Light Has Come!

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OFFERTORY PRAYER

A Blessed are you, O God, Sovereign of the universe. You offer us new beginnings and guide us on our journey. Lead us to your table, nourish us with this heavenly food, and prepare us to carry your love to a hungry world, in the name of Christ our light.

C Amen.

1 A - rise, your light has come! The Spir - it's call o - bey;
 2 A - rise, your light has come! Fling wide the pris - on door;
 3 A - rise, your light has come! All you in sor - row born,
 4 A - rise, your light has come! The moun - tains burst in song!

show forth the glo - ry of your God which shines on you to - day.
 pro - claim the cap - tive's lib - er - ty, good tid - ings to the poor.
 bind up the bro - ken - heart - ed ones and com - fort those who mourn.
 Rise up like ea - gles on the wing, God's pow'r will make us strong.

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING

P The Lord be with you.

C And also with you.

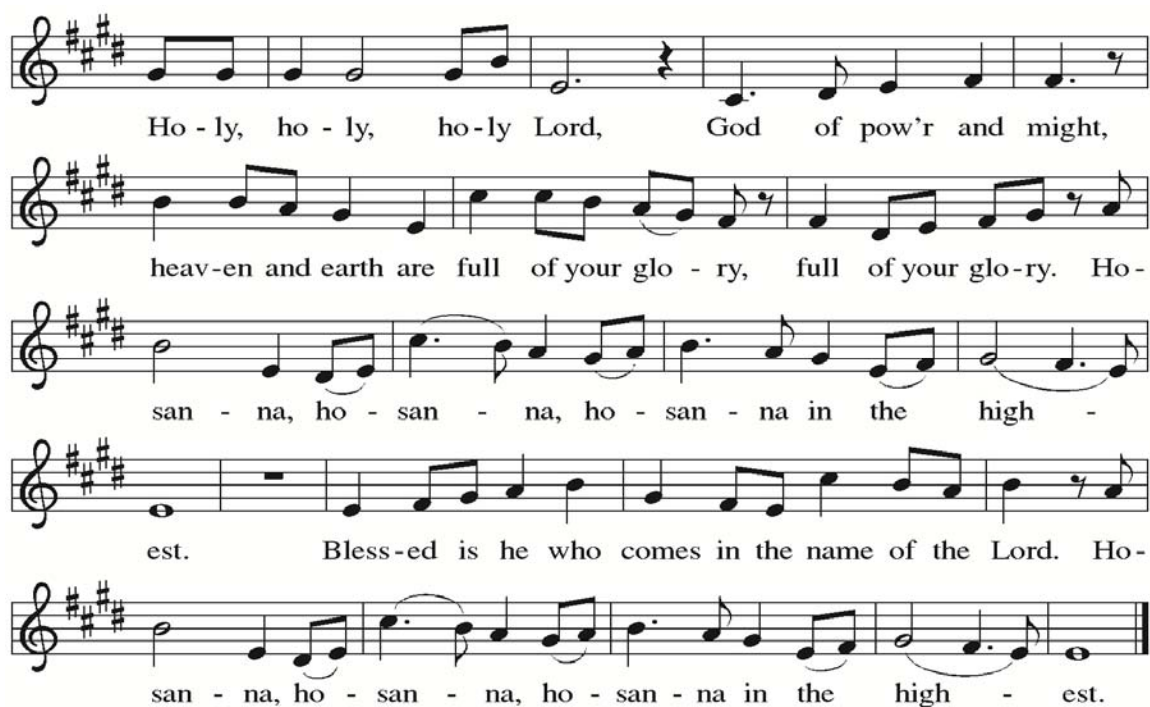
P Lift up your hearts.

C We lift them to the Lord.

P Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

C It is right to give our thanks and praise.

P It is indeed right, our duty and our joy, that we should at all times and in all places give thanks and praise to you, almighty and merciful God, through our Savior Jesus Christ. By the leading of a star he was shown forth to all nations; in the waters of the Jordan you proclaimed him your beloved Son; and in the miracle of water turned to wine he revealed your glory. And so, with all the choirs of angels, with the church on earth and the hosts of heaven, we praise your name and join their unending hymn:



EUCCHARISTIC PRAYER

P In the night in which he was betrayed, our Lord Jesus took bread, and gave thanks; broke it, and gave it to his disciples, saying: Take and eat; this is my body, given for you. Do this for the remembrance of me.

