

Fourth Sunday after the Epiphany  
Divine Service, Setting One  
January 30, 2022

**Regarding the Lord's Supper** – *Today as we celebrate the Sacrament of Holy Communion we will receive the body and blood of our Savior. We receive the forgiveness of our sins and the strengthening of our faith. Mindful of the Scriptural teaching concerning Church fellowship (Acts 2:42; 1 Cor. 10:17; 1 Cor. 11:26; Rom. 16:17), we practice closed communion. Communicant members of this congregation, or another congregation of the Lutheran Church Missouri Synod, are encouraged to commune this morning. Guests desiring to receive the sacrament are encouraged to speak with the pastor.*

**Prelude**

**Words of Welcome**

**Stand**

**THY STRONG WORD**

LSB 578

1 Thy strong word did cleave the darkness;  
At Thy speaking it was done.  
For created light we thank Thee,  
While Thine ordered seasons run.  
Alleluia, alleluia!  
Praise to Thee who light dost send!  
Alleluia, alleluia!

Alleluia without end!

2        Lo, on those who dwelt in darkness,  
          Dark as night and deep as death,  
          Broke the light of Thy salvation,  
          Breathed Thine own life-breathing breath.  
Alleluia, alleluia!  
          Praise to Thee who light dost send!  
Alleluia, alleluia!  
          Alleluia without end!

3        Thy strong Word bespeaks us righteous;  
          Bright with Thine own holiness,  
          Glorious now, we press toward glory,  
          And our lives our hopes confess.  
Alleluia, alleluia!  
          Praise to Thee who light dost send!  
Alleluia, alleluia!  
          Alleluia without end!

4        From the cross Thy wisdom shining  
          Breaketh forth in conqu'ring might;  
          From the cross forever beameth  
          All Thy bright redeeming light.  
Alleluia, alleluia!  
          Praise to Thee who light dost send!  
Alleluia, alleluia!  
          Alleluia without end!

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***The sign of the cross may be made by all in***

***remembrance of their Baptism.***

**INVOCATION**

LSB 151

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

**C** Amen.

**EXHORTATION**

LSB 151

**P** If we say we have no sin, we deceive ourselves, and the truth is not in us.

**C** But if we confess our sins, God, who is faithful and just, will forgive our sins and cleanse us from all unrighteousness.

***Silence for reflection on God's Word and for self-examination.***

**CONFESSION OF SINS**

LSB 151

**P** Let us then confess our sins to God our Father.

**C** Most merciful God, we confess that we are by nature sinful and unclean. We have sinned against You in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done and by what we have left undone. We have not loved You with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. We justly deserve Your present and eternal punishment. For the sake of Your Son, Jesus Christ, have mercy on us. Forgive us, renew us, and lead us, so that we may delight in Your will and walk in Your ways to the glory of Your holy name. Amen.

## ABSOLUTION

LSB 151

**P** Almighty God in His mercy has given His Son to die for you and for His sake forgives you all your sins. As a called and ordained servant of Christ, and by His authority, I therefore forgive you all your sins in the name of the Father and of the ✠ Son and of the Holy Spirit.

**C** Amen.

## Stand

### INTROIT

Ps. 10:16–18; antiphon: Ps. 10:12

**P** Arise, O LORD; O God, lift up your hand; forget not the afflicted.

**C** The LORD is king forever and ever; the nations perish from his land.

**P** O LORD, you hear the desire of the afflicted; you will strengthen their heart;

**C** you will incline your ear to do justice to the fatherless and the oppressed, so that man who is of the earth may strike terror no more.

All **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.**

**P** Arise, O LORD; O God, lift up your hand; forget not the afflicted.

### KYRIE

LSB 152

**P** In peace let us pray to the Lord.

**C** Lord, have mercy.

**P** For the peace from above and for our salvation let us

pray to the Lord.

**C Lord, have mercy.**

**P** For the peace of the whole world, for the well-being of the Church of God, and for the unity of all let us pray to the Lord.

