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February 6, 2022 5th Sunday after Epiphany 9:30 a.m. Holy Communion Setting 3—ELW (Evangelical Lutheran book of Worship) year C

INTRODUCTION

The fifth Sunday after Epiphany continues to highlight unlikely instruments and circumstances appointed to reveal God's glory. "Who will go for us?" God asks. A person of unclean lips, a former persecutor of the church of God, and three fishermen who couldn't catch a thing. More surprising still, perhaps, is that we are also called.

PRELUDE

Announcements are on pages 17-18.

WELCOME

A very warm welcome to all who worship here this morning, we thank God for sending you to Tabor.

CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS

Blessed be the holy Trinity, + one God, who creates us, redeems us, and calls us by name.

Amen.

Let us confess our sin in the presence of God and of one another.

Silence is kept for reflection.

Most merciful God,

we confess that we have sinned against you and your beloved children.
We have turned our faces away from your glory when it did not appear as we expected.
We have rejected your word when it made us confront ourselves.
We have failed to show hospitality to those you called us to welcome.
Accept our repentance for the things we have done and the things we have left undone.
For the sake of Jesus Christ, have mercy on us.
Forgive us and lead us, that we may bathe in the glory of your Son born among us, and reflect your love for all creation.
Amen.

Rejoice in this good news:

In + Christ Jesus, your sins are forgiven. You are descendants of the Most High, adopted into the household of Christ, and inheritors of eternal life. Live as freed and forgiven children of God. **Amen.**

Please stand if you are able.

GATHERING

GATHERING SONG

Listen, God is Calling

ELW 513

Listen, God Is Calling

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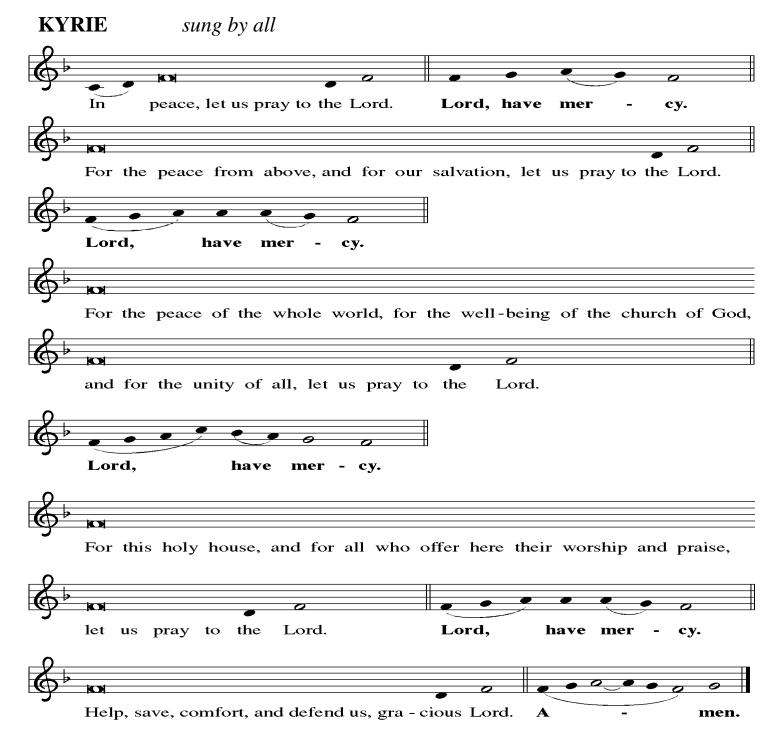
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GREETING

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

And also with you.

CHILDREN'S SERMON The Children are invited to come forward. The children are dismissed for Children's Jam, Sunday School, returning during the Peace.



CANTICLE OF PRAISE

ELW Setting 3



PRAYER OF THE DAY

Most holy God, the earth is filled with your glory, and before you angels and saints stand in awe. Enlarge our vision to see your power at work in the world, and by your grace make us heralds of your Son, Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. **Amen.**

Please be seated.

WORD

FIRST READING: Isaiah 6:1-8,[9-13]

The word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God!

Psalm: Psalm 138 Spoken responsively

¹I will give thanks to you, O LORD, with [|] my whole heart; before the gods I will [|] sing your praise.