Again, after supper, he took the cup, gave thanks, and gave it for all to drink, saying: This cup is the new covenant in my blood, shed for you and for all people for the forgiveness of sin. Do this for the remembrance of me.

P With this bread and cup we remember your Word dwelling among us, full of grace and truth. We remember our new birth in his death and resurrection. We look with hope for his coming.

P For as often as we eat of this bread and drink from this cup, we proclaim the Lord's death until he comes.

C Christ has died. Christ is risen. Christ will come again.

P Therefore, O God, with this bread and cup we remember the life our Lord offered for us. And, believing the witness of his resurrection, we await his coming in power to share with us the great and promised feast.

C Amen.

THE LORD'S PRAYER

P Lord, remember us in your kingdom, and teach us to pray:

C 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.

INVITATION TO COMMUNION

P Come to God's table. There is a place for you and enough for all.

LAMB OF GOD

Lamb of God, you take a-way the sin of the world; have
mer-cy on us. Lamb of God, you take a-way the sin of the
world; have mer-cy on us. Lamb of God, you take a-way the sin of the
world; grant us peace, grant us peace, Lamb of God.

COMMUNION BLESSING

Please stand as you are able.

P The body and blood of our Lord Jesus Christ strengthen you and keep you in his grace.

C Amen.

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

A We give you thanks, gracious God, for we have feasted on the abundance of your house. Send us to bring good news and to proclaim your favor to all, strengthened with the richness of your grace in your Son, Jesus Christ.

C Amen

SENDING

BLESSING

P God, who leads you in pathways of righteousness, who rejoices over you, and who calls you by name, ☩ bless your going out and your coming in, today and forever.

C Amen.

SENDING HYMN

Songs of Thankfulness and Praise

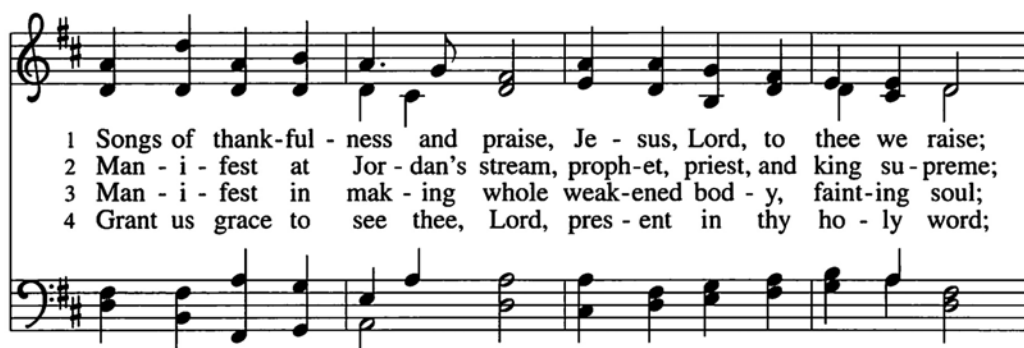
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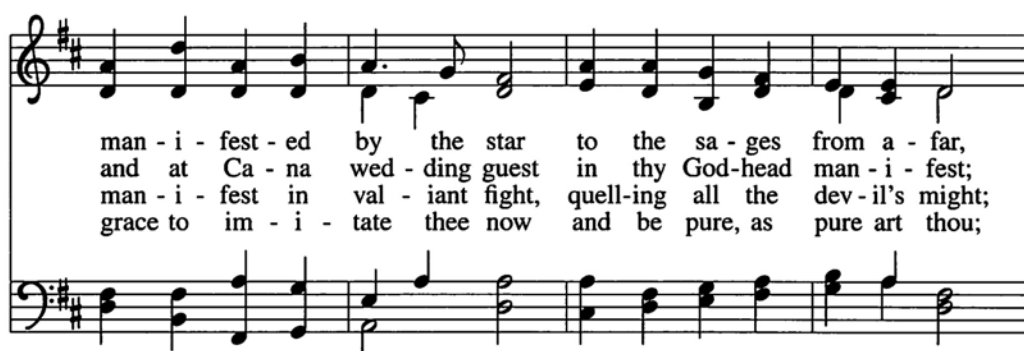
A Go with Christ into a weary world. Share the good news.