**C Lord, have mercy.**

**P** For this holy house and for all who offer here their worship and praise let us pray to the Lord.

**C Lord, have mercy.**

**P** Help, save, comfort, and defend us, gracious Lord.

**C Amen.**

### *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.**

*SALUTATION AND COLLECT OF THE DAY*

**P** The Lord be with you.

**C** And also with you.

**P** Let us pray.

**C** Almighty God, You know we live in the midst of so many dangers that in our frailty we cannot stand upright. Grant strength and protection to support us in all dangers and carry us through all temptations; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.

***Sit***

***OLD TESTAMENT READING***

Jeremiah 1:4–10

<sup>4</sup>Now the word of the LORD came to me, saying,  
<sup>5</sup>“Before I formed you in the womb I knew you,  
and before you were born I consecrated you;  
I appointed you a prophet to the nations.”  
<sup>6</sup>Then I said, “Ah, Lord GOD! Behold, I do not know how to  
speak, for I am only a youth.” <sup>7</sup>But the LORD said to me,  
“Do not say, ‘I am only a youth’;  
for to all to whom I send you, you shall go,

and whatever I command you, you shall speak.

<sup>8</sup>Do not be afraid of them,  
for I am with you to deliver you,  
declares the LORD.”

<sup>9</sup>Then the LORD put out his hand and touched my mouth.

And the LORD said to me,

“Behold, I have put my words in your mouth.

<sup>10</sup>See, I have set you this day over nations and over  
kingdoms,  
to pluck up and to break down,  
to destroy and to overthrow,  
to build and to plant.”

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

**C** **Thanks be to God.**

## *EPISTLE*

1 Corinthians 12:31—13:13

<sup>31</sup>But earnestly desire the higher gifts.

And I will show you a still more excellent way.

<sup>1</sup>If I speak in the tongues of men and of angels, but have not love, I am a noisy gong or a clanging cymbal. <sup>2</sup>And if I have prophetic powers, and understand all mysteries and all knowledge, and if I have all faith, so as to remove mountains, but have not love, I am nothing. <sup>3</sup>If I give away all I have, and if I deliver up my body to be burned, but have not love, I gain nothing.

<sup>4</sup>Love is patient and kind; love does not envy or boast; it is not arrogant <sup>5</sup>or rude. It does not insist on its own way; it is not irritable or resentful; <sup>6</sup>it does not rejoice at wrongdoing, but rejoices with the truth. <sup>7</sup>Love bears all things, believes all things, hopes all things, endures all things.

<sup>8</sup>Love never ends. As for prophecies, they will pass away; as for tongues, they will cease; as for knowledge, it will pass away. <sup>9</sup>For we know in part and we prophesy in part, <sup>10</sup>but when the perfect comes, the partial will pass away. <sup>11</sup>When I was a child, I spoke like a child, I thought like a child, I reasoned like a child. When I became a man, I gave up childish ways. <sup>12</sup>For now we see in a mirror dimly, but then face to face. Now I know in part; then I shall know fully, even as I have been fully known.

<sup>13</sup>So now faith, hope, and love abide, these three; but the greatest of these is love.

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

**C** Thanks be to God.

## ***Stand***

### *COMMON ALLELUIA AND VERSE*

LSB 156

**C** Alleluia.

**Lord, to whom shall we go?**

**You have the words of eternal life.**

**Alleluia, alleluia.**

### *HOLY GOSPEL*

Luke 4:31–44

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

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

<sup>31</sup>And he went down to Capernaum, a city of Galilee. And he was teaching them on the Sabbath, <sup>32</sup>and they were astonished at his teaching, for his word possessed authority.



<sup>33</sup>And in the synagogue there was a man who had the spirit of an unclean demon, and he cried out with a loud voice,  
<sup>34</sup>“Ha! What have you to do with us, Jesus of Nazareth? Have you come to destroy us? I know who you are—the Holy One of God.” <sup>35</sup>But Jesus rebuked him, saying, “Be silent and come out of him!” And when the demon had thrown him down in their midst, he came out of him, having done him no harm. <sup>36</sup>And they were all amazed and said to one another, “What is this word? For with authority and power he commands the unclean spirits, and they come out!” <sup>37</sup>And reports about him went out into every place in the surrounding region.