²I will bow down toward your holy temple and praise your name, because of your steadfast | love and faithfulness; for you have glorified your name and your word a- | bove all things.

³When I called, you ¹ answered me;

you increased my strength within me.

⁴All the rulers of the earth will praise you, O LORD, when they have heard the words of your mouth.

⁵They will sing of the ways of the LORD, that great is the glory of the LORD.

⁶The LORD is high, yet cares | for the lowly, perceiving the haughty | from afar.

⁷Though I walk in the midst of trouble, you keep me safe; you stretch forth your hand against the fury of my enemies; your right hand shall save me.

⁸You will make good your pur- pose for me; O LORD, your steadfast love endures forever; do not abandon the works of your hands.

SECOND READING: 1 Corinthians 15:1-11

The word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God!

Please stand if you are able.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION





The Holy gospel according to Luke, the 5th Chapter.

Glory to you O Lord.

GOSPEL: Luke 5:1-11

The gospel of the Lord.

Praise to you O Christ.

Please be seated.

SERMON

Pastor Ruby Narucki

A brief silence for reflection.

HYMN OF THE DAY

Here I Am, Lord



Text: Daniel L. Schutte, b. 1946

Music: HERE I AM, LORD, Daniel L. Schutte
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CREED

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

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 into hell.

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.

Please be seated.

PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION

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

Each petition ends:

God of Grace,

Hear our prayer.

Prayers conclude with:

Since we have such great hope in your promises, O God, we lift these and all of our prayers to you in confidence and faith; through Jesus Christ our Savior.

Amen.

MEAL

PEACE

The peace of Christ be with you always.

And also with you.

The people may greet one another with a sign of Christ's peace, and may say: **Peace be with you.**

Please be seated.

OFFERING OF GIFTS, TITHES AND MUSIC

Special Piano Music

Please stand if you are able.

OFFERTORY

Create in Me a Clean Heart

ELW 186

Create in Me a Clean Heart Offering Song



OFFERING PRAYER

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.
Amen.

DIALOGUE

The Lord be with you. And also with you.

Lift up your hearts. We lift them to the Lord.

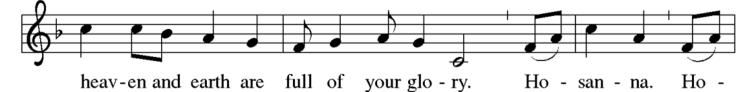
Let us give thanks to the Lord our God. It is right to give our thanks and praise.

PREFACE

It is indeed right, our duty and our joy, that we should at all times and in all places give thanks and praise to you, almighty and merciful God, through our Savior Jesus Christ. In the wonder and mystery of the Word made flesh you have opened the eyes of faith to a new and radiant vision of your glory, that, beholding the God made visible, we may be drawn to love the God whom we cannot see. And so, with all the choirs of angels, with the church on earth and the hosts of heaven, we praise your name and join their unending hymn:

HOLY, HOLY, HOLY









THANKSGIVING AT THE TABLE

Holy One, the beginning and the end, the giver of life...

...Let us proclaim the mystery of faith:

Christ has died.

Christ is risen.

Christ will come again...

With this bread and cup...

...We look with hope for his coming:

Come, Lord Jesus.

...Bring the gift of peace on earth.

Come, Holy Spirit.

...one God, now and forever. Amen.

LORD'S PRAYER

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,

INVITATION TO COMMUNION

forever and ever. Amen.

Come to God's table.
There is a place for you and enough for all.
Thanks be to God!

COMMUNION

When giving the bread and cup, the communion ministers say
The body of Christ, given for you. The blood of Christ, shed for you.

and each person may respond

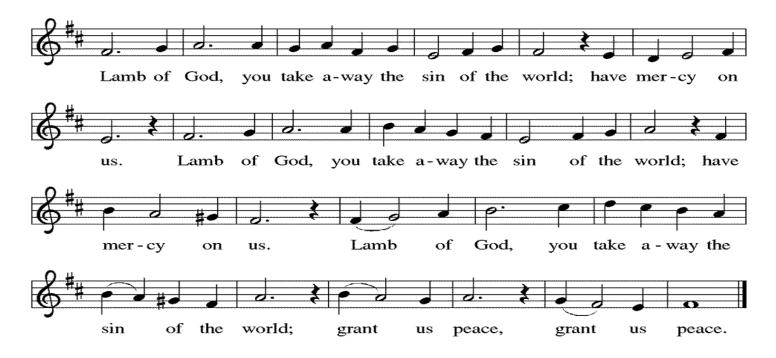
Amen.