C Thanks be to God.

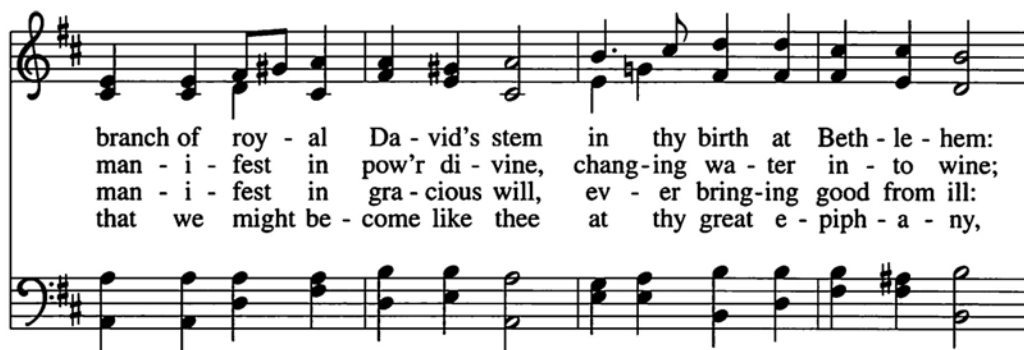
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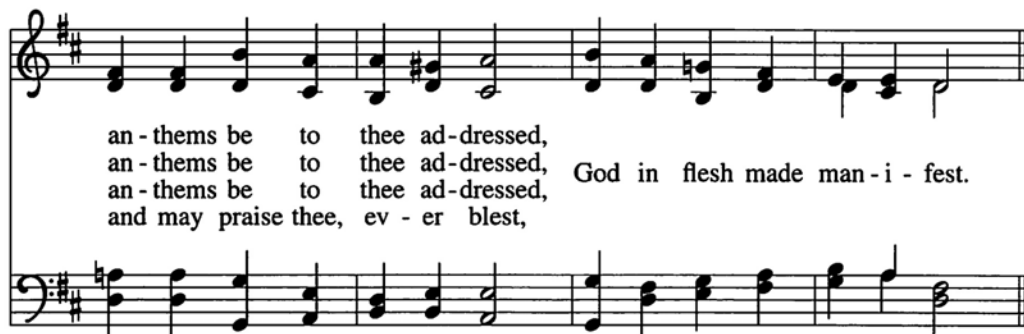
1 Songs of thank-ful - ness and praise, Je - sus, Lord, to thee we raise;
 2 Man - i - fest at Jor - dan's stream, proph-et, priest, and king su-preme;
 3 Man - i - fest in mak - ing whole weak-ened bod - y, faint-ing soul;
 4 Grant us grace to see thee, Lord, pres - ent in thy ho - ly word;



man - i - fest - ed by the star to the sa - ges from a - far,
 and at Ca - na wed - ding guest in thy God-head man - i - fest;
 man - i - fest in val - iant fight, quell-ing all the dev - il's might;
 grace to im - i - tate thee now and be pure, as pure art thou;



branch of roy - al Da - vid's stem in thy birth at Beth - le - hem:
 man - i - fest in pow'r di - vine, chang-ing wa - ter in - to wine;
 man - i - fest in gra - cious will, ev - er bring-ing good from ill:
 that we might be - come like thee at thy great e - piph - a - ny,



an - thems be to thee ad-dressed,
 an - thems be to thee ad-dressed, God in flesh made man - i - fest.
 an - thems be to thee ad-dressed,
 and may praise thee, ev - er blest,

Welcome to worship at Trinity!

Thank you for joining us for worship. We hope that you, members and visitors, found the Spirit of God in our midst.

If you are interested in becoming a member of Trinity Evangelical Lutheran Church, or have other questions, please contact the church office at 785.233.0767



Pr. Andrew will be on vacation January 13 through January 26. Upon his return, he will limit contact for several days due to travel.

Please welcome Pr. Bob Dealey as our presiding minister today. Pr. Gary Teske will be here on January 23.