<sup>38</sup>And he arose and left the synagogue and entered Simon’s house. Now Simon’s mother-in-law was ill with a high fever, and they appealed to him on her behalf. <sup>39</sup>And he stood over her and rebuked the fever, and it left her, and immediately she rose and began to serve them.

<sup>40</sup>Now when the sun was setting, all those who had any who were sick with various diseases brought them to him, and he laid his hands on every one of them and healed them. <sup>41</sup>And demons also came out of many, crying, “You are the Son of God!” But he rebuked them and would not allow them to speak, because they knew that he was the Christ.

<sup>42</sup>And when it was day, he departed and went into a desolate place. And the people sought him and came to him, and would have kept him from leaving them, <sup>43</sup>but he said to them, “I must preach the good news of the kingdom of God to the other towns as well; for I was sent for this purpose.”

<sup>44</sup>And he was preaching in the synagogues of Judea.

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

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

***Sit***

*SON OF GOD, ETERNAL SAVIOR*

LSB 842

1        Son of God, eternal Savior,  
          Source of life and truth and grace,  
          Word made flesh, whose birth among us  
          Hallows all our human race,  
          You our Head, who, throned in glory,  
          For Your own will ever plead:  
          Fill us with Your love and pity,  
          Heal our wrongs, and help our need.

2        As You, Lord, have lived for others,  
          So may we for others live.  
          Freely have Your gifts been granted;  
          Freely may Your servants give.  
          Yours the gold and Yours the silver,  
          Yours the wealth of land and sea;  
          We but stewards of Your bounty  
          Held in solemn trust will be.

3        Come, O Christ, and reign among us,  
          King of love and Prince of Peace;  
          Hush the storm of strife and passion,  
          Bid its cruel discords cease.  
          By Your patient years of toiling,  
          By Your silent hours of pain,  
          Quench our fevered thirst of pleasure,

Stem our selfish greed of gain.

4           Son of God, eternal Savior,  
              Source of life and truth and grace,  
              Word made flesh, whose birth among us  
              Hallows all our human race:  
              By Your praying, by Your willing  
              That Your people should be one,  
              Grant, O grant our hope's fruition:  
              Here on earth Your will be done.

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## *SERMON*

### ***Stand***

### *APOSTLES' CREED*

**☐ I believe in God, the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth.**

**And in Jesus Christ, His only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died and was buried. He descended into hell. The third day He rose again from the dead. He ascended into heaven and sits at the right hand of God the Father Almighty. From thence He will come to judge the living and the dead.**

**I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy Christian Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness**

of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life ✠  
everlasting. Amen.

## *PRAYER OF THE CHURCH*

***Sit***

## *OFFERING*

***Stand***

## *OFFERTORY*

LSB 159

- ☐** What shall I render to the Lord for all His benefits to me?  
I will offer the sacrifice of thanksgiving and will call on the name of the Lord.  
I will take the cup of salvation and will call on the name of the Lord.  
I will pay my vows to the Lord now in the presence of all His people,  
in the courts of the Lord's house, in the midst of you, O Jerusalem.

## *PREFACE*

LSB 160

- ☐** 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 Him thanks and praise.

## *PROPER PREFACE (FULL)*

**P** It is truly good, 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 what had been hidden from before the foundation of the world You have made known to the nations in Your Son. In Him, being found in the substance of our mortal nature, You have manifested the fullness of Your glory. 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 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.**

## *PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING*

LSB 161

**P** Blessed are You, Lord of heaven and earth, for You have had mercy on those whom You created and sent Your only-begotten Son into our flesh to bear our sin and be our Savior. With repentant joy we receive the salvation accomplished for us by the all-availing sacrifice of His body and His blood on the cross.

