

**Grow ... Go ... Gather**  
**February 6, 2022**



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# The Fifth Sunday after the Epiphany Order of Worship (DS 3)

## The Preservice Music, Call to Worship, and Welcome

### The Opening Hymn: LSB 907, "God Himself is Present"



1 God Him - self is pres - ent: Let us now a - dore Him  
2 God Him - self is pres - ent: Hear the harps re - sound - ing;  
3 Fount of ev - 'ry bless - ing, Pu - ri - fy my spir - it,



And with awe ap - pear be - fore Him. God is in His  
See the hosts the throne sur - round - ing. "Ho - ly, ho - ly,  
Trust - ing on - ly in Your mer - it. Like the ho - ly



tem - ple; All with - in keep si - lence; Hum - bly kneel in  
ho - ly!" Hear the hymn as - cend - ing, Songs of saints and  
an - gels, Wor - ship - ing be - fore You, May I cease - less -



deep - est rev - 'rence. He a - lone On His throne  
an - gels blend - ing. Bow Your ear To us here:  
ly a - dore You. Let Your will Ev - er still



Is our God and Sav - ior; Praise His name for - ev - er!  
Hear, O Christ, the prais - es That Your Church now rais - es.  
Rule Your Church ter - res - trial As the hosts ce - les - tial.

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## Invocation

P In the name of the Father and of the T Son  
and of the Holy Spirit.

C **Amen.**

## Exhortation

*LSB 184*

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,

C **and You forgave the iniquity of my sin.**

## Confession of Sins

*LSB 184*

P O almighty God, merciful Father,

C **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.**

## Absolution

*LSB 185*

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 T Son and of the Holy Spirit.

## C Amen.

### The Gloria Patri

LSB 186



Glo-ry be to the Fa-ther and to the Son and to the Ho-ly Ghost;



as it was in the be-gin-ning, is now, and ev-er shall be, world with-out end. A-men.

### Kyrie

LSB 186



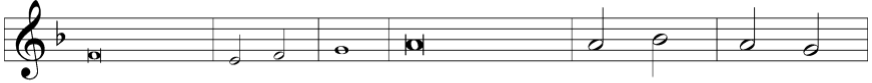
Lord, have mer - cy up - on us. Christ, have mer - cy up -



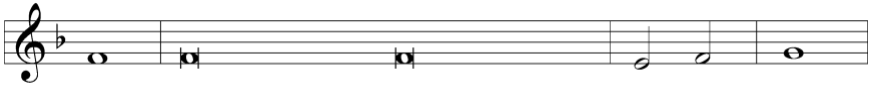
on us. Lord, have mer - cy up - on us.

### Gloria in Excelsis

LSB 187



Glory be to God on high: and on earth peace, good - will toward



men. We praise Thee, we bless Thee, we wor - ship Thee,



we glorify Thee, we give thanks to Thee, for Thy great glory.




O Lord God, heav'n-ly King, God the Fa-ther Al - mighty.




O Lord, the only begotten Son, Je - sus Christ;



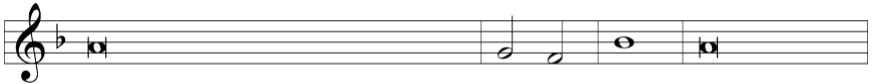
O Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father,



that takest away the sin of the world, have mercy up-on us.



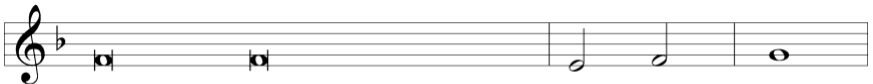
Thou that takest away the sin of the world, re-ceive our prayer.



Thou that sittest at the right hand of God the Father, have mercy up-



on us. For Thou only art holy; Thou on-ly art the Lord.



Thou only, O Christ, with the Ho-ly Ghost,



art most high in the glory of God the Father. A-men.