Church Committee Meetings for January 2022

January 30 — Annual Meeting



UPCOMING EVENTS AT TRINITY

Today, Jan. 16 Worship & Communion..... 10:30 AM
 Tues., Jan. 11..... Quilters 9:00 AM

OFFERING, ATTENDANCE, and FINANCIAL STATUS

Date	General	Other	Total Weekly Income	Average Weekly Expense	Weekly Income Minus Average Weekly Expense	Attendance/ Communion
Dec. 24	\$525.00	\$0.00	\$525.00	-\$2,211.54	-\$1,686.54	65
Dec. 26	\$165.00	\$110.00	\$275.00	-\$2,211.54	-\$1,936.54	22
Jan. 2	----	---	\$0.00	-\$2,211.54	-\$2,211.54	0
Jan. 9	\$1,055.00	\$0.00	\$1,055.00	-\$2,211.54	-\$1,156.54	19
			Income	Expense	Behind/Ahead	
		Dec. 2021	\$10,177.23	-\$16,316.62	-\$6,139.39	
		Jan. - Dec.	\$125,095.36	-\$142,812.72	-\$17,717.36	

Remember our shut-ins!

Peggy Buchholz Keith Springer
 Marlene Hassan Naomi Walker
 Ron Owensby



Worship Assistants						
Date	Usher(s)	Musicians	Lector	Altar Guild	Assisting Minister	Presiding Minister
Jan. 16, 2022	Marcy Carlson, Duane Pomeroy	Laurie Jackson	Loni Reece	Charlotte Blenden & Team 3	Vickie Jacobs	Pr. Bob Dealey
Jan. 23, 2022	Dean McGinnis,	Laurie Jackson	Duane Pomeroy	Charlotte Blenden & Team 3	Bob Horton	Pr. Gary Teske

Doorstep currently needs the following items for our neighbors in need:

- ◆ Men's Coats – ALL Sizes
- ◆ Sneakers – Men's & Women's, ALL Sizes
- ◆ Adult Sweatpants & Sweatshirts – Men's & Women's, ALL Sizes
- ◆ Queen & King Comforters
- ◆ Men's Jeans – Waist sizes 32 & 34
- ◆ Women's Jeans – Sizes 16 & 18
- ◆ Girls Jeans – Sizes 4 – 14
- ◆ Boys Jeans – Sizes 4 – 8

Donations may be brought to Doorstep, 1119 SW 10th, south door

Mondays, Wednesdays & Fridays from 9am – 2pm.

Doorstep will be closed on Monday, January 17th for the Martin Luther King, Jr. holiday.



MEETING INFO

Our Annual Meeting is scheduled for January 30, 2022. It will take place in the sanctuary immediately following worship. The meeting will also be shared live on Facebook.

If you prefer to participate via Facebook, you will need to request the meeting materials and ballot be sent to you prior to the meeting. Please submit your request to the office by phone, 785.233.0767, or email office@topekatlc.org no later than January 23rd.

VOTING

If you choose to participate in the meeting via Facebook, **your ballot must be returned to the office before January 30. Ballots received by the office after Jan. 30 will not be counted.**

If you have questions before completing your ballot, please feel free to contact Pr. Andrew or Council President Diane Bottorff.

VOTING ITEMS

In addition to the annual report, the materials for this meeting will include one document to present plans for registering our church building as an historic site and restoration project and a second one will include information regarding our newly designed logo options and two congregational statements. These two documents will provide more detailed information regarding the items on which we will be voting so be sure to read them carefully.

Issues to Be Decided:

1. Church Leadership Positions
2. Annual Budget

Historic Preservation Plan

3. Start the process to list the sanctuary building on the Kansas Register of Historic Places

4. Approve applying for the Heritage Grant Fund as soon as we are eligible.
5. Use funds from Heritage Grant Fund to restore foundation, plaster, and paint issues within the sanctuary building.
6. Approve capital campaign for Heritage Grant Fund and Restoration. Campaign will only proceed if 20 pledges are made by end of 2022.

Public Identity Plan

7. Working name for congregation shall be "Trinity Lutheran Church"
8. Vote on which logo will represent the congregation
9. Expanded mission statement
10. Welcoming statement



The mission of
**Trinity Evangelical
 Lutheran Church**
 is to

- worship God the Father, Son, and Holy Spirit,
- serve those in need, and
- reach out to share the Good News of salvation through Jesus Christ!

Together in Community • **L**iving with Christ • **C**aring for Neighbors

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