Gathered in the name and the remembrance of Jesus, we beg You, O Lord, to forgive, renew, and strengthen

us with Your Word and Spirit. Grant us faithfully to eat His body and drink His blood as He bids us do in His own testament. Gather us together, we pray, from the ends of the earth to celebrate with all the faithful the marriage feast of the Lamb in His kingdom, which has no end. Graciously receive our prayers; deliver and preserve us. To You alone, O Father, be all glory, honor, and worship, with the Son and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

**C** **Amen.**

### *LORD'S PRAYER*

LSB 162

**P** Lord, remember us in Your kingdom and teach us to pray:

**C** **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. For Thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory forever and ever. Amen.**

### *THE WORDS OF OUR LORD*

LSB 162

**P** Our Lord Jesus Christ, on the night when He was betrayed, took bread, and when He had given thanks, He broke it and gave it to the disciples and said: "Take, eat; this is My ✠ body, which is given for you. This do in remembrance of Me."

In the same way also He took the cup after supper, and

when He had given thanks, He gave it to them, saying:  
“Drink of it, all of you; this cup is the new testament in  
My ✠ blood, which is shed for you for the forgiveness of  
sins. This do, as often as you drink it, in remembrance  
of Me.”

*PAX DOMINI*

LSB 163

**P** The peace of the Lord be with you always.

**C** Amen.

*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.

*Sit*

*DISTRIBUTION*

*YOUR TABLE / APPROACH*

LSB 628

1 Your table I approach;  
Dear Savior, hear my prayer.  
Let not an unrepentant heart  
Prove hurtful to me there.

2 Lord, I confess my sins  
And mourn their wretched bands;  
A contrite heart is sure to find

Forgiveness at Your hands.

- 3        Your body and Your blood,  
          Once slain and shed for me,  
          Are taken at Your table, Lord,  
          In blest reality.
- 4        Search not how this takes place,  
          This wondrous mystery;  
          God can accomplish vastly more  
          Than what we think could be.
- 5        O grant, most blessed Lord,  
          That earth and hell combined  
          May not about this sacrament  
          Raise doubt within my mind.
- 6        Oh, may I never fail  
          To thank You day and night  
          For Your true body and true blood,  
          O God, my peace and light.

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*I AM TRUSTING THEE, LORD JESUS*

LSB 729

- 1        I am trusting Thee, Lord Jesus,  
          Trusting only Thee;  
          Trusting Thee for full salvation,  
          Great and free.
- 2        I am trusting Thee for pardon;  
          At Thy feet I bow,



For Thy grace and tender mercy  
Trusting now.

3 I am trusting Thee for cleansing  
In the crimson flood;  
Trusting Thee to make me holy  
By Thy blood.

4 I am trusting Thee to guide me;  
Thou alone shalt lead,  
Ev'ry day and hour supplying  
All my need.

5 I am trusting Thee for power;  
Thine can never fail.  
Words which Thou Thyself shalt give me  
Must prevail.

6 I am trusting Thee, Lord Jesus;  
Never let me fall.  
I am trusting Thee forever  
And for all.

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*THERE IS A BALM IN GILEAD*

LSB 749

ref There is a balm in Gilead  
To make the wounded whole;  
There is a balm in Gilead  
To heal the sin-sick soul.

1 Sometimes I feel discouraged

And think my work's in vain,  
But then the Holy Spirit  
Revives my soul again. Refrain

2 If you cannot preach like Peter,  
If you cannot pray like Paul,  
You can tell the love of Jesus  
And say He died for all. Refrain

3 Don't ever feel discouraged,  
For Jesus is your friend;  
And if you lack for knowledge,  
He'll ne'er refuse to lend. Refrain

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## ***Stand***

*THANK THE LORD*

LSB 164

**☐ Thank the Lord and sing His praise; tell ev'ryone  
what He has done.  
Let all who seek the Lord rejoice and proudly bear  
His name.  
He recalls His promises and leads His people forth  
in joy  
with shouts of thanksgiving. Alleluia, alleluia.**

*POST-COMMUNION COLLECT*

**☐ 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 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.**

*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.**

*Sit*

*GO, MY CHILDREN, WITH MY BLESSING*

LSB 922

1 Go, My children, with My blessing,  
Never alone.  
Waking, sleeping, I am with you;  
You are My own.  
In My love's baptismal river  
I have made you Mine forever.  
Go, My children, with My blessing—  
You are My own.