## The Salutation and Prayer of the Day

P The Lord be with you.  
C **And with thy spirit.**

P Let us pray.  
O Lord, keep Your family the Church continually in the true faith that, relying on the hope of Your heavenly grace, we may ever be defended by Your mighty power; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

C **Amen.**

**The Old Testament Lesson:** Isaiah 6:1–8

In the year that King Uzziah died I saw the Lord sitting upon a throne, high and lifted up; and the train of his robe filled the temple. Above him stood the seraphim. Each had six wings: with two he covered his face, and with two he covered his feet, and with two he flew. And one called to another and said:

“Holy, holy, holy is the LORD of hosts; the whole earth is full of his glory!”

And the foundations of the thresholds shook at the voice of him who called, and the house was filled with smoke. And I said: “Woe is me! For I am lost; for I am a man of unclean lips, and I dwell in the midst of a people of unclean lips; for my eyes have seen the King, the LORD of hosts!”

Then one of the seraphim flew to me, having in his hand a burning coal that he had taken with tongs from the altar. And he touched my mouth and said: “Behold, this has touched your lips; your guilt is taken away, and your sin atoned for.”

And I heard the voice of the Lord saying, “Whom shall I send, and who will go for us?” Then I said, “Here am I! Send me.”

L This is the Word of the Lord.

C **Thanks be to God.**

**The Epistle Lesson:** 1 Corinthians 14:12b–20

Since you are eager for manifestations of the Spirit, strive to excel in building up the church.

Therefore, one who speaks in a tongue should pray for the power to interpret. For if I pray in a tongue, my spirit prays but my mind is unfruitful. What am I to do? I will pray with my spirit, but I will pray with my mind also; I will sing praise with my spirit, but I

will sing with my mind also. Otherwise, if you give thanks with your spirit, how can anyone in the position of an outsider say "Amen" to your thanksgiving when he does not know what you are saying? For you may be giving thanks well enough, but the other person is not being built up. I thank God that I speak in tongues more than all of you. Nevertheless, in church I would rather speak five words with my mind in order to instruct others, than ten thousand words in a tongue. Brothers, do not be children in your thinking. Be infants in evil, but in your thinking be mature.

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

### **A Song:** "Holy is the Lord" (Tomlin)

#### **Verse**

We stand and lift up our hands  
For the joy of the Lord is our strength  
We bow down and worship Him now  
How great how awesome is He  
And together we sing  
Ev'ryone sing

#### **Chorus**

Holy is the Lord God Almighty  
The earth is filled with His glory  
Holy is the Lord God Almighty  
The earth is filled with His glory  
The earth is filled with His glory

#### **Verse**

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Ev'ryone sing

### **Chorus**

Holy is the Lord God Almighty  
The earth is filled with His glory  
Holy is the Lord God Almighty  
The earth is filled with His glory  
The earth is filled with His glory

### **Bridge**

It is rising up all around  
It's the anthem of the Lord's renown  
It's rising up all around  
It's the anthem of the Lord's renown  
And together we sing  
Ev'ryone sing

### **Chorus**

Holy is the Lord God Almighty  
The earth is filled with His glory  
Holy is the Lord God Almighty  
The earth is filled with His glory  
The earth is filled with His glory

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### **The Gospel Lesson: Luke 5:1-11**

- P The Holy Gospel according to St. Luke, the fifth chapter.
- C **Glory be to Thee, O Lord.**

On one occasion, while the crowd was pressing in on [Jesus] to hear the word of God, he was standing by the lake of Gennesaret, and he saw two boats by the lake, but the fishermen had gone out of them and were washing their nets. Getting into one of the boats, which was Simon's, he asked him to put out a



little from the land. And he sat down and taught the people from the boat. And when he had finished speaking, he said to Simon, "Put out into the deep and let down your nets for a catch." And Simon answered, "Master, we toiled all night and took nothing! But at your word I will let down the nets." And when they had done this, they enclosed a large number of fish, and their nets were breaking. They signaled to their partners in the other boat to come and help them. And they came and filled both the boats, so that they began to sink. But when Simon Peter saw it, he fell down at Jesus' knees, saying, "Depart from me, for I am a sinful man, O Lord." For he and all who were with him were astonished at the catch of fish that they had taken, and so also were James and John, sons of Zebedee, who were partners with Simon. And Jesus said to Simon, "Do not be afraid; from now on you will be catching men." And when they had brought their boats to land, they left everything and followed him.

