





## Welcome to worship at Spirit of Christ!

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February 6, 2021

*Fifth Sunday after Epiphany*

### Welcome

#### *On Galilee's High Mountain*

LSB 835

- 1 On Galilee's high mountain  
Christ gave the great command  
In words of strength and promise  
Which all can understand:  
"All pow'r to me is given  
To do what I shall choose;  
Therefore I send my children,  
Their witness I will use."
- 2 The Lord who, born of Mary,  
Came down as man and died,  
Who preached to all who listened,  
For us was crucified—  
This Lord, our living brother,  
In pow'r at God's right hand,  
Has chosen us to carry  
His truth to ev'ry land.
- 3 His strength within my weakness  
Will make me bold to say  
How His redeeming power  
Transforms my stubborn clay;  
His touch of fire ignites me,  
With courage I am sent,  
My tongue-tied silence broken,  
With grace made eloquent.
- 4 And not alone to nations  
In faraway retreats,  
But ev'rywhere I broadcast

**His love through crowded streets:  
The lives that my life touches,  
However great or small—  
Let them through me see Jesus,  
Who served and saved us all.**

- 5 **That ev'ryone he chooses,  
For reasons of his own,  
Will find in Christ his calling  
To live His love alone.  
His presence always leads us  
Till time no more shall be;  
Christ's strength, his love, his comfort  
Give us his victory.**

### **Invocation**

- P** In the name of the Father and of the ✠ Son and of the Holy Spirit.  
**C** Amen.

*The sign of the cross may be made by all in remembrance of their Baptism.*

### **Confession and Absolution**

- P** When the prophet Isaiah became aware of the presence of the LORD in the temple, he cried:  
**C** **“Woe to me! I am ruined! For I am a man of unclean lips, and I live among a people of unclean lips, and my eyes have seen the King, the LORD almighty.”**  
**P** We come before you, Lord, in need of healing and wholeness. We, too, live among people of unclean lips.  
**C** **We live in a world where words are used to combat and tear down your children.**  
**P** And we ourselves are a people of unclean lips.  
**C** **Our words can be full of poison, when we use them to hurt those we love and attack the reputations of our neighbors.**  
**P** Lord Jesus, forgive us, renew us, and heal us.  
**C** **O Lord, open our lips so that our mouths will declare your praise.**

*We take time in silence to confess our personal and communal sin before God, confident that we will receive forgiveness.*

- P** Our Lord Jesus transforms us not only by healing our tongues, but by healing the hearts that fuel those tongues. Because we have received Christ himself upon our lips, the word that came to Isaiah comes to us: “See, this has touched your lips; your guilt is taken away and your sin atoned for.” In the stead and by the command of our Lord Jesus Christ I forgive you all your sins in the name of the Father and of the ✠ Son and of the Holy Spirit. Praise the God who heals and forgives his people!

**C** Amen! Thank you, Lord, for your forgiving love.

*This is the Feast*

LSB 155

**C** This is the feast of victory for our God.

Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia.

Worthy is Christ, the Lamb who was slain, whose blood set us free to be people of God.

This is the feast of victory for our God.

Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia.

Power, riches, wisdom, and strength, and honor, blessing, and glory are His.

This is the feast of victory for our God.

Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia.

Sing with all the people of God, and join in the hymn of all creation:

Blessing, honor, glory, and might be to God and the Lamb forever.

Amen.

This is the feast of victory for our God.

Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia.

For the Lamb who was slain has begun His reign. Alleluia.

This is the feast of victory for our God.

Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia.

**First Reading**

*Isaiah 6:1-13*

In the year that King Uzziah died, I saw the Lord, high and exalted, seated on a throne; and the train of his robe filled the temple. <sup>2</sup> Above him were seraphim, each with six wings: With two wings they covered their faces, with two they covered their feet, and with two they were flying. <sup>3</sup> And they were calling to one another: "Holy, holy, holy is the LORD Almighty;

the whole earth is full of his glory."

<sup>4</sup> At the sound of their voices the doorposts and thresholds shook and the temple was filled with smoke.

<sup>5</sup> "Woe to me!" I cried. "I am ruined! For I am a man of unclean lips, and I live among a people of unclean lips, and my eyes have seen the King, the LORD Almighty."

