



LAKE OF THE ISLES LUTHERAN CHURCH

✠ FOURTH SUNDAY AFTER EPIPHANY ✠

JANUARY 30, 2022

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.

✠ 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

La Volta

William Byrd (1540-1623)

Welcome



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

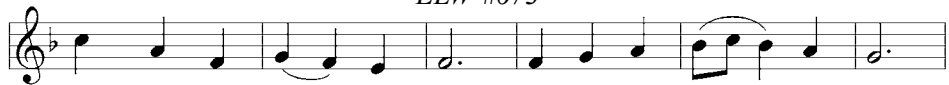
As it was in the beginning is now and will be forever. Amen

Gathering Hymn



God, Whose Almighty Word

ELW #673



1 God, whose al - might - y word cha - os and dark - ness heard
2 Lord, who once came to bring, on your re - deem - ing wing,
3 Spir - it of truth and love, life - giv - ing, ho - ly dove,
4 Ho - ly and bless - ed three, glo - ri - ous Trin - i - ty,



and took their flight: hear us, we hum - bly pray, and where the
heal - ing and sight, health to the sick in mind, sight to the
speed forth your flight; move on the wa - ter's face bear - ing the
wis - dom, love, might! Bound - less as o - cean's tide, roll - ing in



gos - pel day sheds not its glo - rious ray,
in - ly blind: oh, now to hu - man-kind let there be light!
lamp of grace, and in earth's dark - est place
full - est pride, through the earth, far and wide,

Text: John Marriott, 1780–1825, alt.
Music: ITALIAN HYMN, Felice de Giardini, 1716–1796

Apostolic Greeting

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

C: And also with you.

Kyrie

Lord Have Mercy

ELW #155

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.
1, 3 Lord, . . . have mer - cy. Lord, . . . have mer - cy.
2 Christ, . . . have mer - cy. Christ, . . . have mer - cy.



Ky - ri - e e - le - i - son.
Chris - te e - le - i - son.
Lord, . . . have mer - cy.
Christ, . . . have mer - cy.

Music: Russian Orthodox traditional

Gloria

Glory to God in the Highest

ELW #164

Peruvian



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 and ever-living God, increase in us the gifts of faith, hope, and love; and that we may obtain what you promise, make us love what you command, through your Son, Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. Amen.

Children's Message
Please be seated.

✠ **Word** ✠

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



Dismissal Song

Cares Chorus

W&P # 27

Text and music: Kelly Willard
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Lesson

1 Corinthians 12:12-18, 27-31

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.

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.

R: Word of God, Word of Life

C: **Thanks be to God.**

Hallelujah

*Please stand
as you are able.*

Halle Halle Hallelujah

ELW #172

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. Hal - le - lu - jah.

Music: Caribbean traditional

Gospel

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..

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

C: Glory to you, O Lord.

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, ¹⁷and 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.

A New Creed

A New Creed is a brief and well-loved affirmation of faith used widely in the worship in The United Church of Canada, 1968.

We are not alone,

we live in God's world.

We believe in God:

who has created and is creating,

who has come in Jesus,

the Word made flesh,

to reconcile and make new,

who works in us and others

by the Spirit.

We trust in God.

We are called to be the Church:

to celebrate God's presence,

to live with respect in Creation,

to love and serve others,

to seek justice and resist evil,

to proclaim Jesus, crucified and risen,

our judge and our hope.

In life, in death, in life beyond death,

God is with us.

We are not alone.

Thanks be to God.

Sermon

Please be seated

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

Hymn of the Day

Please stand
as you are able.



Light Dawns on a Weary World

ELW #726



1 Light dawns on a wea - ry world when eyes be - gin to
2 Love grows in a wea - ry world when hun - gry hearts find
3 Hope blooms in a wea - ry world when crea-tures, once for -



see all peo - ple's dig - ni - ty. Light dawns on a
bread and chil - dren's dreams are fed. Love grows in a
lorn, find wil - der - ness re - born. Hope blooms in a



wea - ry world: the prom-ised day of jus - tice comes.
wea - ry world: the prom-ised feast of plen - ty comes.
wea - ry world: the prom-ised green of E - den comes.



