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To glorify God, to grow in faith, to give in service, together in Christ

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February 6, 2022
Fifth Sunday after the Epiphany
8 and 10:30 a.m. (Scout Sunday)

Rev. Nancy M. Raabe, Pastor Kevin Freaney, Minister of Music Lynn Fasick, Office Administrator Jessica Moran, Stepping Stones Director Asterisks* denote those parts of the service in which the congregation is invited to stand.

Prelude: Prayer Leon Boellman

THANKSGIVING FOR BAPTISM

In the name of the Father, and of the \pm Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

Amen.

Joined to Christ in the waters of baptism, we are clothed with God's mercy and forgiveness. Let us give thanks for the gift of baptism. We give you thanks, O God, for in the beginning your Spirit moved over the waters and by your Word you created the world, calling forth life in which you took delight.

Through the waters of the flood you delivered Noah and his family. Through the sea you led your people Israel from slavery into freedom. At the river your Son was baptized by John and anointed with the Holy Spirit. By water and your Word you claim us as daughters and sons, making us heirs of your promise and servants of all.

We praise you for the gift of water that sustains life, and above all we praise you for the gift of new life in Jesus Christ. Shower us with your Spirit, and renew our lives with your forgiveness, grace, and love. To you be given honor and praise through Jesus Christ our Lord in the unity of the Holy Spirit, now and forever.

Amen.



- 1 Ho-ly, ho-ly, ho-ly, Lord God Al-might y!
- 2 Ho-ly, ho-ly, ho-ly! All the saints a dore thee,
- 3 Ho-ly, ho-ly, ho ly! Though the dark-ness hide thee, 4 Ho-ly, ho-ly, ho - ly! Lord God Al-might - y!



ing our song shall rise Ear - ly the morn thee. in to cast - ing down their gold - en crowns a - round the glass - y sea; though the eye of sin - ful - ness thy glo - ry may not see, thy works shall praise thy name in earth and All sky and sea.



Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly, cher - u - bim and ser - a - phim on - ly thou art ho - ly; Ho - ly, ho - ly,

mer - ci - ful and might - y! fall - ing down be - fore thee, there is none be - side thee, mer - ci - ful and might - y!



God in three per sons, which wert and art, and fect in pow'r, in per God in three per sons,

bless - ed Trin - i - ty! ev - er - more shalt be. love and pu - ri - ty. bless - ed Trin - i - ty!

Text: Reginald Heber, 1783–1826, alt. Music: NICAEA, John B. Dykes, 1823–1876

*Greeting

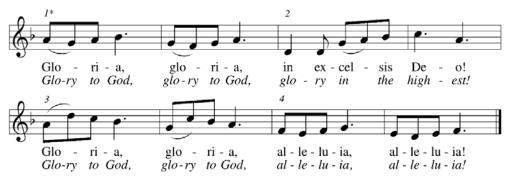
The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

And also with you.

*Hymn of Praise: Gloria (Taizé)

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Sung twice



*Prayer of the Day

Most holy God, the earth is filled with your glory, and before you angels and saints stand in awe. Enlarge our vision to see your power at work in the world, and by your grace make us heralds of your Son, Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

Amen.

WORD

First Reading: Isaiah 6:1-8 [9-13]

¹In the year that King Uzziah died, I saw the Lord sitting on a throne, high and lofty; and the hem of his robe filled the temple. ²Seraphs were in attendance above him; each had six wings: with two they covered their faces, and with two they covered their feet, and with two they flew. ³And one called to another and said:

"Holy, holy, holy is the LORD of hosts;

the whole earth is full of his glory."

⁴The pivots on the thresholds shook at the voices of those who called, and the house filled with smoke. ⁵And I said: "Woe is me! I am lost, for I am a man of unclean lips,

and I live among a people of unclean lips; yet my eyes have seen the King, the LORD of hosts!"

⁶Then one of the seraphs flew to me, holding a live coal that had been taken from the altar with a pair of tongs. ⁷The seraph touched my mouth with it and said: "Now that this has touched your lips, your guilt has departed and your sin is blotted out." ⁸Then I heard the voice of the Lord saying, "Whom shall I send, and who will go for us?" And I said, "Here am I; send me!" [⁹And he said, "Go and say to this people:

'Keep listening, but do not comprehend; keep looking, but do not understand.' ¹⁰Make the mind of this people dull, and stop their ears, and shut their eyes, so that they may not look with their eyes, and listen with their ears, and comprehend with their minds, and turn and be healed." ¹¹Then I said, "How long, O Lord?" And he said: "Until cities lie waste without inhabitant, and houses without people, and the land is utterly desolate; ¹²until the LORD sends everyone far away, and vast is the emptiness in the midst of the land. ¹³Even if a tenth part remain in it, it will be burned again, like a terebinth or an oak whose stump remains standing when it is felled." The holy seed is its stump.

Word of God, Word of life.

Thanks be to God.

Psalm 138



¹I will give thanks to you, O LORD, with | my whole heart; before the gods I will | sing your praise.

