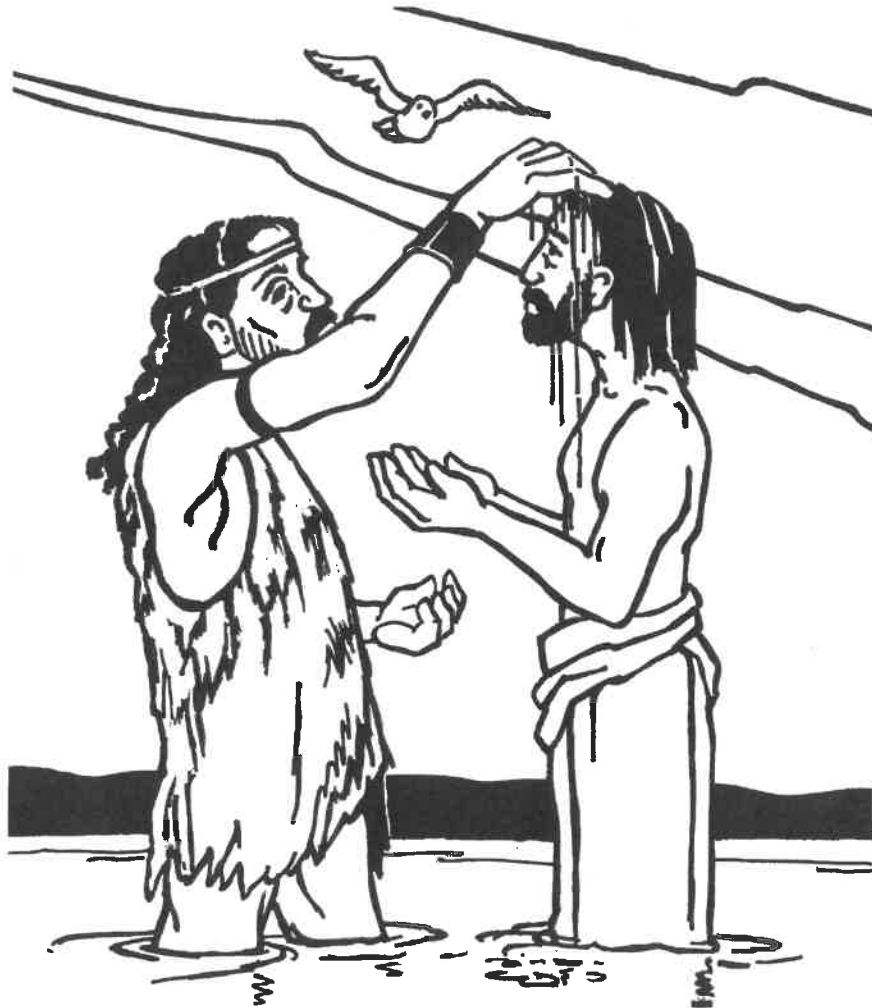


# Lake of the Isles Lutheran Church

## ✠ Baptism of Our Lord ✠

January 13, 2019

The Baptism of Our Lord cannot help but recall our own and all baptismal blessings. We recall and celebrate our adoption as daughters and sons, the gift of the Holy Spirit, and the promised company of almighty God when we “pass through the waters . . . the rivers . . . fire.” On this day the heavens open again for this assembly, and we receive the gift of the beloved Son of God in bread and wine.



*Inspired by Christ,  
living and growing in faith,  
we are a loving and open community  
of worship, witness, and service in God's world.*



## ✦ Gathering ✦

*Following the call of God's Spirit, the community of faith gathers, welcoming one another and praying for God's mercy to fill the church and the world.*

*We invite you to use the prelude time to prepare your heart and mind for worship.*

**Prelude**

***Kings Lynn***

*Arr. K. Vigne*

**Welcome**

**Call to  
Worship**

*Please stand as  
you are able.*

### **Psalm 29**

The voice of the LORD is over the waters; the God of glory thunders, the LORD, over mighty waters.

**The voice of the LORD is powerful; the voice of the LORD is full of majesty.**

The voice of the LORD flashes forth flames of fire.

**The voice of the LORD shakes the wilderness; the LORD shakes the wilderness of Kadesh.**

The voice of the LORD causes the oaks to whirl, and strips the forest bare; and in his temple all say, "Glory!"