The trees shall clap their hands; the dry lands, gush with springs;



the hills and moun-tains shall break forth with sing - ing!



We shall go out in joy, and be led forth in peace,



as all the world in won - der ech - oes sha - lom.

Text: Mary Louise Bringle, b. 1953

Music: TEMPLE OF PEACE, William P. Rowan, b. 1951

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Prayers of the Church

P: The Spirit of the Lord is poured out upon us in abundance; so we are bold to pray for the church, the world, and all that God has made.

A brief silence.

A: Guide your church in the ways of faith, hope, and love. Cultivate ministries...
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.

Anthem

Please be seated.

Savior, Teach Me Day by Day

Jane Leeson/ Raymond Weidner

*Savior, teach me day by day
Thine own lesson to obey,
Better lesson cannot be,
Loving Him Who first loved me.
With a childlike heart of love
At thy bidding may I move,
Prompt to serve and follow thee,
Loving him who first loved me.*

Offertory Response

*Please stand as
you are able.*

Let Us Go Now to the Banquet

ELW #523

El Salvadoran

The musical score is written on three staves in G major (one sharp). The first staff begins with a repeat sign and a double bar line. The lyrics are: Va - mos to - dos al ban - que - te, a la / Let us go now to the ban - quet, to the. The second staff continues the melody with lyrics: 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. The third staff concludes the piece with lyrics: re - te tie - ne un pues - to y u - na mi - sión. / wait - ing; come, ev - 'ry - one, with your gifts to share.

Text: Guillermo Cuéllar, b. 1955, *Misa popular salvadoreña*; tr. Bret Hesla, b. 1957, and William Dexheimer Pharris, b. 1956
Music: VAMOS TODOS AL BANQUETE, Guillermo Cuéllar, b. 1955
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Offertory Prayer

A: Blessed are you, O God, Sovereign of the universe. You offer us new beginnings and guide us on our journey. Lead us to your table, nourish us with this heavenly food, and prepare us to carry your love to a hungry world, in the name of Christ our light.

C: 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 and salutary... we praise you name and join their unending hymn:

You Are Holy

ELW #525

Swedish

A musical score for the hymn 'You Are Holy' in Swedish. It consists of ten staves of music in a single system, written in a treble clef with a key signature of one flat (B-flat). The lyrics are written below the notes. The melody is simple and hymn-like, with some phrases repeated. The lyrics are: '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!'.

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!...
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Sing ho - san - na! Sing ho - san - na to our God!

Text: Per Harling, b. 1948

Music: Per Harling

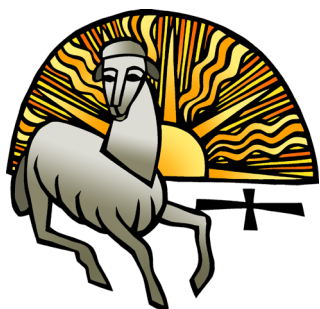
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Words of Institution



Lord's Prayer

Invitation to Communion



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.

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

O Lamb of God

ELW #198



Music: Mabel Wu
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Distribution

Please be seated.

Holy Communion will begin in the front of the church, nearest where the pastor and assisting minister will distribute the bread and wine. Please take either a glass of red wine or white grape juice from the full tray and place your emptied glass into the extra tray which is positioned in front of the first pew.

Your offerings will also be received as the usher directs you towards the front of the church for communion.

Distribution Music

Sweelinck – Dorian Echo Fantasia

Jan Pieterszoon Sweelinck (1562-1621)

Post-Communion Blessing

*Please stand
as you are able.*

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, gracious God, for we have feasted on the abundance of your house. Send us to bring good news and to proclaim your favor to all, strengthened with the richness of your grace in your Son, Jesus Christ.

C: Amen.

