St. Peter Evangelical Lutheran Church Second Sunday after Christmas

Full Service Bulletin

Pastor Erik Sorenson



January 2, 2022

MEMBERS AND GUESTS:

To listen via radio, please tune to AM 750

We will celebrate Holy Communion during our worship service this morning.

If you are partaking of the Lord's Supper, please read and fill out one of the registration cards on the back of the pew. You may place it in the offering plate or hand it to the usher.

Confession and Absolution



Invocation LSB 184

- **P** In the name of the Father and of the

 → Son and of the Holy Spirit.
- C Amen.
- P Beloved in the Lord! Let us draw near with a true heart and confess our sins unto God our Father, beseeching Him in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ to grant us forgiveness.
- **P** Our help is in the name of the Lord,
- C who made heaven and earth.

- **P** I said, I will confess my transgressions unto the Lord,
- and You forgave the iniquity of my sin.
- P O almighty God, merciful Father,
- I, a poor, miserable sinner, confess unto You all my sins and iniquities with which I have ever offended You and justly deserved Your temporal and eternal punishment. But I am heartily sorry for them and sincerely repent of them, and I pray You of Your boundless mercy and for the sake of the holy, innocent, bitter sufferings and death of Your beloved Son, Jesus Christ, to be gracious and merciful to me, a poor, sinful being.
- P Upon this your confession, I, by virtue of my office, as a called and ordained servant of the Word, announce the grace of God unto all of you, and in the stead and by the command of my Lord Jesus Christ I forgive you all your sins in the name of the Father and of the

 → Son and of the Holy Spirit.
- C Amen.

Service of the Word

Introit

Psalm 147:1, 5, 11-12; antiphon: John 1:14

The Word became flesh and dwelt among us, and we have seen his glory, glory as of the only Son from the Father, full of grace and truth.

Praise the LORD! For it is good to sing praises to our God;

for it is pleasant, and a song of praise is fitting.

Great is our Lord, and abundant in power;

his understanding is beyond measure.

But the LORD takes pleasure in those who fear him,

in those who hope in his steadfast love.

Praise the LORD, O Jerusalem!

Praise your God, O Zion!

Glory be to the Father and to the Son

and to the Holy Spirit;

as it was in the beginning,

is now, and will be forever. Amen.

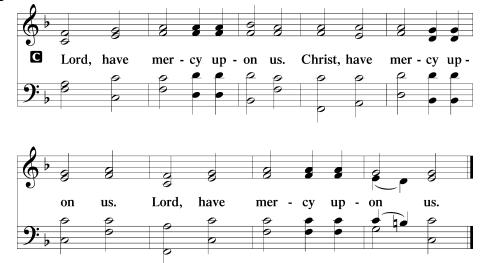
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Gloria Patri LSB 186



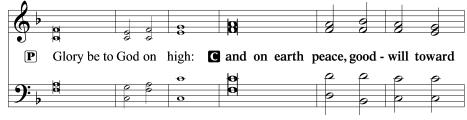
Kyrie

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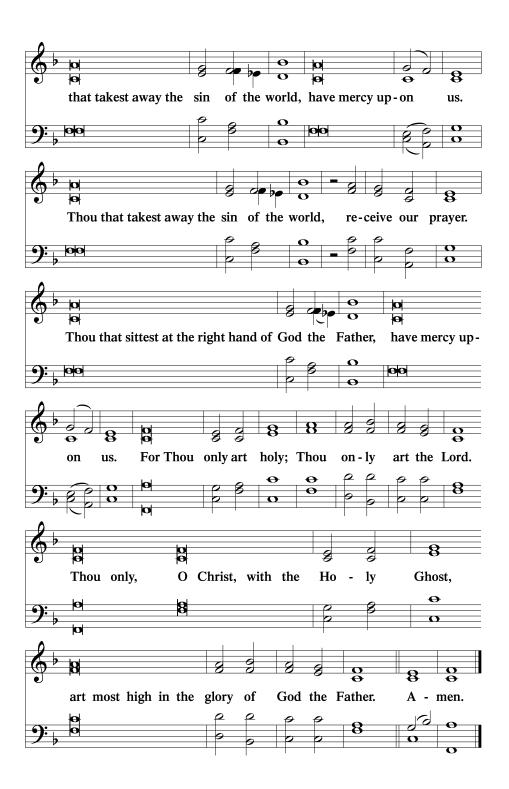


Gloria in Excelsis

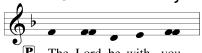
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LSB 189



P The Lord be with you.