²I will bow down toward your holy temple and praise your name, because of your steadfast | love and faithfulness;

for you have glorified your name and your word a- | bove all things. R

³When I called, you | answered me; you increased my | strength within me.

⁴All the rulers of the earth will praise | you, O LORD, when they have heard the words | of your mouth.

⁵They will sing of the ways | of the LORD, that great is the glory | of the LORD.

⁶The LORD is high, yet cares | for the lowly, perceiving the haughty | from afar. R

⁷Though I walk in the midst of trouble, you | keep me safe; you stretch forth your hand against the fury of my enemies; your right | hand shall save me.

⁸You will make good your pur- | pose for me;

O LORD, your steadfast love endures forever; do not abandon the works | of your hands. R

Psalm Prayer

Second Reading: 1 Corinthians 15:1-11

¹Now I would remind you, brothers and sisters, of the good news that I proclaimed to you, which you in turn received, in which also you stand, ²through which also you are being saved, if you hold firmly to the message that I proclaimed to you—unless you have come to believe in vain.

³For I handed on to you as of first importance what I in turn had received: that Christ died for our sins in accordance with the scriptures, ⁴and that he was buried, and that he was raised on the third day in accordance with the scriptures, ⁵and that he appeared to Cephas, then to the twelve. ⁶Then he appeared to more than five hundred brothers and sisters at one time, most of whom are still alive, though some have died. ⁷Then he appeared to James, then to all the apostles. ⁸Last of all, as to one untimely born, he appeared also to me. ⁹For I am the least of the apostles, unfit to be called an apostle, because I persecuted the church of God. ¹⁰But by the grace of God I am what I am, and his grace toward me has not been in vain. On the contrary, I worked harder than any of them—though it was not I, but the grace of God that is with me. ¹¹Whether then it was I or they, so we proclaim and so you have come to believe.

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*Gospel Acclamation



The Gospel of the Lord, according to Luke, the fifth chapter. **Glory to you, O Lord.**

Gospel: Luke 5:1-11

¹Once while Jesus was standing beside the lake of Gennesaret, and the crowd was pressing in on him to hear the word of God, ²he saw two boats there at the shore of the lake; the fishermen had gone out of them and were washing their nets. ³He got into one of the boats, the one belonging to Simon, and asked him to put out a little way from the shore. Then he sat down and taught the crowds from the boat. 4When he had finished speaking, he said to Simon, "Put out into the deep water and let down your nets for a catch." 5Simon answered, "Master, we have worked all night long but have caught nothing. Yet if you say so, I will let down the nets." 6When they had done this, they caught so many fish that their nets were beginning to break. 7So they signaled their partners in the other boat to come and help them. And they came and filled both boats, so that they began to sink. 8But when Simon Peter saw it, he fell down at Jesus' knees, saying, "Go away from me, Lord, for I am a sinful man!" 9For he and all who were with him were amazed at the catch of fish that they had taken; ¹⁰and so also were James and John, sons of Zebedee, who were partners with Simon. Then Jesus said to Simon, "Do not be afraid; from now on you will be catching people." ¹¹When they had brought their boats to shore, they left everything and followed him.

The Gospel of the Lord **Praise to you, O Christ.**

SERMON: Deep Water

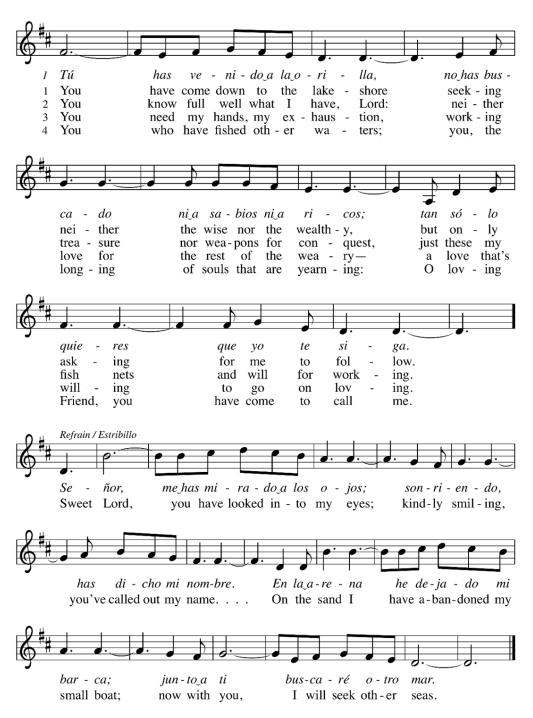
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*HYMN of the DAY: You Have Come Down to the Lakeshore

Stanzas 1 and 2 will be sung during the sermon, stanzas 3 and 4 after.

ELW 817



Text: Cesáreo Gabaráin, 1936–1991; tr. Madeleine Forell Marshall, b. 1946 Music: PESCADOR DE HOMBRES, Cesáreo Gabaráin

*PRAYERS

To the petition "God of grace" please respond, "Hear our prayer."

*GREETING OF THE PEACE

Christ, be our light! Shine in our hearts. Shine through the darkness. Christ, be our light! Shine in your church, gathered today.