P This is the Gospel of the Lord.

C **Praise be to Thee, O Christ.**

**The Nicene Creed** (on the back cover of the hymnal)

**The Sermon Hymn:** LSB 833, "Listen, God is Calling"

*Refrain*  
Leader All

Lis - ten, lis - ten, God is call - ing Through the Word in - vit - ing,  
Of - fer - ing for - give - ness, Com - fort, and joy. joy.

Leader	All
1 Je - sus gave His man-date:	Share the good news
2 Let none be for - got - ten	Through - out the world.
3 Help us to be faith - ful,	Stand - ing stead - fast,
Leader	All
That He came to save us_____	And set us free.
In the tri - une name of God	Go and bap - tize.
Walk - ing in Your pre - cepts,___	Led by Your Word.

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## The Sermon

## The Offertory

*LSB 192*

**☐** Cre - ate in me a clean heart, O God, and re -  
 new a right spir - it with - in me. Cast me not a -  
 way from Thy pres - ence, and take not Thy Ho - ly Spir - it  
 from me. Re - store un - to me the joy of Thy sal - va -  
 tion, and up - hold me with Thy free spir - it. A - men.

## The Offering

## The Prayer of the Church and the Lord's Prayer

# A Hymn: LSB 827, "Hark, the Voice of Jesus Calling"



1 Hark, the voice of Je - sus call - ing, "Who will go and work to - day?  
 2 Some take up His task in morn - ing, To their Lord re - spond - ing soon;  
 3 For as rain and snow from heav - en Wa - ter seeds in dust - y soil,  
 4 Hear - ken to the Lord whose com - ing Marks the time when grace shall end,



Fields are white and har - vests wait - ing— Who will bear the sheaves a - way?"  
 Some are called in heat of mid - day, Oth - ers late in af - ter - noon;  
 Caus - ing them to bud and flow - er, Giv - ing bread to those who toil;  
 When with His an - gel - ic reap - ers He in glo - ry shall de - scend.



Loud and long the Mas - ter call - eth; Rich re - ward He of - fers thee.  
 E - ven as the sun is set - ting, Some are sent in - to the fields,  
 So the Lord sends forth His prom - ise, Words of life and joy and peace—  
 Soon the night, the fi - nal har - vest; Soon the time for work shall cease.



Who will an - swer, glad - ly say - ing, "Here am I, send me, send me"?  
 There to gath - er in the boun - ty That God's Word so rich - ly yields.  
 Nev - er void to Him re - turn - ing, Bear - ing fruit with great in - crease.  
 Then the souls His grace has gar - nered Shall en - joy His Sab - bath peace.

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## Announcements/Blessing for Online Worshippers

### † The Service of the Sacrament (p. 195ff) †

#### Preface

LSB 194

P The Lord be with you.



☐ And with thy spir - it.

P Lift up your hearts.



**C** We lift them up un - to the Lord.

P Let us give thanks unto the Lord, our God.



**C** It is meet and right so to do.

### Proper Preface (Abbreviated)

*LSB 194*

P It is truly meet, right, and salutary . . .  
evermore praising You and singing:

### Sanctus

*LSB 195*



**C** Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord God of Sab - a - oth;



heav'n and earth are full of Thy glo - ry. 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.



Ho - san - na, ho - san - na, ho - san - na in the high - est.

### The Words of Institution

*LSB 197*

### The Pax Domini

*LSB 197*

P The peace of the Lord be with you always.



A - men.

## Agnus Dei

LSB 198



O Christ, Thou Lamb of God, that tak-est a-way the sin of the



world, have mer-cy up-on us. O Christ, Thou Lamb of God, that



tak-est a-way the sin of the world, have mer-cy up-on us.



O Christ, Thou Lamb of God, that tak-est a-way the sin of the



world, grant us Thy peace. A - men.