**The LORD sits enthroned over the flood; the LORD sits enthroned as king forever.**

May the LORD give strength to his people!

**May the LORD bless his people with peace!**

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**

**Gathering  
Hymn**

***When Jesus Came to Jordan***

*ELW #305*

**Apostolic  
Greeting**

**P:** The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

**C:** And also with you.

**Kyrie**

*Russian*

1,3 Ky - ri - e e - lei - son. Ky - ri - e e - lei - son.  
2 Chris - te e - lei - son. Chris - te e - lei - son.

Ky - ri - e e - lei - son.  
Chris - te e - lei - son.

Music: Russian Orthodox traditional

# Gloria



*Peruvian*

## *Glory to God, Glory in the Highest*

Leader  
 Glo-ry to God, glo-ry to God, glo-ry in the high - est!

All  
 Glo-ry to God, glo-ry to God, glo-ry in the high - est!

Leader All  
 To God be glo-ry for-ev - er! To God be glo-ry for-ev - er!

Leader Leader  
 Al-le-lu-ia! A-men! Al-le-lu-ia! A-men!

Group 1 Group 1, 2  
 Al-le-lu-ia! A-men! Al-le-lu-ia! A-men! Al-le-lu-ia! A-men!

Leader  
 Al-le-lu-ia! A-men!

Group 1, 2, 3  
 Al-le-lu-ia! A-men! Al-le-lu-ia! A-men! Al-le-lu-ia! A-men! Al-le-lu-ia! A - men!

Music: Peruvian traditional

### Prayer of the Day

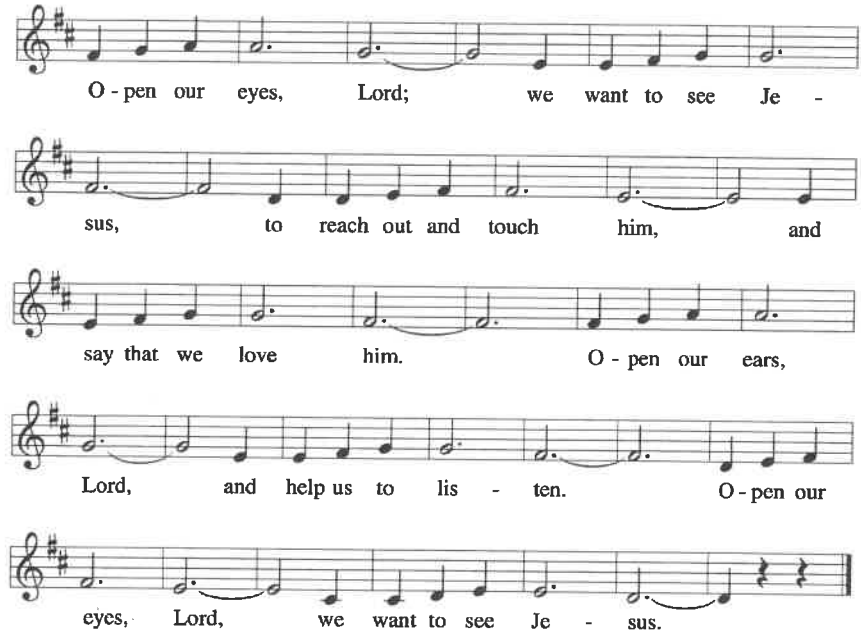
Almighty God, you anointed Jesus at his baptism with the Holy Spirit and revealed him as your beloved Son. Keep all who are born of water and the Spirit faithful in your service, that we may rejoice to be called children of God, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen

### ✦ Word ✦

The Word of God comes alive for the gathered community  
 As God speaks to us in scriptures read, sung and preached.

### Children's Message

## Dismissal Song



O - pen our eyes, Lord; we want to see Je -  
 sus, to reach out and touch him, and  
 say that we love him. O - pen our ears,  
 Lord, and help us to lis - ten. O - pen our  
 eyes, Lord, we want to see Je - sus.