P Almighty God, You have poured into our hearts the true Light of Your incarnate Word. Grant that this Light may shine forth in our lives; through the same Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.



Old Testament Reading

1 Kings 3:4–15 (p. 282, p. 358 LP)

- **A** This is the Word of the Lord.
- C Thanks be to God.

Gradual Isaiah 9:6; Psalm 98:1a

To us a child is born, to us a son is given;

and the government shall be upon his shoulder.

And his name shall be called Wonderful Counselor, Mighty God,

Everlasting Father, Prince of Peace.

Sing to the Lord a new song,

for he has done marvelous things!

- A This is the Word of the Lord.
- **C** Thanks be to God.

Alleluia LSB 190



Holy Gospel

Luke 2:40-52 (p. 858, p. 1091 LP)

P The Holy Gospel according to St. Luke, the second chapter.



P This is the Gospel of the Lord.



Nicene Creed LSB 191

I believe in one God,
the Father Almighty,
maker of heaven and earth
and of all things visible and invisible.
And in one Lord Jesus Christ,
the only-begotten Son of God,
begotten of His Father before all worlds,

God of God, Light of Light,

very God of very God,

begotten, not made,

being of one substance with the Father,

by whom all things were made;

who for us men and for our salvation came down from heaven and was incarnate by the Holy Spirit of the virgin Mary and was made man:

and was crucified also for us under Pontius Pilate.

He suffered and was buried.

And the third day He rose again according to the Scriptures and ascended into heaven

and sits at the right hand of the Father.

And He will come again with glory to judge both the living and the dead, whose kingdom will have no end.

And I believe in the Holy Spirit,

the Lord and giver of life,

who proceeds from the Father and the Son,

who with the Father and the Son together is worshiped and glorified, who spoke by the prophets.

And I believe in one holy Christian and apostolic Church,

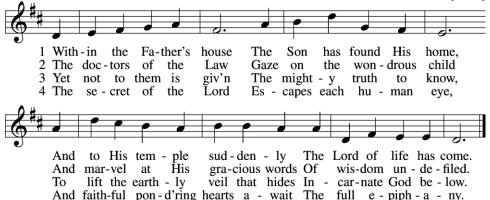
I acknowledge one Baptism for the remission of sins,

and I look for the resurrection of the dead

and the life + of the world to come. Amen.

410 Within the Father's House

Hymn of the Day



5 Lord, visit Thou our souls
And teach us by Thy grace
Each dim revealing of Thyself
With loving awe to trace

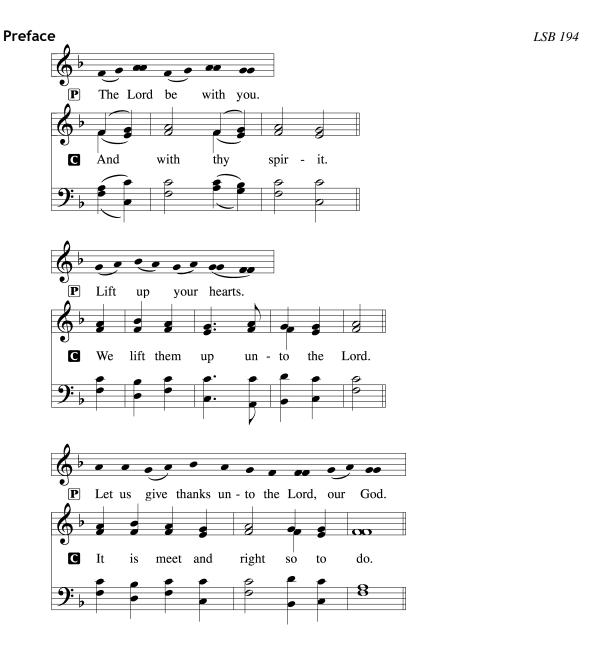
△ 6 Till we behold Thy face
And know as we are known
Thee, Father, Son, and Holy Ghost,
Coequal Three in One