We rely on your gifts to sustain Grace and all its ministries! Please leave your offering in the basket at the rear of the sanctuary.

*OFFERING PRAYER

Gracious God, your Word-made-flesh brings harmony to the earth. As we offer ourselves and these your gifts, prepare us to receive the grace and truth you offer at this table and renew in us the song of your salvation, in Jesus Christ our Savior. Amen.

*GREAT THANKSGIVING

The Lord be with you.

And also with you.

Lift up your hearts.

We lift them to the Lord.

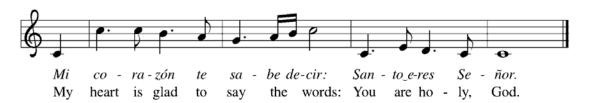
Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

It is right to give God thanks and praise.



It is indeed right, our duty and our joy....we praise your name and join their unending hymn:





In the night in which he was betrayed...

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

Christ has died.

Christ is risen.

Christ will come again.

*LORD'S PRAYER

Gathered into one by the Holy Spirit, let us pray as Jesus taught us.

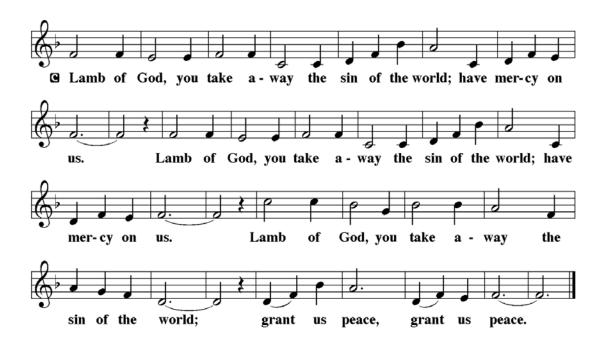
Our Father, who art in heaven....

Invitation to Communion

In Christ's manger, at Christ's table, come, see what God makes known for you.

We continue to use pre-packaged communion elements. Following the Lamb of God, as we hear together the words "The body of Christ, given for you" and then "The blood of Christ, shed for you," open and consume the wafer and grape juice. Please alert an usher if you did not receive one.

LAMB OF GOD



The body of Christ, given for you...Amen.

Please consume the wafer.

The blood of Christ, shed for you...Amen.

Please consume the juice.

Prayer after Communion

We thank you, wondrous God, for Jesus, God with us, in these gifts of bread and wine. As we have shared this feast of love, strengthen us to share your love with all the world. In Jesus' name we pray.

Amen.

Announcements

"Go Ye, Go Ye Into the World"

Grace Chair

Natalie Sleeth

Go ye, go ye into the world, and make disciples of all the nations. Go ye, go ye into the world, and I will be with you there!

Go ye, go ye into the world, and take the Gospel to all the people. Go ye, go ye into the world, and I will be with you there!

Go ye, go ye into the world, and tell the story to all the believers Go ye, go ye into the world, And I will be with you there!

*BLESSING

The God of hope fill us with all joy and peace in believing, so that we may abound in hope by the power of the Holy Spirit, through Christ Jesus, the Word made flesh.

Amen.

*DISMISSAL

Go in peace. Rejoice in Christ, our Savior!

Thanks be to God.

Postlude: Menuet Leon Boellman

Serving today

Preacher and presider, Rev. Nancy M. Raabe

Minister of Music, Kevin Freaney

Lector: 8:00 am, Peggy Schmidt; 10:30 am, Pack 510 Scouts Ushers: 8:00 am, Peggy Schmidt; 10:30 am, Pack 510 Scouts

Altar Guild: 8:00 am, June Detweiler; 10:30 am, Mary Jane Moyer

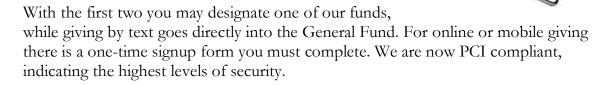
Acolyte: 10:30 am, Pack 510 Scouts

Video Team: Harold Schaefer, Dan & Tami Sarm

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- We continue to offer **direct-deposit giving**, in which your gifts are routed directly from your account into ours. If you are not already enrolled and want to be, forms are on the ledge in the narthex; seal them in an envelope and leave in Tami Sarm's box or on Lynn Fasick's desk. Please note that this form can now accommodate credit cards, a good option for those who want to give by credit card but do not have a computer or mobile device.
- ♣ On a **computer or laptop**, sign on for giving by credit card by going to the Give page of our website. Or give using your **mobile device** by downloading the free **Vanco Mobile** app from the App Store or Google Play; search for "Grace Lutheran Hatfield" and follow the instructions.
- ♣ Or you may give by text message simply by texting the amount to our designated number: 844-613-0815. Save this number in your phone as a new contact, and once you're signed up, just call up the contact, put number in the message line and press Send. It's as easy as that!



Thank you for helping secure Grace's future!

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Next Sunday's readings:

Jeremiah 17:5-10; Psalm 1; 1 Corinthians 15:12-20; Luke 6:17-26