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Music: OPEN OUR EYES, Bob Cull, b. 1949

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### Isaiah 43:1-7

*Near the end of Israel's exile in Babylon, God promises to bring them home. They need no longer be afraid, because the one who formed, created, and called them by name now redeems them from all their enemies.*



*Please stand as you are able*

## Reading

<sup>1</sup>But now thus says the LORD, he who created you, O Jacob, he who formed you, O Israel: Do not fear, for I have redeemed you; I have called you by name, you are mine. <sup>2</sup>When you pass through the waters, I will be with you; and through the rivers, they shall not overwhelm you; when you walk through fire you shall not be burned, and the flame shall not consume you. <sup>3</sup>For I am the LORD your God, the Holy One of Israel, your Savior. I give Egypt as your ransom, Ethiopia and Seba in exchange for you. <sup>4</sup>Because you are precious in my sight, and honored, and I love you, I give people in return for you, nations in exchange for your life. <sup>5</sup>Do not fear, for I am with you; I will bring your offspring from the east, and from the west I will gather you; <sup>6</sup>I will say to the north, "Give them up," and to the south, "Do not withhold; bring my sons from far away and my daughters from the end of the earth—<sup>7</sup>everyone who is called by my name, whom I created for my glory, whom I formed and made."

Word of God, Word of Life. **Thanks be to God.**

*Caribbean*

### Hallelujah



Hal-le, hal - le, hal - le - lu - jah. Hal - le, hal - le, hal -  
 - le - lu - jah. Hal - le, hal - le, hal - le -  
 lu - jah. Hal - le - lu - jah. Hal - le - lu - jah.

Music: Caribbean traditional

**Luke 3:15-17, 21-22**

*The reading opens with questions about the identity of the Messiah. John the Baptist insists that he is not the Messiah; instead he points ahead to one who is coming.*

**Apostles'  
Creed**

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

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

### **Gospel**

<sup>4</sup>John the baptizer appeared in the wilderness, proclaiming a baptism of repentance for the forgiveness of sins. <sup>5</sup>And people from the whole Judean countryside and all the people of Jerusalem were going out to him, and were baptized by him in the river Jordan, confessing their sins. <sup>6</sup>Now John was clothed with camel's hair, with a leather belt around his waist, and he ate locusts and wild honey. <sup>7</sup>He proclaimed, "The one who is more powerful than I is coming after me; I am not worthy to stoop down and untie the thong of his sandals. <sup>8</sup>I have baptized you with water; but he will baptize you with the Holy Spirit."

<sup>9</sup>In those days Jesus came from Nazareth of Galilee and was baptized by John in the Jordan. <sup>10</sup>And just as he was coming up out of the water, he saw the heavens torn apart and the Spirit descending like a dove on him. <sup>11</sup>And a voice came from heaven, "You are my Son, the Beloved; with you I am well pleased."

**P:** The Gospel of our Lord.

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

### **Baptismal Remembrance**

*The water used today for the baptismal remembrance was drawn from the River Jordan during Pastor Haug's tour to the Holy Land.*

Blessed are you, O God, maker and ruler of all things. Your voice thundered over the waters at creation. You water the mountains and send springs into the valleys to refresh and satisfy all living things.

Through the waters of the flood you carried those in the ark to safety. Through the sea you led your people Israel from slavery to freedom. In the wilderness you nourished them with water from the rock, and you brought them across the river Jordan to the promised land.

By the baptism of his death and resurrection, your Son Jesus has carried us to safety and freedom. The floods shall not overwhelm us, and the deep shall not swallow us up, for Christ has brought us over to the land of promise. He sends us to make disciples, baptizing in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

Pour out your Holy Spirit; wash away sin in this cleansing water; clothe the baptized with Christ; and claim your daughters and sons, no longer slave and free, no longer male and female, but one with all the baptized in Christ Jesus, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. **Amen.**

Do you believe in God the Father?

**I believe in God, the Father almighty,  
creator of heaven and earth.**

Do you believe in Jesus Christ, the Son of God?

**I believe in Jesus Christ, God's 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 to the dead.  
On the third day he rose again;  
he ascended into heaven,  
he is seated at the right hand of the Father,  
and he will come to judge the living and the dead.

Do you believe in God the Holy Spirit?

I believe in the Holy Spirit,  
the holy catholic church,  
the communion of saints,  
the forgiveness of sins,  
the resurrection of the body,  
and the life everlasting. Amen.

### **Sermon**

*Following the sermon, we will take a moment of silence to reflect on today's gospel message.*

### ***Christ, When for Us You Were Baptized***

*ELW #304*

### **Prayers of the Church**

P: United as one body in Christ, let us pray for the church, the world, and all those in need.