Sermon Looking for Jesus

Offertory LSB 192



Service of the Sacrament



Proper Preface

It is truly meet, right, and salutary that we should at all times and in all places give thanks to You, holy Lord, almighty Father, everlasting God, through Jesus Christ, our Lord; for in the mystery of the Word made flesh You have given us a new revelation of Your glory that, seeing You in the person of Your Son, we may know and love those things which are not seen. Therefore with angels and archangels and with all the company of heaven we laud and magnify Your glorious name, evermore praising You and saying:

Sanctus LSB 195 C Ho - ly, ho - ly Lord God of Sab - a - oth; ho ly, of Thy glo - ry. heav'n and earth are full Ho - san - na, ho - san - na, ho - san - na in the high - est. Bless-ed is He, bless-ed is He, bless-ed is He that com-eth in the name of the Lord.



LSB 196

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;

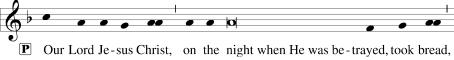
and forgive us our trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us; and lead us not into temptation,

but deliver us from evil.



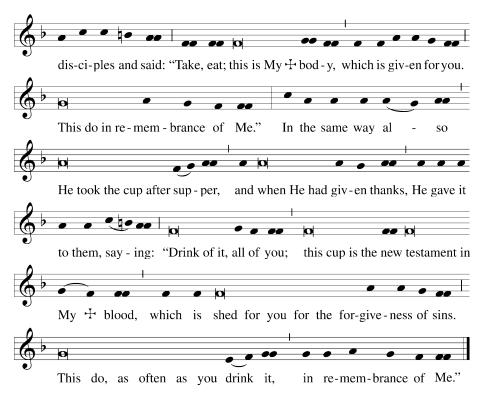


LSB 197





and when He had giv - en thanks, He broke it and gave it to the





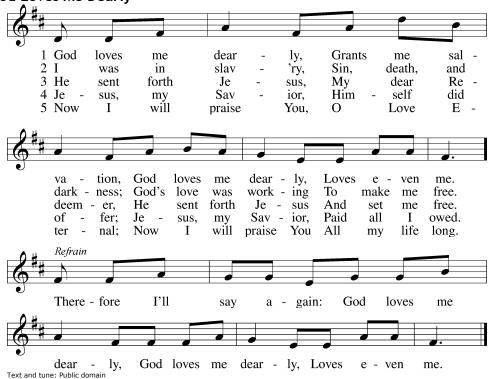
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Agnus Dei LSB 198



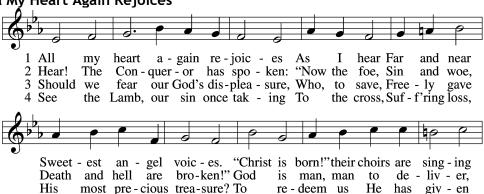
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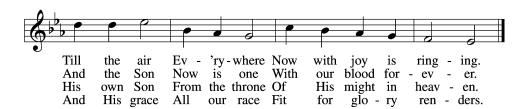
Full



our life His own He

ten - ders,

a - tone-ment mak-ing. For



5 Softly from His lowly manger

Jesus calls

One and all,

"You are safe from danger.

Children, from the sins that grieve you

You are freed;

All you need

I will surely give you."

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6 Come, then, banish all your sadness!

One and all,

Great and small,

Come with songs of gladness.

We shall live with Him forever

There on high

In that joy

Which will vanish never.