<sup>6</sup> Then one of the seraphim flew to me with a live coal in his hand, which he had taken with tongs from the altar. <sup>7</sup> With it he touched my mouth and said, "See, this has touched your lips; your guilt is taken away and your sin atoned for."

<sup>8</sup> Then 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!"

<sup>9</sup> He said, "Go and tell this people:

"Be ever hearing, but never understanding;  
be ever seeing, but never perceiving."

<sup>10</sup> Make the heart of this people calloused;  
make their ears dull  
and close their eyes.

Otherwise they might see with their eyes,

hear with their ears,  
understand with their hearts,  
and turn and be healed.”

<sup>11</sup> Then I said, “For how long, Lord?”

And he answered:

“Until the cities lie ruined  
and without inhabitant,  
until the houses are left deserted  
and the fields ruined and ravaged,  
<sup>12</sup> until the LORD has sent everyone far away  
and the land is utterly forsaken.

<sup>13</sup> And though a tenth remains in the land,  
it will again be laid waste.

But as the terebinth and oak  
leave stumps when they are cut down,  
so the holy seed will be the stump in the land.”

**A** This is the Word of the Lord.

**C** Thanks be to God.

## Second Reading

*1 Corinthians 15:1-11*

Now, brothers and sisters, I want to remind you of the gospel I preached to you, which you received and on which you have taken your stand. <sup>2</sup> By this gospel you are saved, if you hold firmly to the word I preached to you. Otherwise, you have believed in vain.

<sup>3</sup> For what I received I passed on to you as of first importance: that Christ died for our sins according to the Scriptures, <sup>4</sup> that he was buried, that he was raised on the third day according to the Scriptures, <sup>5</sup> and that he appeared to Cephas, and then to the Twelve. <sup>6</sup> After that, he appeared to more than five hundred of the brothers and sisters at the same time, most of whom are still living, though some have fallen asleep. <sup>7</sup> Then he appeared to James, then to all the apostles, <sup>8</sup> and last of all he appeared to me also, as to one abnormally born.

<sup>9</sup> For I am the least of the apostles and do not even deserve to be called an apostle, because I persecuted the church of God. <sup>10</sup> But by the grace of God I am what I am, and his grace to me was not without effect. No, I worked harder than all of them—yet not I, but the grace of God that was with me. <sup>11</sup> Whether, then, it is I or they, this is what we preach, and this is what you believed.

**A** This is the Word of the Lord.

**C** Thanks be to God.

## Alleluia and Verse

**C** Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia.

These things are written that you may believe that Jesus is the Christ  
the Son of God.

Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia.

## Holy Gospel

*Luke 5:1-11*

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

**C** **Glory to you, O Lord.**

One day as Jesus was standing by the Lake of Gennesaret, the people were crowding around him and listening to the word of God. <sup>2</sup>He saw at the water's edge two boats, left there by the fishermen, who were washing their nets. <sup>3</sup>He got into one of the boats, the one belonging to Simon, and asked him to put out a little from shore. Then he sat down and taught the people from the boat.

<sup>4</sup>When he had finished speaking, he said to Simon, "Put out into deep water, and let down the nets for a catch."

<sup>5</sup>Simon answered, "Master, we've worked hard all night and haven't caught anything. But because you say so, I will let down the nets."

<sup>6</sup>When they had done so, they caught such a large number of fish that their nets began to break. <sup>7</sup>So they signaled their partners in the other boat to come and help them, and they came and filled both boats so full that they began to sink.

<sup>8</sup>When Simon Peter saw this, he fell at Jesus' knees and said, "Go away from me, Lord; I am a sinful man!" <sup>9</sup>For he and all his companions were astonished at the catch of fish they had taken, <sup>10</sup>and so were James and John, the sons of Zebedee, Simon's partners.

Then Jesus said to Simon, "Don't be afraid; from now on you will fish for people." <sup>11</sup>So they pulled their boats up on shore, left everything and followed him.