*A brief silence.*

A: We pray for the church. Pour out your Spirit upon us and enliven us for mission. Draw us together in love.... Lord in your mercy,

C: **hear our prayer.**

P: Into your hands, God of abundant grace, we commend all for whom we pray, trusting in your mercy, through Jesus Christ, our Savior.

C: **Amen.**

### **Greeting of Peace**

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

C: **And also with you.**

*After the greeting, please share a word of peace with your neighbors.*

### **✠ Offering ✠**

*Lake of the Isles Lutheran Church is supported through the generous gifts of time, talent and treasure of our friends and members. In order to fulfill our mission and ministry, we need to receive approximately \$6,000 in offerings each week. We thank you for your support and partnership in the proclamation of the good news.*

*Please be seated.*

### **Hymn of the Day**

*Please stand as you are able.*



*Please be seated*

## Order My Steps

Glen Burleigh/ Jack Schrader

*Order my steps in your Word, dear Lord; Lead me, guide me every day.  
Send your anointing, Father I pray. Order my steps in your Word, please.  
Humbly I ask Thee, teach me your will, While you are working, help me be still.  
Tho' Satan is busy, God is real! Order my steps in your Word, please.  
I want to walk worthy, Lord, my calling to fulfill. Please order my steps, Lord,  
Order my steps and I'll do your blessed will  
The world is every changing, but you are still the same.  
Order my steps, order my tongue, guide my feet, wash my heart.  
Show me how to walk, show me hoe to talk. I need a brand new song to sing*

*El Salvadoran*

*Refrain / Estribillo*

Va - mos to - dos al ban - que - te, a la  
Let us go now to the ban - quet, to the  
me - sa de la crea - ción; ca - da cual con su ta - bu -  
feast of the u - ni - verse. The ta - ble's set and a place is  
re - te tie - ne un pues - to y u - na mi - sión.  
wait - ing; come, ev - 'ry - one, with your gifts to share.

- A: Merciful God, receive the gifts we bring, ourselves, our time, and our possessions. Through this meal unite us as your body, shining with the light of your justice and mercy; for the sake of him who gave himself for us, Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

### ✠ Meal ✠

*We lift our hearts with praise and thanksgiving as the table is set,  
and we receive the bread and wine—the humble meal through which we are  
fed by the presence of Jesus the Christ and united as the body of Christ in the  
world.*

## Great Thanksgiving

- 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 our thanks and praise.**  
P: It is indeed right, our duty and our joy...we praise your name and join their unending hymn...

## Offering

### Offertory

*Please stand as you  
are able and sing  
the English version.*

### Offertory Prayer

You are ho - ly, you are whole. You are al - ways ev - er more —  
 than we ev - er un - der - stand. You are al - ways at hand. —  
 Bless - ed are you com - ing near. Bless - ed are you com - ing here —  
 to your church in wine and bread, raised from soil, raised from dead. —  
 You are ho - ly, you are whole - ness,  
 you are pres - ent. Let the cos - mos praise you, Lord! —  
 Sing ho - san - na in the high - est!  
 Sing ho - san - na! Sing ho - san - na to our God!

1.  
*Sing through one time, then lectern side sings 1 & 2, pulpit side sings 2 & 1*

2.

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## Words of Institution

### Lord's Prayer

**C: Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your name, your kingdom come, your will be done, on earth as in heaven. Give us today our daily bread. Forgive us our sins as we forgive those who sin against us. Save us from the time of trial and deliver us from evil. For the kingdom, the power, and the glory are yours, now and forever. Amen**

### Invitation to Communion

**P: Come to me all who are tired and heavy laden, and I will give you rest. The table is ready. All are welcome.**  
*Please be seated*



## Jesus, Lamb of God

O Lamb of God, you take a - way the sin of the world;  
 have mer-cy on us. O Lamb of God, you take a - way the  
 sin of the world; have mer-cy on us. O Lamb of God,  
 you take a - way the sin of the world; grant us your peace.

