

Sunday, January 19, 2025 Second Sunday After Epiphany Hope Lutheran Church, Plainwell Evangelical Lutheran Worship Setting 10 www.hopeplainwell.org

Hope's Mission Statement: We, Hope Lutheran Church, are CALLED by God, REDEEMED by Jesus Christ, SPROUTING from the seed of God's Word, and BRANCHING out to reach God's people...

> *Please stand as you are comfortable **Congregational responses are in bold text** + invites you to make the sign of the cross.

Please silence your phone, pager, or other electronic device for worship. Children's worship bags & noise canceling headphones are available in the nursery.

GATHERING

PRELUDE PASTORAL WELCOME *CONFESSION & FORGIVENESS (pg. 94)

*GATHERING HYMN Now We Join in Celebration ELW #462

*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.**

***KYRIE**



***PRAYER OF THE DAY**

At the conclusion of the prayer...Amen.

WORD

FIRST READING: Isaiah 62:1-5

1 For 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. 2 The 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. 3 You shall be a crown of beauty in the hand of the Lord, and a royal diadem in the hand of your God. 4 You 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. 5 For 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.

The Word of the Lord. **Thanks be to God.**

Psalm 36:5-10

Psalms are read responsively whole verse by whole verse.

- 5 Your 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 ani- | mals, O Lord.

7 How 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.
- 9 For 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

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 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.

The Word of the Lord. **Thanks be to God.**

***GOSPEL ACCLAMATION**



*GOSPEL READING: John 2:1-11

The Holy Gospel according to John the 2nd chapter. 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.

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

SERMON

*HYMN OF THE DAY Soul, Adorn Yourself with Gladness ELW #488

*APOSTLES' CREED (p.105)

***PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION**

If you have a prayer request that you would like added to our weekly worship prayers please contact Pr. Nicole. If we will be praying for an individual or family please make sure you have their permission to have them listed.

Please respond to God of Grace...Hear our prayer.

SPECIAL MUSIC

*PEACE

HOLY COMMUNION

Please quietly return to your seat when the offering hymn plays so we can prepare for Holy Communion.

OFFERING HYMN Let the Vineyards Be Fruitful *ELW* #185

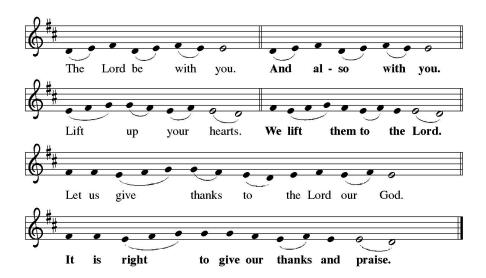
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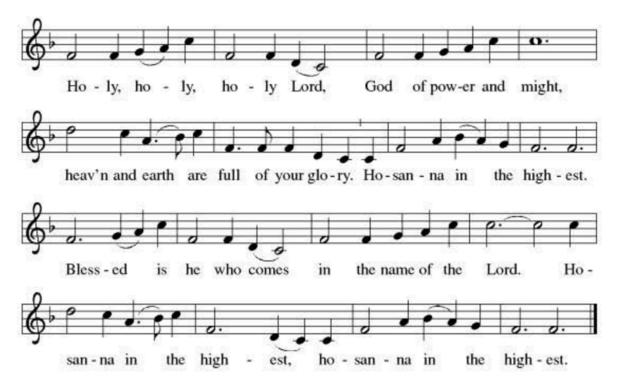
OFFERING PRAYER

At the conclusion of the prayer...Amen.

*DIALOGUE (p. 152)



***HOLY HOLY**

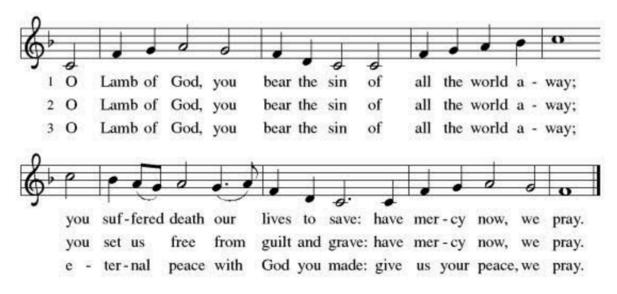


*LORD'S PRAYER (p. 182)

INVITATION TO COMMUNION

The joy of the Lord is our strength. Come, eat this meal of gladness.

We welcome all baptized to receive Communion when worshiping with us. If you are not baptized, or do not feel prepared to receive Communion, you are invited to participate by coming forward to receive a blessing. During Communion individual cups of wine & grape juice are available. The wine is red & the grape juice is white. There is also a common cup of wine. Gluten free wafers are available upon request. LAMB OF GOD



PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

At the conclusion of the prayer...Amen.

***POST COMMUNION BLESSING**

***BENEDICTION**

*SENDING HYMN Songs of Thankfulness and Praise ELW #310

ANNOUNCEMENTS

*DISMISSAL

Go in peace. The Word of God dwells in you richly. Thanks be to God.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

- Hope's February items for Christian Neighbors are Canned Soups and Ramen Noodles.
- Council will be meeting on Tuesday, January 21st at 6pm in the Education Room.
- Please do not put chewing gum, trash, or any other objects in the toilet or urinals. This is unsanitary and causes major plumbing issues. Please make use of the trash cans in the bathrooms.
- Please do not add water to the church soap dispenser. We have plenty of soap to refill them. If you notice they are low then please inform Veronica the church custodian.
- On Sunday, February 16th Hope will be celebrating our season of stewardship with a pot luck lunch following worship. Please plan to attend this festive event and bring a dish to share as you are able.
- As we continue in the winter season, consider brightening the day of our more homebound members with a thinking of you card. For more information please see Pat Vance or any member of the pastoral care committee.

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