**P** This is the Gospel of our Lord.

**C** **Praise to you, O Christ.**

***"How Shall They Hear," Who Have Not Heard***

*LSB 831*

- 1** "How shall they hear," who have not heard  
News of a Lord who loved and came;  
Nor known his reconciling word,  
Nor learned to trust a Savior's name?
- 2** "To all the world," to ev'ry place,  
Neighbors and friends and far-off lands,  
Preach the good news of saving grace;  
Go while the great commission stands.
- 3** "Whom shall I send?" Who hears the call,  
Constant in prayer, through toil and pain,  
Telling of One who died for all,  
To bring a lost world home again?
- 4** "Lord, here am I:" Your fire impart  
To this poor cold self-centered soul;  
Touch but my lips, my hands, my heart,  
And make a world for Christ my goal.
- 5** Spirit of love, within us move:  
Spirit of truth, in pow'r come down!

**So shall they hear and find and prove  
Christ is their life, their joy, their crown.**

## **Homily**

### **Nicene Creed**

**C 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 catholic and apostolic Church,  
I acknowledge one Baptism for the remission of sins,  
and I look for the resurrection of the dead  
and the life  $\text{†}$  of the world to come. Amen.**

## **Prayers of the Church**

### **Presentation of the Offering**

*Please sign the Friendship Register located on each pew and pass it to others seated with you so that we may have a record of all those who are worshiping and receiving communion with us today.*

*Stand*

## **Preface**

*spoken*

- P** The Lord be with you.
- C** **And also with you.**
- P** Lift up your hearts.
- C** **We lift them to the Lord**
- P** Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.
- C** **It is right to give him thanks and praise**

## **Sanctus**

*LSB 161*

- C** **Holy, holy, holy Lord God of pow'r and might:  
Heaven and earth are full of Your glory.  
Hosanna. Hosanna.  
Hosanna in the highest.  
Blessed is He who comes in the name of the Lord.  
Hosanna in the highest.**

## **Lord's Prayer**

## **The Words of Our Lord**

### **Agnus Dei**

*LSB 163*

- C** **Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world; have mercy on us.  
Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world; have mercy on us.  
Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world; grant us peace.**

### **Distribution**

*We believe that as we partake of the bread and wine in Holy Communion, Jesus the Messiah is feeding us with his own true body and blood. In eating his body and drinking his blood we receive the promise that our sins are forgiven, and that we will therefore live eternally with God. We also believe that this eating and drinking is a confession of our faith.*

*If you have been baptized into the Christian faith and if you share our understanding of Christ's Real Presence in this meal, you are welcome to receive Christ's body and blood for your benefit.*

### **Holy, Holy, Holy**

*LSB 507*

- 1** **Holy, holy, holy! Lord God Almighty!  
Early in the morning our song shall rise to thee;  
Holy, holy, holy, merciful and mighty!  
God in three persons, blessed Trinity!**
- 2** **Holy, holy, holy! All the saints adore thee,  
Casting down their golden crowns around the glassy sea;**

**Cherubim and seraphim falling down before thee,  
Which wert and art and evermore shalt be.**

**3 Holy, holy, holy! Though the darkness hide thee,  
Though the eye of sinful man thy glory may not see,  
Only Thou art holy; there is none beside thee,  
Perfect in pow'r, in love, and purity.**

**4 Holy, holy, holy! Lord God Almighty!  
All thy works shall praise Thy name in earth and sky and sea.  
Holy, holy, holy, merciful and mighty!  
God in three persons, blessed Trinity!**

*Amazing Grace*

*LSB 744*

**1 Amazing grace—how sweet the sound—  
That saved a wretch like me!  
I once was lost but now am found,  
Was blind but now I see!**

**2 The Lord has promised good to me,  
His Word my hope secures;  
He will my shield and portion be  
As long as life endures.**

**3 Through many dangers, toils, and snares  
I have already come;  
His grace has brought me safe thus far,  
His grace will lead me home.**

**4 Yes, when this flesh and heart shall fail  
And mortal life shall cease,  
Amazing grace shall then prevail  
In heaven's joy and peace.**

**5 When we've been there ten thousand years,  
Bright shining as the sun,  
We've no less days to sing God's praise  
Than when we'd first begun.**

*We are Called to Stand Together*

*LSB 686*

**1 We are called to stand together  
With the saints of ages past,  
With the patriarchs and prophets  
In the faith they once held fast;  
Promises and hopes they treasured  
Now we find fulfilled at last!  
We are called to stand together  
With the saints of ages past.**