During the Distribution we will sing:

"I Love to Tell the Story" (AGPS #128) and  
LSB 398 "Hail to the Lord's Anointed"

## I Love To Tell The Story

### Verse 1

I love to tell the story  
Of unseen things above  
Of Jesus and His glory  
Of Jesus and His love  
I love to tell the story  
Because I know 'tis true  
It satisfies my longings  
As nothing else can do

## **Chorus**

**I love to tell the story  
'Twill be my theme in glory  
To tell the old old story  
Of Jesus and His love**

## **Verse 2**

I love to tell the story  
'Tis pleasant to repeat  
What seems each time I tell it  
More wonderfully sweet  
I love to tell the story  
For some have never heard  
The message of salvation  
From God's own holy Word **(Chorus)**

## **Verse 3**

I love to tell the story  
For those who know it best  
Seem hungering and thirsting  
To hear it like the rest  
And when in scenes of glory  
I sing the new new song  
'Twill be the old old story  
That I have loved so long **(Chorus)**

## **Verse 4**

I love to tell the story,  
Of how, from heaven above  
Our Lord and Savior Jesus  
Was sent to show God's love  
To every sinful creature  
Upon this earthly place  
How Christ, the gift from heaven,  
Is God's great gift of grace. **(Chorus)**

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# "Hail to the Lord's Anointed"



1 Hail to the Lord's a - noint - ed, Great Da - vid's great - er Son!  
 2 He comes with res - cue speed - y To those who suf - fer wrong,  
 3 He shall come down like show - ers Up - on the fruit - ful earth;  
 4 Kings shall fall down be - fore Him And gold and in - cense bring;  
 5 O'er ev - 'ry foe vic - to - rious, He on His throne shall rest,



Hail, in the time ap - point - ed, His reign on earth be - gun!  
 To help the poor and need - y And bid the weak be strong;  
 Love, joy, and hope, like flow - ers, Spring in His path to birth.  
 All na - tions shall a - dore Him, His praise all peo - ple sing.  
 From age to age more glo - rious, All bless - ing and all - blest.



He comes to break op - pres - sion, To set the cap - tive free,  
 To give them songs for sigh - ing, Their dark - ness turn to light,  
 Be - fore Him on the moun - tains Shall peace, the her - ald, go;  
 To Him shall prayer un - ceas - ing And dai - ly vows as - cend;  
 The tide of time shall nev - er His cov - e - nant re - move;

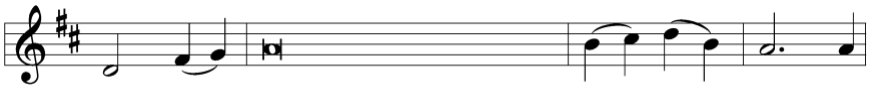


To take a - way trans - gres - sion And rule in eq - ui - ty.  
 Whose souls, con - demned and dy - ing, Were pre - cious in His sight.  
 And righ - teous - ness in foun - tains From hill to val - ley flow.  
 His king - dom still in - creas - ing, A kingdom with - out end.  
 His name shall stand for - ev - er— That name to us is Love.

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# The Nunc Dimittis

LSB 199



Lord, now lettest Thou Thy servant de - part in peace ac -



cord - ing to Thy word, for mine eyes have seen Thy salvation,




which Thou hast pre - pared be - fore the face of all people,



a light to light-en the Gen-tiles and the glo-ry of Thy  
 peo-ple Is-ra-el. Glo-ry be to the Father and  
 to the Son and to the Ho-ly Ghost; as it was in the beginning,  
 is now, and ev-er shall be, world with-out end. A-men.

## The Thanksgiving

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



C and His mercy endureth for - ev - er.

## The Post-Communion Prayer

P Let us pray.

We give thanks to You, almighty God, that You have refreshed us through this salutary gift, and we implore You that of Your mercy You would strengthen us through the same in faith toward You and in fervent love toward one another; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

C **Amen.**



# The Salutation and Benedicamus

LSB 201-202

P The Lord be with you.



☐ And with thy spir - it.

P Bless we the Lord.



☐ Thanks be to God.

# The Benediction

LSB 202

P The Lord bless you and keep you.

The Lord make His face shine upon you and be gracious unto you.