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### Meditation

#### Distribution

*Communion is by common cup or intinction: For the common cup, receive a piece of the bread, and drink from the white chalice. For intinction dip the bread into the brown cup with the wine (dark) or grape juice (light) as you prefer, then eat. At Lake of the Isles, we practice open communion. All who hunger for the presence of Christ in their life are welcome at this table. Gluten free wafers are available in the silver cup.*

#### Post-Communion Blessing

**P:** The body and blood of our Lord Jesus Christ strengthen you and keep you in his grace.

**C:** Amen.

#### Post-Communion Prayer

**A:** We give you thanks, O God, that in this bread and cup of Christ's very life, you give us food for our journey. As you led the magi by a star, as you brought the holy family home again, guide us on the way unfolding before us. Wherever we go, may our lives proclaim good news of great joy in Jesus Christ our Lord.

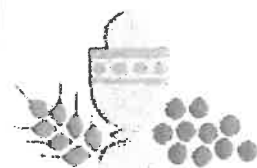
**C:** Amen.

#### ✠ SENDING ✠

*We receive the blessing of God and leave in peace,  
 Sent out to live the way of Jesus for the sake of the world God loves.*

### Distribution Music

*Please stand as you are able.*



***O Lord You Let Your Servant***  
*ELW #313*

*Finnish*

**Post-Communion  
Canticle**

**Benediction**

**P:** The Lord bless you and keep you.  
 The Lord's face shine on you and be gracious to you.  
 The Lord look upon you with favor and + give you peace.  
**C:** Amen.

**Announcements**

**Dismissal**

**P:** Go in peace. Live in love, as Christ loved us.  
**C:** Thanks be to God.

**Postlude**

***Little Fugue in B<sup>b</sup> Major***

*attr. J.S. Bach*

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**WELCOME**

We thank you for celebrating the love of Jesus Christ with us this week, and we invite you back again—for prayer and worship and to any of the events our congregation has scheduled. We hope the message of God's grace will guide and strengthen you as you grow in love and faith in your daily life.

**YOUR WORSHIP  
LEADERS TODAY**

Pastor  
 Organist  
 Choir Director  
 Worship Assistant  
 Ushers  
 Altar Servers  
 Reader  
 Communion Servers

Rev. Arden D. Haug  
 Kenneth Vigne  
 Dawn Allan  
 Mary Sabatke  
 Carol Kuehn and Rebecca Morell  
 Carol Kuehn and Vicki Kuehn-Larson  
 Eric Amann  
 Carolyn Hagford, Debra Gilroy  
 and Nancy McCutcheon  
 Eric and Renate Amann

Coffee Hosts

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Diane LaMere  
 Dane Peterson  
 Linda Nelson  
 Sheridan Swee

**CALENDAR**

**SUNDAY, JANUARY 13**

9:30 am **Worship with Holy Communion  
and Sunday School**  
 10:40 am Coffee Hour  
 11:00 am "Working" Series Talk

Sanctuary  
 Sanctuary  
 Christy Room

<b>MONDAY, JANUARY 14</b>	6:30 pm	B. Arney Men's Group	Christy Room
	7:00 pm	AA	Fellowship Hall
<b>TUESDAY, JANUARY 15</b>	9:15 am	Prayer Ministry	Christy Room
	5:15 pm	SA Support Group	Christy Room
	7:00 pm	AA Spiritual Recovery Group	Christy Room
	7:00 pm	Men's AA Group	Room 56
<b>WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 16</b>	10:00 am	Bible Study	Christy Room
	12:00 am	Staff Meeting	Christy Room
	7:00 pm	Confirmation	Christy Room
	7:15 pm	Choir Rehearsal	Sanctuary
<b>THURSDAY, JANUARY 17</b>	12:00 pm	Al-Anon	Fellowship Hall
	7:00 pm	Church Council Meeting	Christy Room
<b>SATURDAY, JANUARY 19</b>	11:00 am	Lindberg Celebration of Life	Fellowship Hall
<b>SUNDAY, JANUARY 20</b>	<b>9:30 am</b>	<b>Worship with Holy Communion and Sunday School</b>	Sanctuary
	10:40 am	Coffee Hour	Fellowship Hall
	11:00 am	Soup Lunch and Ice Skating	FH and the Lake

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## ***ANNOUNCEMENTS***

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### **PRAYER LIST**



Please keep the following friends & members of our community of faith in your prayers of

thanksgiving or for comfort, peace, and healing:

**Shirley Carlson, Peyton Berkland, Molly Boylan, Kathy Hering, Mary DeVries, Emily Vigne and family on the death of her grandfather, LOTI members;; Jim Peterson, brother-in-law of Rick Pepin; Sam Pederson, nephew of Jenny Cook; Charles Sabatke, brother of Bruce Sabatke; Lynn Williamson, family of Bruce and Carol Kuehn; Heluza Ramos, grandmother of Rebecca Morell.**

church office. There is an alternate route to take from the narthex—follow the signs. If you need assistance, please ask one of the ushers to help you. There is a baby changing table available in the unisex restroom between the pastor's office and the sacristy.