- 2        Those whom Jesus called apostles  
            Journeyed with him side by side,  
Heard his teaching, felt his power,  
            Saw the way he lived and died;  
Then the news of resurrection  
            They delivered far and wide.  
Those whom Jesus called apostles  
            Journeyed with him side by side.
- 3        Through the intervening ages  
            Round the world the Gospel spread:  
Faithful heralds took the message,  
            Guided where the Spirit led;  
So the body grew in stature,  
            Serving Christ, the living head.  
Through the intervening ages  
            Round the world the Gospel spread.
- 4        Now in many tongues and cultures  
            Songs of celebration ring;  
Millions who confess our Savior  
            Honor him as Lord and King  
And, for courage, grace and guidance  
            Ev'ry day their prayers they bring.  
Now in many tongues and cultures  
            Songs of celebration ring.
- 5        To each coming generation  
            Tell the truth, persuade, explain,  
Till the time when time is ended,  
            Till the Savior comes again—  
Till the saints are all united  
            Under Christ's eternal reign!  
To each coming generation  
            Tell the truth, persuade, explain.

*Beautiful Savior*

*LSB 537*

- 1        Beautiful Savior,  
            King of creation,  
Son of God and Son of Man!  
            Truly I'd love thee,  
            Truly I'd serve thee,  
Light of my soul, my joy, my crown.
- 2        Fair are the meadows,  
            Fair are the woodlands,  
Robed in flow'rs of blooming spring;

Jesus is fairer,  
Jesus is purer,  
He makes our sorr'wing spirit sing.

3 Fair is the sunshine,  
Fair is the moonlight,  
Bright the sparkling stars on high;  
Jesus shines brighter,  
Jesus shines purer  
Than all the angels in the sky.

4 Beautiful Savior,  
Lord of the nations,  
Son of God and Son of Man!  
Glory and honor,  
Praise, adoration  
Now and forevermore be thine!

## Dismissal

### Benediction

*LSB 166*

**P** The Lord bless you and keep you.  
The Lord make his face shine on you and be gracious to you.  
The Lord look upon you with favor and ✠ give you peace.

**C** Amen.

### *Spread the Reign of God the Lord*

*LSB 830*

1 Spread the reign of God the Lord,  
Spoken, written, mighty Word;  
Ev'rywhere his creatures call  
To his heav'nly banquet hall.

2 Tell how God the Father's will  
Made the world, upholds it still,  
How his own dear Son he gave  
Us from sin and death to save.

3 Tell of our Redeemer's grace,  
Who, to save our human race  
And to pay rebellion's price,  
Gave himself as sacrifice.

4 Tell of God the Spirit giv'n  
Now to guide us on to heav'n,  
Strong and holy, just and true,  
Working both to will and do.

- 5 Enter, mighty Word, the field;  
Ripe the promise of its yield.  
But the reapers, oh, how few  
For the work there is to do!
- 6 Lord of harvest, great and kind,  
Rouse to action heart and mind;  
Let the gath'ring nations all  
See your light and heed your call.

## **Announcements**

### **Sending**

- P** Go in peace to love and serve the Lord.  
**C** Thanks be to God!

## Serving in Worship This Morning

February 6, 2022

**Pastor:**

Jason Neel

**Elder:**

Phil Hagel

### In our prayers

**Celebrating Birthdays:** Andrew Kuntz 2/7, Jim Weinhold 2/8, and Lauren Pack 2/9.

### This Week at a Glance

Today	8:00 a.m.	Bible Study
	9:00 a.m.	Worship Service
	10:15 a.m.	Bible Study
	11:00 a.m.	Youth Group Service Project at NACE.
Tuesday	6:00 p.m.	<i>Free to Be</i> Study
	12:00 p.m.	Congregational Prayer
	7:00 p.m.	Elder Meeting
Thursday	3:00 p.m.	Grief Share
	7:00 p.m.	Choir
Friday	6:00 a.m.	Men's Bible Study
Sunday	8:00 a.m.	Bible Study
	9:00 a.m.	Worship Service
	10:15 a.m.	Bible Study and Sunday School
	11:30 a.m.	NYG Parent and Youth Meeting
	6:00 p.m.	<i>Free to Be</i> Study

### Notes of Information:

**Masking Recommendation-** According to the MN Dept of Health it is recommended that people wear well-fitting masks when you are in public indoor setting. The Spirit of Christ council is asking that you consider masking during church services as Anoka County is currently experiencing a rise in Covid 19 cases.