362 O Sing of Christ



- 1 O sing of Christ, whose birth made known The kind-ness of the Lord, 2 What Ad-am lost, none could re claim, And Par a dise was barred
- 3 He came to that which was His own, But He was not re-ceived;
- 4 Lord Je-sus Christ, You deigned to dwell A mong us here on earth



E - ter - nal Word made flesh and bone So we could be re - stored. Un - til the sec - ond Ad - am came To mend what sin had marred. Yet still through Him God's glo - ry shone, And some His name be - lieved. As God with us, Em - man - u - el, To bring this ho - ly birth.



Up - on our frail hu - man-i - ty God's fin - ger chose to trace For when the time was full and right God sent His on - ly Son; To these He gave the right to be The heirs of heav'n a - bove, Though rich, You will - ing - ly be - came One with our pov - er - ty,



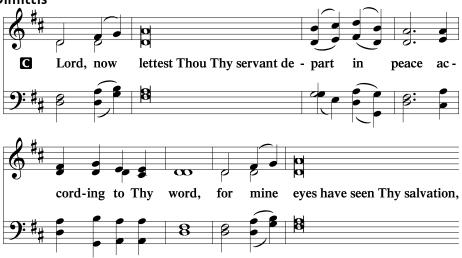
The full-ness of His de - i - ty, The i - con of His grace. He came to us as life and light And our re - demp-tion won. Born not of hu - man an - ces - try But born of God in love. That we might share Your wealth and name For all e - ter - ni - ty!

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523 O Word of God Incarnate



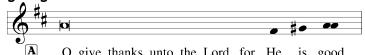




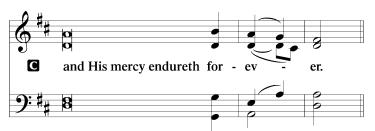
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Thanksgiving LSB 200



O give thanks unto the Lord, for He is good,

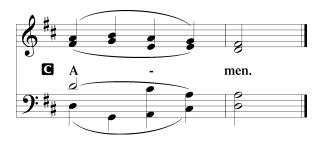


Post-Communion Collect

LSB 201

A Let us pray.

O God the Father, the fountain and source of all goodness, who in loving-kindness sent Your only-begotten Son into the flesh, we thank You that for His sake You have given us pardon and peace in this Sacrament, and we ask You not to forsake Your children but always to rule our hearts and minds by Your Holy Spirit that we may be enabled constantly to serve You; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

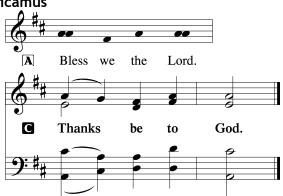


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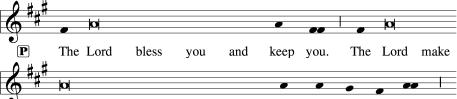




Benedicamus LSB 202



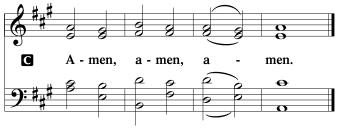
Benediction LSB 202



His face shine upon you and be gra-cious un - to you.



The Lord lift up His countenance upon you and + give you peace.





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Announcements for the Week of January 2, 2022

| Sunday | Mon. | Tues. | Wed. | Thurs. | Fri. | Sat. |
|---------------------------|------|-------------|------|----------------------|------|------|
| 1/2 | 1/3 | 1/4 | 1/5 | 1/6 | 1/7 | 1/8 |
| 9:00 AM – Divine Service | | | | | | |
| 10:15 AM – Pastor's Bible | | 9 AM-2 PM - | | 10 AM – Elders | | |
| Study | | Pastor @ | | meeting | | |
| • | | circuit | | 7 PM – Epiphany | | |
| | | meeting | | Service @ Jonesville | | |
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Birthdays & Anniversaries:

1/3: John & Karen Dobrinski

1/7: Tom Rebber

Budget per week: \$3157 **12/19 offerings**: \$5695.61

12/19 Synodical Fund: \$160 Mortgage balance: \$50,388.28

12/19 Building Fund: \$35

The altar flowers were given by the Hoene family in memory of Lois Cummings birthday

Seminarian Support: We will continue our support of seminarian Matt Riley this year with our Advent and Lent midweek offerings. What a great joy it is for us to support Matt as he studies and prepares to become a pastor in Christ's Church.