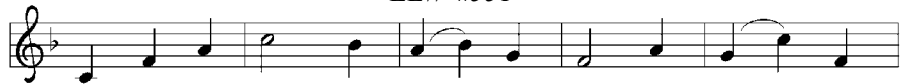
✠ Sending ✠

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.

Sending Hymn

The Spirit Sends Us Forth to Serve

ELW #551



1 The Spir - it sends us forth to serve; we go in
2 We go to com - fort those who mourn and set the
3 We go to be the hands of Christ, to scat - ter
4 Then let us go to serve in peace, the gos - pel



Jc - sus' name to bring glad tid - ings
bur - dned free; where hope is dim, to
joy like seed and, all our days, to
to pro - claim. God's Spir - it has em -



to the poor, God's fa - vor to pro - claim.
share a dream and help the blind to see.
cher - ish life, to do the lov - ing deed.
pow - ered us; we go in Je - sus' name.

Text: Delores Dufner, OSB, b. 1939

Music: CHESTERFIELD, attr. Thomas Haweis, 1734-1820

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Benediction

P: The Lord bless you and keep you.

The Lord makes his face shine upon you and be gracious to you.

The Lord look upon you with favor and + give you peace.

C: Amen.

Dismissal

P: Go in peace. Live in love, as Christ loved us.

C: Thanks be to God.

Announcements

Please be seated.



Postlude

Praeludium from Suite circulaire

Carson Cooman (b. 1982)

You are free to leave during the Postlude or remain to enjoy the offering of music and praise.

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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. We will continue to have Sunday services online.
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 Rev. Dr. Arden D. Haug
Organist..... Daniel Ritter
Worship Assistant..... Mark Duff
Communion Assistant Michelle McCreery
Altar Servers Ellie Holmquist, Ruth Lee, & Eivor Lund
Reader Lorraine Spies
Usher Eric Mechels
Coffee Hosts..... Diane Stensrud, Robin & Mark Bloom

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CALENDAR

SUNDAY, JANUARY 30	9:30 AM	<i>Worship with Holy Communion</i>	Sanctuary & YouTube
		<i>& Sunday School.....</i>	Sunday School Rooms
	10:30 AM	<i>Coffee Hour.....</i>	Fellowship Hall
MONDAY, JANUARY 31	7:00 PM	<i>AA.....</i>	Fellowship Hall
TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 1	9:15 AM	<i>Prayer Ministry</i>	Christy Room/Sanctuary
	12:00 PM	<i>Staff Meeting</i>	Christy Room /Zoom
	5:15 PM	<i>Women's SA Group</i>	Christy Room
	7:00 PM	<i>Men's AA</i>	Patio/Fellowship Hall
	7:00 PM	<i>AA/Spiritual Recovery.....</i>	Christy Room/Sanctuary
WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 2	10:00 AM	<i>Bible Study</i>	Library
	12:00 PM	<i>Staff Meeting</i>	Christy Room
	4:00 PM	<i>Confirmation</i>	Zoom
	7:00 PM	<i>Choir Rehearsal</i>	Sanctuary
THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 3	12:00 PM	<i>Al Anon.....</i>	Fellowship Hall
SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 6	9:30 AM	<i>Worship with Holy Communion</i>	Sanctuary & YouTube
		<i>& Sunday School.....</i>	Sunday School Rooms
	10:30 AM	<i>Coffee Hour.....</i>	Fellowship Hall
	11:00 AM	<i>Annual Congregational Meeting.....</i>	Sanctuary/YouTube

SCAN TO GIVE



Please note: If you are unable to attend in-person Worship, remember that our Service is live-streamed each week & remains available for subsequent viewing on our [YouTube channel](#)

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:



Matthew Moen; Greg Clark, father of Kami Moen; **Jacquie Crackel**, sister of Robin Bloom; **Anna Lena Skold; Peggy Camp**, aunt of Mary & Bruce Sabatke; **Alison Peterson, Tom Beem**, friend of the Kuehn family; **Emma Smrekar, Colin Mason**, friend of the Amann family; **Trygve Svard; Evangeline Hagfors**, cousin of David Hagford; **Sam Pederson**, nephew of Jennifer Cook; **Tom Friend**, brother-in-law of Mark & Kathy Hering; **Graham Rawle**, friend of Michelle McCreery & Mark Duff; **Beth Addington; Howard Thorsheim**, friend of John Bergford.