**Spirit of Christ turns 40!** We would like to commemorate this milestone on Rally Day and are looking for people to plan the festivities. If you are interested in helping plan this event, please reach out the Laura in the church office or Sandy Elhardt.

**Women's Bible Study-** Join us tomorrow night at 7 PM for Women's Bible Study where we will open God's love letter to us, the Bible, and take a closer look at the story of Ruth and Naomi.

**Adult Catechism:** Adult Catechism will resume tonight please read Chapters 2-4 for tonight's class. For the past 17 years, confirmands at Spirit of Christ have read

*Free to Be*, an exploration of Luther's Small Catechism intended for younger audiences. Join us to think through the Ten Commandments, the Apostles' Creed, the Lord's Prayer, Holy Baptism, Holy Communion, and the Office of the Keys in the context of St. Paul's picture of the "Old You" and the "New You." Pick up a copy of the book in the office for \$13, and plan to join us on Sunday evenings as we explore the Christian faith!

**Library-** There has been some progress made on sorting and shelving the library books. Fiction, non-fiction, biographies, and children's books are good. Work has begun on the "Christian Family" category. It is loosely divided by "age/stage," with small sections for men, women, marriage, parenting, issues that may come up in families, teens/young adults, and emotions. There are also some books on the shelf with "inspirational" themes, which have so far only been sorted by category. A group labeled "Bible Helps" is also currently piled in the library floor, awaiting further work. In the meantime, **you are strongly encouraged to browse the library**, and check out any of the books on the shelves. If you have books you would like to donate to the library, they also will be considered, particularly Christian fiction. Any questions may be directed to Lois Spadgenske, at [SecondTim1.5@gmail.com](mailto:SecondTim1.5@gmail.com), or 763-757-5377.

**Adopt a Student Address:** The Stewardship Board has received inquiries about an address for our assigned Seminarian. Those wishing to send a Christmas card, note of encouragement, and/or a small gift, may use the following address: Jonathan and Stephanie Chapa, Campus Post Office Box, 801 Seminary Place, St. Louis Missouri 63105-3196. Thank you for your interest. The love and generosity in our church family is truly amazing!

**Book Club:** The book for February will be *Remember Me Like This* by Bret Anthony Johnston. The Spirit of Christ Book Club will meet on Monday, February 28<sup>th</sup> at 7 p.m. in Fellowship Hall. All are invited to attend our book review. Call Joan Mager at 763-434-9652 if you have any questions.

**NACE:** Do you know someone in need of food? NACE is expanding their Home Delivery Program and would like to help those who may not be able to drive or find a ride to the food shelf. The Delivery Program brings a complete grocery order right to your door, including produce, bakery, meats, dairy, canned goods, and hygiene products. If you or someone you know could benefit from NACE Home Delivery please call Katie @763-434-7685 or e mail at [kritchel@nacefoodshelf.org](mailto:kritchel@nacefoodshelf.org)

**Sermons and bulletins posted online:** Audio recordings of worship sermons and digital bulletins are posted weekly at [soclc.org](http://soclc.org). Check them out if you are not able to make it to drive in worship or would like to avoid a paper bulletin! Bulletins and past sermons can be found at [www.spiritofchristhamlake.org](http://www.spiritofchristhamlake.org)

**Main Street Living:** Main Street Living is a Lutheran Television program that is endorsed by the Lutheran Church-Missouri Synod. The broadcast has two parts.

Remastered episodes of the Emmy award-winning Lutheran Hour Ministries “This is the Life” program was originally aired from the 1950’s to the 1980’s. This program has been re-mastered to the modern format. The Worship Service is produced locally and features a different presenter each week selected from the Pastors in each broadcast area. 9+ Sunday Mornings at 9 am.

**Offerings via Give+:** Online giving is easy to do, one-time gifts and recurring donations are accepted. Visit the link at [soclc.org](http://soclc.org) to sign up or learn more.

'The Lutheran Hour' can be heard at 6:00 a.m. Sundays on WCCO radio

<b>January 23, 2022</b>	
Average Offering	\$4841
<i>Average offering needed per week to fulfill work plan</i>	\$6335

**Readings for next week:**

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



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