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



☐ A-men, a-men, a - men.

# The Closing Hymn: LSB 507, "Holy, Holy, Holy"



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!



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



Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly, mer - ci - ful and might - y!  
 Cher - u - bim and ser - a - phim fall - ing down be - fore Thee,  
 On - ly Thou art ho - ly; there is none be - side Thee,  
 Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly, mer - ci - ful and might - y!



God in three per - sons, bless - ed Trin - i - ty!  
 Which wert and art and ev - er - more shalt be.  
 Per - fect in pow'r, in love, and pu - ri - ty.  
 God in three per - sons, bless - ed Trin - i - ty!

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## ANNOUNCEMENTS

### Events of the Week: February 6 – February 13

- TODAY:** **KIDZ TIME** during the sermon, pre-2nd  
**11:00 a.m.** Coffee Hour  
**11:00 a.m.** Bible Study  
**11:00 a.m.** Youth decorating cookies  
**6:00 p.m.** LWML Meeting
- Monday:** **6:30 p.m.** Monday Evening Worship  
 Service w/ Holy Communion  
**7:30 p.m.** Council Meeting
- Tuesday:** **7:30 p.m.** Bible Study on Zoom
- Wed:** **10:00 a.m.** Bible Study w/ Darrell
- Thursday:** **1:00 p.m.** Dorcas meeting at Russ'  
**6:00 p.m.** Bell Choir  
**7:15 p.m.** Adult Choir
- Friday:** Pastor's Day off
- Saturday:** **8:30 a.m.** Men's Bible Breakfast
- Sunday:** **8:00 a.m.** Gizmo Devotions on FB  
**9:30 a.m.** WORSHIP at St James & FBL.  
**KIDZ TIME** during the sermon, pre-2nd  
**11:00 a.m.** Bible Study

**Those who serve Today:**

**Deacons:** Bryan Ensing and Craig Popma

**Ushers:** Jim and Nancy Spears

**Lector:** Rick Shantz

**Organist/pianist:** Beth McKay

**Video/Sound/Recording:** John and Marjie Weiss and Nathan Urbanski

**Those who serve February 13:**

**Deacon:** Jerry Talen

**Ushers:** Dale and Grace Rosema

**Lector:** Stacey Vree

**February Altar Guild:** Karen Swanson

**FINANCIAL DISCIPLESHIP:** January 30, 2022

General Fund	\$3,010.00
Plate Collections	10.00
ISJ Academy	5.00
Memorials (Betty Mosies)	325.00
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Total:	\$3,350.00
On-line giving	271.25
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Total:	\$3,621.25

**TODAY** - We will be decorating cookies to donate to the LWML group later that afternoon. We will be meeting right after church for about two hours. If you have any questions, contact Youth Leader Kelsey Butler.



Join us for our **LWML meeting TONIGHT at 6:00 p.m.** We will have a short devotion, discuss the April 30<sup>th</sup> Zone Spring Rally, and organize our neighborhood cookie plates and cookie delivery plan.



## **Dorcas Society February Gathering:**

All women of the congregation are invited to gather for lunch on **Thursday, February 10 at 1 pm**. We will meet at **Russ' on Plainfield Ave.**

Even if this is outside your normal lunch time, come and join us for coffee or dessert.

Contact Rachel Palmer (616-883-6949) with questions.



Do you know that Pastor Schaeffer and Gizmo post a devotion every Sunday? Let your children, grandchildren and nieces and nephews know about these devotions! You can watch their devotions on the St. James website <https://www.stjamesgr.com/kids>.



## **MEN'S BREAKFAST**

### **Hey Men! It's time to get ready for our fellowship!**

The Men's Bible study and breakfast will be on Saturday, February 12<sup>th</sup>. The breakfast is served at 8:30 a.m. Pastor Schaeffer will lead us in a Bible study entitled, "Healthy Hobbies."

**FRIENDS IN FAITH** will be meeting next Sunday following the worship service. We will be discussing the upcoming 2<sup>nd</sup> Best Sale in May. If you have any questions, contact Walt Kryzanowski.