Lake of the Isles Lutheran Church

▼ Third Sunday of Epiphany **▼** January 20, 2019

The glory of the Lord is revealed in the reading of scripture. People stand at attention. People weep. People prostrate themselves in prayer. The unity of the church is another reflection of the glory of God. Most gloriously, the promises of God are fulfilled in the person of Jesus Christ. Gather round. Listen up. Glimpse the glory of God.



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

Trio IV

Welcome

J. Rheinberger

Call to Worship

Psalm 19

Please stand as you are able.

The heavens declare the glory of God, and the sky proclaims its maker's handiwork.

One day tells its tale to another, and one night imparts knowledge to another.

Although they have no words or language, and their voices are not heard,

their sound has gone out into all lands, and their message to the ends of the world, where God has pitched a tent for the sun.

The teaching of the LORD is perfect and revives the soul; the testimony of the LORD is sure and gives wisdom to the simple.

Let the words of my mouth and the meditation of my heart be acceptable in your sight, O LORD, my strength and my redeemer.

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

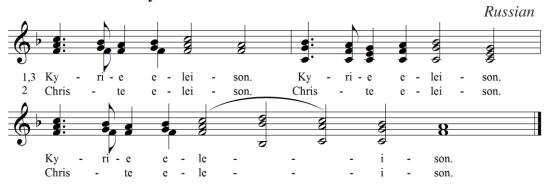
God, Whose Almighty Word ELW #673

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.

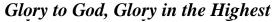
Kyrie



Music: Russian Orthodox traditional

Gloria







Prayer of the Day

Music: Peruvian traditional

Blessed Lord God, you have caused the holy scriptures to be written for the nourishment of your people. Grant that we may hear them, read, mark, learn, and inwardly digest them, that, comforted by your promises, we may embrace and forever hold fast to the hope of eternal life, through your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord. 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



1 Corinthians 12:12-18, 27-31a *The apostle and* pastor Paul uses the metaphor of the human body to describe how intimately connected we are in the church. For this struggling congregation in Corinth, Paul delivers a vital message of unity that is a mark of the church today.

Reading

¹²For just as the body is one and has many members, and all the members of the body, though many, are one body, so it is with Christ. ¹³For in the one Spirit we were all baptized into one body—Jews or Greeks, slaves or free—and we were all made to drink of one Spirit.

¹⁴Indeed, the body does not consist of one member but of many. ¹⁵If the foot would say, "Because I am not a hand, I do not belong to the body," that would not make it any less a part of the body. ¹⁶And if the ear would say, "Because I am not an eye, I do not belong to the body," that would not make it any less a part of the body. ¹⁷If the whole body were an eye, where would the hearing be? If the whole body were hearing, where would the sense of smell be? ¹⁸But as it is, God arranged the members in the body, each one of them, as he chose.

²⁷Now you are the body of Christ and individually members of it. ²⁸And God has appointed in the church first apostles, second prophets, third teachers; then deeds of power, then gifts of healing, forms of assistance, forms of leadership, various kinds of tongues. ²⁹Are all apostles? Are all prophets? Are all teachers? Do

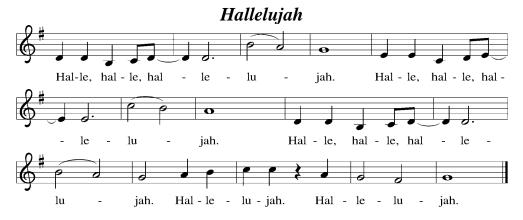
all work miracles? ³⁰Do all possess gifts of healing? Do all speak in tongues? Do all interpret? ^{31a}But strive for the greater gifts.

P: Word of God, Word of Life.

C: Thanks be to God.







Music: Caribbean traditional

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

C: Glory to you, O Lord.

4-21 Gospel

¹⁴Then Jesus, filled with the power of the Spirit, returned to Galilee, and a report about him spread through all the surrounding country. ¹⁵He began to teach in their synagogues and was praised by everyone.

¹⁶When he came to Nazareth, where he had been brought up, he went to the synagogue on the sabbath day, as was his custom. He stood up to read, ¹⁷ and the scroll of the prophet Isaiah was given to him. He unrolled the scroll and found the place where it was written:

¹⁸"The Spirit of the Lord is upon me, because he has anointed me to bring good news to the poor. He has sent me to proclaim release to the captives and recovery of sight to the blind, to let the oppressed go free, ¹⁹to proclaim the year of the Lord's favor."

²⁰And he rolled up the scroll, gave it back to the attendant, and sat down. The eyes of all in the synagogue were fixed on him. ²¹Then he began to say to them, "Today this scripture has been fulfilled in your hearing."

P: The Gospel of our Lord.

C: Praise to you, O Christ.

Apostles' Creed

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

Luke 4:14-21

Near the beginning of Jesus' public ministry, he visits his hometown of Nazareth. In the words of Isaiah, he states and claims his identity, purpose, and mission.

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.

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

Please be seated.

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

Light Dawns on a Weary World ELW #726

Prayers of the Church

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

A brief silence.

- We pray for the church. Empower bishops, pastors, deacons, teachers, evangelists, and all members of Christ's body... 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

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

Hymn of the Day

Please stand as you are able.