Usher & Communion Sign-Up Sheets: We are in need of volunteers for both of these roles. The 2022 sign-up sheets are up now on the bulletin board in the Parish Hall. We are always looking for additional people interested in filling these roles. Please feel free to sign up even if you have never before helped in these ways. Someone will be happy to show you the ropes.

January Newsletters: Available in the narthex. If you would like to be added to the email list, please let Pastor know.

Offering Envelopes: Please notice some of the envelope numbers have changed for 2022. To be sure that your account is credited correctly use the 2022 envelope as the envelope color has not changed.

Epiphany Service: Join us for a joint Epiphany service on Thursday, January 6th at 7:00 PM at St. Paul's (Jonesville). We will join with the saints from St. Paul's (Jonesville) and St. John's (White Creek) to worship our Lord and celebrate this festival day.

Prayer List:

Teresa Lucas (shut-in) Edna Spiehler (shut-in) Ron Cox (health issues) Luella Holle (shut-in) Maxine (relation to Rick & Alberta Schafstall,

health issues)

Matt (Judy Strasser's nephew, cancer)

Upcoming Acolytes:

1/9: Anslee Hawkins1/16: Max Hoene1/23: Laurie Schultz1/30: Jonah Sciano2/6: Joe Acree2/13: Trevor Acree

Below you will find a model you can use for your personal or family devotions that focuses you on the readings from the previous Sunday, while also preparing you for what you will hear the following Sunday. In modeling your devotions this way, you and your family can stay united to the church year and reinforce what you hear, sing, and pray every Sunday.

- Mon. 1/3: Read the Old Testament lesson: 1 Kings 3:4-15 The Lord alone is wise, able to discern between good and evil. The Lord and His Word are the source of wisdom.

 Sing the Hymn of the Day: LSB 410 Within the Father's House

 Pray the Collect of the Day: Almighty God, You have poured into our hearts the true Light of Your incarnate Word. Grant that this Light may shine forth in our lives; through the same Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.
- Tues. 1/4: Read the Epistle lesson: Ephesians 1:3-14 In Christ we have been predestined for salvation and adoption as sons of God. When we hear the Word of God, the gospel of salvation, salvation is given to us with God alone receiving the glory.

 Sing the Hymn of the Day: LSB 410 Within the Father's House Pray the Collect of the Day: (see 1/3)
- Wed. 1/5: Read the Gospel lesson: Luke 2:40-52 As a young boy, Jesus honored His heavenly Father, by being in His house and gladly hearing His Word, and His earthly parents, by being submissive to them and growing in wisdom and stature.

 Sing the Hymn of the Day: LSB 410 Within the Father's House Pray the Collect of the Day: (see 1/3)
- Thur. 1/6:

 Read the Old Testament lesson: Isaiah 43:1-7 God will gather together all of His people because He has created us for His glory and He has redeemed us.

 Sing the Hymn of the Day: LSB 406 To Jordan Came the Christ, Our Lord Pray the Collect of the Day: Father in heaven, at the Baptism of Jesus in the Jordan River You proclaimed Him Your beloved Son and anointed Him with the Holy Spirit. Make all who are baptized in His name faithful in their calling as Your children and inheritors with Him of everlasting life; through the same Jesus Christ, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.
- Fri. 1/7: Read the Epistle lesson: Romans 6:1-11 We have died to sin through Holy Baptism and now live in Christ. We have been joined to Christ's death and resurrection so we might walk in newness of life.

 Sing the Hymn of the Day: LSB 406 To Jordan Came the Christ, Our Lord Pray the Collect of the Day: (see 1/6)
- Sat. 1/8: Read the Gospel lesson: Luke 3:15-22 Jesus is the beloved Son of the Father with whom the Father is well pleased because He has come to preach good news and to save His people from their sins.

 Sing the Hymn of the Day: LSB 406 To Jordan Came the Christ, Our Lord Pray the Collect of the Day: (see 1/6)