Meditation

LOTI is available during office hours for a time of quiet meditation. You can use the sanctuary to spend time in prayer, light a candle, listen to recorded sacred music, and/or use a guided meditation tool. Please call the church office to reserve a time.

Kid Worship Materials

Kid worship materials are available in the **Narthex** (back of **Sanctuary**). Crayon packets and a variety of coloring pages and activity sheets are available for your children to enjoy during worship.

Nursery in the Christy Room

Welcome to our youngest friends in the congregation! We know that you sometimes need another space to be in during worship to get your wiggles and giggles out. Our **Nursery** is staffed and available for your little one to use. Ushers can help you with directions or simply follow the signs provided in the back of the **Sanctuary**.

Loved Ones In The Military

Please keep all the members & families of the military in your prayers of thanksgiving and protection.



Our Saviour's Housing Meals

For many years, Lake of the Isles Lutheran Church has provided a meal for 40 on the first Friday of every month. Due to COVID-19, our monthly meals are provided by donation. The shelter orders and serves the meal. The cost to provide the meal is \$250.

Thanks to Mary & Dave Goplen for January.

These **2022** dates are reserved:

FEB *Arden & Janna Haug, and Pauline Haug*

MAR *Susanne Haas & Ross Formell*

APR *Kathy & Mark Hering*

MAY *Kristi & Bob Brownson*

JUN *Jim Olson*

JUL *Mary Jubenville, Mary Flynn, Denise Wilkens, & Linda Nelson*

NOV *Mary Sabatke*

Consider providing in **2022** on:

JUL 1 AUG 5 SEP 2 OCT 7 DEC 2

For information, contact [Cheri Moe](#) or (952) 431-5226.
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~HAPPY BIRTHDAY!~

Morgan Larson 1/31 Aryn Kuehn-Larson 1/31
Brad Peterson 2/3 Jameson Rustad 2/3

Visiting Sunday School Age Children

Children **age 3** through **6th Grade** are welcome to visit **Sunday School**. We do ask that you are able to adhere to our safety guidelines currently in place (masks, physical distancing etc) and that a parent/guardian accompany your child to **Sunday School** so that we can explain guidelines etc.

City-wide Mask Requirement Reinstated

On **Wednesday, January 5**, *Mayor Jacob Frey* signed emergency regulation No. 2022-1 reinstating the city-wide mask policy, which requires patrons, employees, and visitors wear a mask in businesses and places of public accommodation.

The policy took effect at **5:00 PM** on **Thursday, January 6**.

Masks are required at LOTI until the mandate is lifted.

Women's Bible Study

We are studying is *Children of the Day*, by *Beth Moore* which can be purchased through Amazon or your favorite bookstore. Our sessions are at **7:00 PM** in the **Library** on **February 3, March 3, April 7, May 5 & June 2**. Contact [Debra Gilroy](#), or visit [LOTI Groups](#).

Priscilla Circle

Our next gathering will be Saturday, **February 5th** at **9:30 AM** in the Christy Room. Join us!

LOTI Book Club

The next gathering is **February 25**, at the home of *Debra Gilroy* at **5:00 PM**. The book is *Becoming Mrs. Lewis*, by *Patti Callahan*.

Please bring your book, a light snack to share and a willingness to laugh, love and learn.

[LOTI Book Club](#)

Annual Congregational Meeting

Our *Annual Meeting* is scheduled for **February 6** at **11:00 AM**.

Take Away Smorgasbord

Swedish chef *Anna-Lena Skold* will prepare a meal for take away on **Sunday, February 13th**. Details to follow.



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God's Help, Our Hands

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