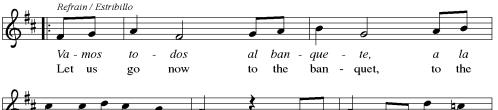
Please be seated

God's Mercy Endures Forever

James Montgomery/ Garry A. Cornell

Hail to the Lord's anointed, great David's greater Son! Hail in the time appointed, His reign on earth begun! He comes to break oppression, to set the captive free, To take away transgression, and rule in equity. Now the lost, forsaken, All those who suffer wrong Shall in hope awaken; The weak are now made strong. He brings them songs for singing, their darkness turns to light, Whose souls, condemned and dying, are precious in His sight. He shall come down like showers upon the fruitful earth, Love, joy, and hope, like flowers, spring in His path to birth. Behold him on the mountains Shall peace, the herald go; And righteousness in fountains from hill to valley go. Kings shall kneel before him, and gold and incense bring; Nations shall adore him, His praise all people sing. To him shall prayer unceasing and vows and vows ascend; His kingdom still increasing, A kingdom without end.

El Salvadoran







A: God of all creation, all you have made is good, and your love endures forever. You bring forth bread from the earth and fruit from the vine. Nourish us with these gifts, that we might be for the world signs of your gracious presence in Jesus Christ, our Savior and 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.

Offering

Offertory

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

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



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

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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

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 thank you, O God, that you have fed us at your banqueting table with bread and wine beyond compare, the very life of Christ for us. Send your Spirit with us now, that we may set the captive free, use your gifts to build one another up, and in everything reflect your glory revealed in Jesus Christ, our Savior and 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.



Finnish

Post-Communion Canticle

FH and the Lake

O Lord, Now Let Your Servant ELW #313

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 Light Dawns on a Weary World

K. Vigne

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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 Assist Ushers Altar Servers Reader Communion Se		Rev. Arden D. Haug Kenneth Vigne Dawn Allan Marty Carlson David Hagford and Jenny Cook Phyllis Dahl and Carolyn Hagford Jack Ulland Nancy McCutcheon, Mary Sabatke and Mary Knoblauch Michelle McCreery and Mark Duff
CHURCH OFFICERS	President Vice President Treasurer Secretary		Marty Carlson Ross Formell Ross Bartels Jon Sprain
STAFF	Children's Ministry Director Custodian Office Manager Nursery Attendant		Diane LaMere Dane Peterson Linda Nelson Sheridan Swee
CALENDAR SUNDAY, JANUARY 20	9:30 am 10:40 am	Worship with Ho and Sunday Scho Coffee Hour	· ·

Soup Lunch and Bingo

10:40 am

MONDAY, JANUARY 21	7:00 pm	AA	Fellowship Hall
TUESDAY, JANUARY 22	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
WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 23	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
THURSDAY, JANUARY 24	12:00 pm	Al-Anon	Fellowship Hall
	7:30 pm	Growlers & Theology	Parsonage
SUNDAY, JANUARY 27	9:30 am	Worship with Holy Communion and Sunday School	
		-	Sanctuary
	10:40 am	Coffee Hour	Fellowship Hall
	12:30 pm	Jean Krinke Student Recital	Sanctuary
	4:00 pm	Wine Pairing Fundraiser	The Reisberg's Home

ANNOUNCEMENTS

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, the family of Harriet Rosenberg, sister of Mary Sabatke; Peter Fitch, son of John Fitch; LOTI members;; Jim Burton, friend of Mary and Bruce Sabatke; 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.

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 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.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY



Max Formell 1/20 Aryn Kuehn-Larson 1/31 Ethan Rand 1/31 Mary Sabatke 1/24 Morgan Larson 1/31

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!

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.

FAMILY FUN DAY TODAY 11:00 A.M. TO 1:00 P.M.

We will gather in Fellowship Hall for soup lunch after worship and will stay inside to play bingo instead of ice skating due to the cold weather.

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 or use the sign-up sheet in Fellowship Hall.

"WORKING" SERIES SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 10TH 11:00 A.M.

"Working" is the theme of an ongoing speaker series in which people associated with our congregation talk about what they do all day and how they feel about the they The next session will be Sunday, February 10th and the guest speaker will be David Hagford. David has had an exciting 30+ year career leading teams involved in the design and construction world wide of experimental test facilities to support the development of aircraft, spacecraft, rockets, advanced defense automobiles, as well as facilities to train paratroopers, Olympic swimmers, etc. After leaving aerospace, he went on to establish Creative Business Coaching, LLC, an organization that works with owners of small local businesses helping them grow, and in turn create wealth and employment opportunities in their communities.

David'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 David, 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.

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!

Sharing & Caring Hands/Mary's Place needs volunteers ages 14+ willing to help with our After School Tutoring Program – volunteer tutors work with our homeless youth on their homework and basic math/reading. No teaching/tutoring experience required. We will provide you a training to orient you/help you feel comfortable!

Open Mondays, Tuesdays, & Wednesdays from 4:00-6:00pm. Volunteers pick one day per week to attend. Interested? Email Kathy Klement at kklement@sharingandcaringhands.org

EXTENDED CALENDAR OF LOTI CHURCH SERVICES & EVENTS



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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