



Second Sunday after Epiphany

Gloria Dei Lutheran Church

January 19, 2025
8:15 and 10:45 AM

Holy Communion

Gathering

The Holy Spirit calls us together as the people of God.

Prelude

Gather Us In

+Greeting

*The assembly responds by saying: **And also with you.***

*(+) indicates that
the assembly
stands.*

+Prayer of the Day

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.

Amen.

+Gathering Hymn

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Time with Children

Parish Announcements

Word

God speaks to us in scripture reading, preaching, and song.

First Reading

1 Corinthians 12:1-11

¹ Now concerning spiritual gifts, brothers and sisters, I do not want you to be uninformed. ² You know that when you were pagans, you were enticed and led astray to idols that could not speak. ³ Therefore 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.

⁴ Now there are varieties of gifts, but the same Spirit; ⁵ and there are varieties of services, but the same Lord; ⁶ and there are varieties of activities, but it is the same God who activates all of them in everyone. ⁷ To each is given the

*The congregation at
Corinth experienced
division as people were
comparing their
spiritual gifts, thinking
some to be superior to
others. Paul invites
this fractured*

manifestation of the Spirit for the common good. ⁸ To one is given through the Spirit the utterance of wisdom, and to another the utterance of knowledge according to the same Spirit, ⁹ to another faith by the same Spirit, to another gifts of healing by the one Spirit, ¹⁰ to 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. ¹¹ All these are activated by one and the same Spirit, who allots to each one individually just as the Spirit chooses.

community to trust that God's Holy Spirit has gifted them all perfectly for their mission together.

Word of God. Word of Life.
Thanks be to God.

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.

+Gospel

John 2:1-11

*After the Gospel is announced, the assembly responds: **Glory to you, O Lord.***

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

Turning water to wine at the wedding at Cana is described as the first of Jesus' signs. Through many such epiphanies, Jesus reveals that he bears God's creative power and joyful presence into the world.

*After the Gospel has been read, the assembly responds: **Praise to you, O Christ.***

Sermon

+Hymn of the Day

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+Prayers of Intercession

*After each petition: God of mercy, **hear our prayer.***

Meal

God feeds us with the presence of Jesus Christ.

+Peace

*The assembly responds: **And also with you.***

Offering 8:15	Improvisation on a theme from <i>Meditations</i>	John Coltrane
10:45	<i>Total Praise</i>	Richard Smallwood

+Setting the Table 303

Brightest and Best of the Stars
Stanzas 3 & 4

What shall we give him, in costly devotion?
Shall we bring incense and offerings divine,
gems of the mountain and pearls of the ocean,
myrrh from the forest or gold from the mine?

Vainly we offer each ample oblation,
vainly with gifts would his favor secure;
richer by far is the heart's adoration,
dearer to God are the prayers of the poor.

+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 our thanks and praise.

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

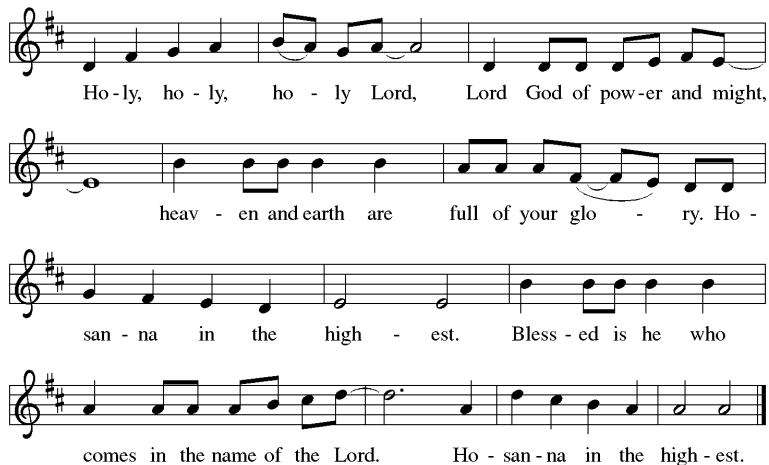
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Ho-ly, ho-ly, ho-ly Lord, Lord God of pow-er and might,
 heav-en and earth are full of your glo-ry. Ho-
 san-na in the high-est. Bless-ed is he who
 comes in the name of the Lord. Ho-san-na in the high-est.

We give you thanks, Holy One,
 for a creation turning toward light,
 for prophetic stars that guide us;
 for Jesus, who took bread as a sign
 of transfigured life, 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.

Pour out your Holy Spirit
 on these gifts of bread and wine,
 that we might be nourished
 to travel by a different road,
 a way guided by joy, justice, and peace.

Following the star, let us pray as Jesus taught us.

**Our Mother,
 Our Father in heaven,
 hallowed be your name,
 your kingdom come
 your will be done,
 on earth as in heaven.
 Give us today our daily bread.**

**Forgive us our sins
 as we forgive those who sin against us.
 Save us from the time of trial
 and deliver us from evil.
 For the kingdom, the power,
 and the glory are yours,
 now and forever. Amen.**

+Invitation to Communion

The gifts of God for the people of God.
Thanks be to God.

We trust that the love of Christ is truly present in the bread and wine of holy communion.

- *Receive a cup from the usher.*
- *Come first to the bread station. If you need gluten free bread, please tell the server.*
- *Receive the wine from the silver chalice or juice from the pottery chalice.*
- *Place the cup in the basket and return to your seat.*

If you are unable to come forward to for communion, please inform an usher, and communion can be brought to your seat.

Healing Prayers in Chapel

If you would like to light a candle for yourself or for someone who needs healing prayer, you may do so in the chapel after you have received communion. If you would like someone to pray with you, a team is available for prayer and anointing.



In Worship Today

	8:15 a.m. Service	10:45 a.m. Service
Presiding Minister	Pastor Jodi Houge	Pastor Jodi Houge
Preacher	Pastor Lois Pallmeyer	Pastor Lois Pallmeyer
Assisting Minister	Larry Nelson	Jon Young
Lector	Diane Burk	Mark Christianson
Communion Assistants	Marcia Ballinger, Maria Conley, Annetta Gardner, John Henrich, Jackson Kruger, Elizabeth Martin, Janelle Peterson	Raja David, Sonya Gindorff, Julie Marcotte, Jenni Raeder-Devens, Saul Stensvaag, Erika Taibl, Anita Young
Crucifer		
Acolytes	William Martin, Charlotte Russell	Gretchen Kiel, Isla Kiel
Hospitality Team	Steven Peterson, Michael Burk, Katie Russell, Cheryl Stever, Frank Stever	Miles Renaas, Leatrice Cox, Judy Renaas, Kylie Wicks, Annika Wilkowske
Sacristan	Peter Hinrichs	Peter Hinrichs
Altar Service	Leif Carlson, Mary Ann Teske	Amy Hinrichs, Peter Hinrichs
Audio/Visual -Video	<i>not applicable</i>	Thor Carlson
Audio/Visual-Audio	John Teipel	Augustus Huseby
Audio/Visual-Titles	<i>not applicable</i>	Nathan Masuda
Organist	Timothy Strand	Timothy Strand
Pianist	Dennis Friesen-Carper	Dennis Friesen-Carper
Alb Washing		Jacque Bieber

Musicians: Elizabeth Trites, Graham Martin, Paul Damico-Carper, Russ VanderWiel

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