

Our Saviour

Lutheran Church



Saturday Service

Epiphany 2

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GATHERING

Gathering Activity

We invite the congregation to share stories of their wedding or large celebration.

Welcome Song

Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing

ELW 807

with Hand Chimes (A D G)

D D A
Come, thou Fount of ev'ry blessing,
D D A D
tune my heart to sing thy grace;
D D A
streams of mercy, never ceasing,
D D A D
call for songs of loudest praise.
D D G D
While the hope of endless glory
D D G D
fills my heart with joy and love,
D D A
teach me ever to a-dore thee;
D G D A D
may I still thy goodness prove.

D D A
Here I raise my Eben-ezer:
D D A D
"Hither by thy help I've come";
D D A
and I hope, by thy good pleasure,
D D A D
safely to ar-rive at home.
D D G D
Jesus sought me when a stranger,
D D G D
wand'ring from the fold of God;
D D A
he, to rescue me from danger,
D G D A D
Inter-posed his precious blood.

D D A
Oh, to grace how great a debtor
D D A D
daily I'm con-strained to be;
D D A
let that grace now like a fetter
D D A D
bind my wand'ring heart to thee.
D D G D
Prone to wander, Lord, I feel it;
D D G D
prone to leave the God I love.
D D A
Here's my heart, oh, take and seal it;
D G D A D
seal it for thy courts above.

Confession and Forgiveness

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

Silence may be kept for reflection.

C Gracious God, we confess that we have sinned in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done and by what we have left undone. Forgive us and give us strength to turn from sin and to serve you in newness of life. Amen.

The presiding minister announces God's forgiveness.

P By water and the Holy Spirit, God gives us a new birth, and through the death and resurrection of Jesus Christ, God forgives us all our sins. Wherefore by the command of our Lord Jesus Christ and in his stead, I forgive you all your sins.

C Amen.

Sharing the Peace

P The peace of the Lord be with you always.

C And also with you.

Prayer of the Day

L Let us pray. *[A brief pause]*

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.

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.

Responsive Reading Psalm 36:5-10

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 animals, 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 1 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.

Gospel

John 2:1-11

P The holy gospel according to St. John.

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

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.**

Sermon

Song of Day

Wedding Song (There is Love)

(Please follow/hum along as Voices of Praise sings.)

He is now to be among you at the calling of your hearts.
Rest assured this troubadour is acting on His part.
The union of your spirits, here, has caused Him to remain
For whenever two or more of you are gathered in his name
There is Love. There is Love.

A man shall leave his mother and a woman leave her home,
And they shall travel on to where the two shall be as one.
As it was in the beginning is now and till the end
Woman draws her life from man and gives it back again
And there is Love. There is Love.

Well then what's to be the reason for becoming man and wife?
Is it Love that brings you here or Love that brings you life?
For if loving is the answer, then who's the giving for?
Do you believe in something that you've never seen before?
Oh there's Love, there is Love.

Oh the marriage of your spirits here has caused Him to remain
For whenever two or more of you are gathered in His name
There is Love. There is Love.

Prayers of the People

When prompted, call out names of people, places or organizations that are in need of God's care.

MEAL

Sharing Our Gifts

L Let us offer back to God what God has first given us: our selves, our time and our possessions, signs of his gracious love.

Our offerings support the work of the church in Warrenton and the world. Please pass the baskets from front to back. You may also make an offering online at www.oslc-warrenton.org by clicking the "DONATE" tab on the homepage.

Offertory Music *What Feast of Love (ELW 487)* Performed by VoP

Dialogue

The presiding minister invites the people to prayer.

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.

Thanksgiving Prayer

The minister leads a prayer of thanksgiving, recalling God's saving deeds, and calling the Holy Spirit to be present as we receive the Body and Blood of Jesus.

Lord's Prayer

P Let us pray as our Savior taught us.

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.

Sharing Holy Communion

All baptized Christians are invited to share Christ's Body. If you wish to receive Holy Communion, please come forward and stand around the altar.

Communion Song

Your Love O Lord

Sung by VoP

Prayer After Communion

L Let us pray together. *[A brief pause]*

C God for whom we wait, in this meal you give us a foretaste of that day when the hungry will be fed with good things. Send us forth to make known your deeds and to proclaim the greatness of your name, through Jesus Christ, our savior and Lord. Amen.

SENDING

Blessing

P The blessing of God, who provides for us, feeds us, and journeys with us, † be upon you now and forever.

C Amen.

Sending Song

The Trumpets Sound, the Angels Sing *with Hand Chimes (A C D G)*

ELW 531

The trumpets sound, the angels sing,
the feast is ready to begin.

The gates of heav'n are open wide,
And Jesus welcomes you inside.

(Refrain)

Tables are laden with good things;
Oh, taste the peace and joy he brings.
He'll fill you up with love divine;
He'll turn your water into wine.

(Refrain)

The hungry heart he satisfies,
Offers the poor his paradise.
Now hear all heav'n and earth
applaud
The amazing goodness of the Lord.

(Refrain)

Refrain:

Sing with thankfulness

D C G
songs of pure de-light.

Come and revel in
A D G
heaven's love and light.

Take your place at the
D C G
table of the King.

A D G
The feast is ready to begin;
A D G
the feast is ready to begin.

Dismissal

L Go in peace to love and serve the Lord.

C Thanks be to God.

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