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### ***HAPPY BIRTHDAY***



*Jackson Ulland 1/13  
Kara Long 1/15  
Gretchen Robertson  
1/15  
Susanne Haas 1/19*

*Brian Vike 1/13  
Nick Messerli 1/15  
Lucienne Walters-Beck 1/16*

**Loved Ones In The Military**  
Please keep all the members and families of the military in your prayers of thanksgiving and protection.



### ***STAFFED NURSERY AVAILABLE***

Children are always welcome in worship, however, if the need arises, the Christy Room is staffed with a Nursery Attendant for your child. The Christy Room is located to the left of the sanctuary through the side door at the front of the church and across from the

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### ***SUNDAY SCHOOL VISITORS WELCOME!***

Children who are visiting today, age 3 through 6th grade, are more than welcome to come to Sunday School. We do ask that a parent/guardian comes with their child after the Children's Message to check him/her into a classroom. Children will return to worship with their family at the start of Communion. If your child would prefer to remain in worship, please know that there are age appropriate worship materials at the kid's worship table in the Narthex (back of the Sanctuary). Welcome!

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### **CHILDREN'S WORSHIP MATERIALS**

Children are invited to use the worship materials throughout the service. Materials are located in the narthex and are organized by age group.

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### **THANK YOU**

Last Monday morning a group of people came to help Pastor Haug take down Christmas trees, wreaths, garland and put away lights and ornaments. Thank you to Pastor Haug, Janna Haug, Pauline Haug, Mary and Bruce Sabatke, David Hagford and Dane Peterson for all of their hard work. It is greatly appreciated.

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### **"WORKING" SERIES TODAY AT 11:00 A.M.**

Today's guest speaker will be new LOTI member, Mary Flynn. Mary works in the Medical Services Unit (MSU) at Hazelden Betty Ford Foundation in Plymouth - a treatment center for adolescents and young adults ages 14 to 24. Her co-worker, Courtney Wilkins, R.N., will also be present to explain direct medical care given to clients while on the MSU and throughout their stay at the facility.

Mary and Courtney's talk will take place after a brief coffee break following the Sunday morning service. Those who are interested will be invited to take their coffee/tea into the Christy Room for about 45 minutes. The first 15-20 minutes will be an informal talk by Mary and Courtney, leaving the time remaining for questions from those in attendance.

If anyone in the congregation is interested in sharing their own "Working" story, please send an email to [jannahaug@yahoo.com](mailto:jannahaug@yahoo.com)

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### **FAMILY FUN DAY SUNDAY, JANUARY 20 11:00 A.M. TO 1:00 P.M.**

Bring your skates and warm clothes to church. We will gather in Fellowship Hall for soup lunch after worship and get our gear on to ice skate on Lake of the Isles.

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### **WINE PAIRING EVENT JANUARY 27 AT 4:00 P.M.**

On Sunday afternoon, January 27, at 4:00, we will have a "Mary Tyler Moore" Wine Pairing theme. This year the event will be held at the home of Bernie and Michelle Reisberg at 2104 Kenwood Parkway. Deb Black from The Wine Company will pour a sampling of wines that are paired with different appetizers.

We are looking for volunteers who will make one of the appetizers. (Recipes will be provided.) Please contact Linda Nelson if you can help. The \$20 reservation will be directed to CES Community Emergency Services. Please call the church at 612-377-5095 for reservations.

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## **EXTENDED CALENDAR OF LOTI CHURCH SERVICES & EVENTS**



**January 17**  
Church Council Meeting  
7:00 p.m.

**January 20**  
Family Fun Day  
11:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.

**January 24**  
Growlers & Theology  
7:30 p.m. at the Parsonage

**January 27**  
Wedding at Cana Sunday Wine Pairing  
4:00 p.m.  
At Michelle and Bernie Reisberg's Home

**February 3**  
Congregational Annual Meeting  
& Election of New Council Members  
11:00 a.m. - Fellowship Hall

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