2 Go, My children, sins forgiven,  
At peace and pure.  
Here you learned how much I love you,  
What I can cure.  
Here you heard My dear Son's story;

Here you touched Him, saw His glory.  
Go, My children, sins forgiven,  
At peace and pure.

3        Go, My children, fed and nourished,  
            Closer to Me;  
            Grow in love and love by serving,  
            Joyful and free.  
            Here My Spirit's power filled you;  
            Here His tender comfort stilled you.  
Go, My children, fed and nourished,  
            Joyful and free.

4        I the Lord will bless and keep you  
            And give you peace;  
I the Lord will smile upon you  
            And give you peace:  
            I the Lord will be your Father,  
            Savior, Comforter, and Brother.  
Go, My children; I will keep you  
            And give you peace.

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## *POSTLUDE*

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## **Announcements**

**COMING SOON!** – Set your calendar for Feb. 13<sup>th</sup>, for our Souper Bowl Sunday!! Get it? Souper? Soup! All are welcome to enjoy a wonderful meal and some great fellowship with your church family!

**Start the New Year with the Bible!** – Start the new year by building a habit of reading

the Bible and/or having family devotions. On the resource table, you can find the Portals of Prayer, and also five different Bible reading plans that may interest you. Take a look ... and let the Word of Christ live deeply in your life!

**2021 Yearly Giving Statements** – The 2021 statements are available and can be emailed to you if you wish. If desired, please email Lisa Talbott at [FinSecretary@ctklcms.org](mailto:FinSecretary@ctklcms.org) . Thank you.

**Memory Verse Challenge for this Week:** Exodus 34:6 – The LORD passed before him and proclaimed, “The LORD, the LORD, a God merciful and gracious, slow to anger, and abounding in steadfast love and faithfulness.”

**Scripture Readings for Next Sunday:**

Isaiah 6:1-8 – Isaiah’s vision of the seraphim.

1 Corinthians 14:12b-30 – Excel in gifts that build up the church.

Luke 5:1-11 – The miraculous catch of fish.

**Prayer List** – Jim and Noah; Donald; Jim; Spike; Mike; Loretta; Lois; Peggy; Lois; Christine; Judy; Lisa; Dave; Barbara; Isabel; Roma; Ruth; Mireya; Cathy; Marjorie; Daliza; Barbara.

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**Serving Today:**

Elder – Charlie T.  
 Ushers – Tony C. and Tom G.  
 Organist – Kathy Y.  
 Greeter – Harburg  
 Acolyte – Lauren  
 Altar Guild – Kathy Y.  
 Camera – Lisa T.  
 Tellers – Walt B. & Angela F.

**Serving Next Week:**

Elder – Dave B.  
 Ushers – Jerry H. and Clair S.  
 Organ – Stan S.  
 Greeter – Horn  
 Acolyte – Katie  
 Altar Guild – Angela F.  
 Camera – Angela F.  
 Tellers – Tom G. & Melissa S.

**Upcoming Calendar**

1-30-22	9am	Sunday School and Adult Bible Class
	10am	Worship
	11:30am	Youth Confirmation
	4pm	Chapel at Sun Towers
2-1-22	2pm	Book of the Month Bible Class: John 14
2-2-22	6:30pm	Wed. Bible Class
2-6-22	9am	Sunday School and Adult Bible Class
	10am	Worship
2-7-22	7pm	Elders meeting
2-8-22		NO BOOK OF THE MONTH BIBLE STUDY
2-9-22	6:30pm	Wed. Bible Study