The Lord's table is open to all worshipers from all denominations who wish to share in God's blessing of the sacrament of Holy Communion. The real presence of Christ is in the bread and wine. Please follow the directions of the ushers. The wine (red liquid) or in the grape juice (white liquid).

Please let the usher know if you need assistance.

Please be seated.

COMMUNION SONG



Please repeat until Communion is complete

COMMUNION HYMN

ELW 472

Eat This Bread Jesus Christ, Bread of Life



Text: Taizé Community

Music: BERTHIER, Jacques Berthier, 1923–1994
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Please stand if you are able.

COMMUNION BLESSING

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

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

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.

Amen.

SENDING

BLESSING

The Lord bless you and keep you.

The Lord's face shine on you with grace and mercy.

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

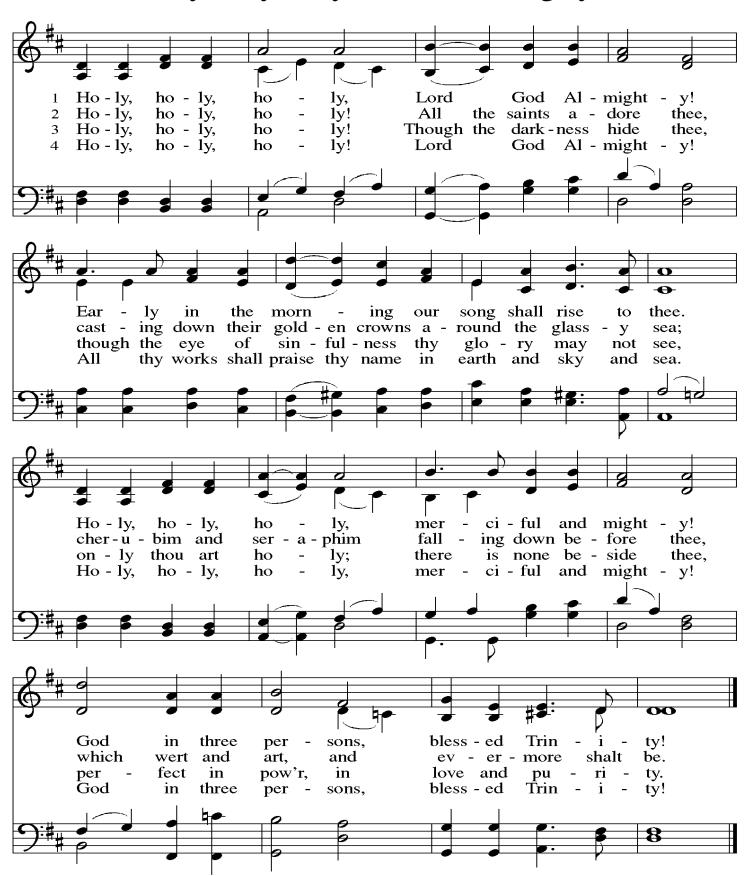
Amen.

SENDING HYMN

Holy, Holy, Holy, Lord God Almighty!

ELW 413

Holy, Holy, Lord God Almighty!



Text: Reginald Heber, 1783–1826, alt. Music: NICAEA, John B. Dykes, 1823–1876

DISMISSAL

Go with Christ into a weary world.

Share the good news.

Thanks be to God!

PRAYERS

Members, Friends and Relatives	Added by Members
Mel Abbott Family	Emily Briggs
Cynthia Barrett	Friend of Lynn Truxell
Michelle Buttram	Daughter of Julie Buttram
Mary DeVor Youngblood	Mother of Janis Youngblood
Virgie Giannetto	Lynn Truxell
Glasgow Family	Niece of Sue Kastelic
The King Family	Family of Shirley DeRungs
Debbie Montoya	Sue Kastelic
Pastor Ruby	People of Tabor
Martha Pennington	People of Tabor
Dorothy Reed	Grandmother of Emily Briggs
Aaron Truxell	Son of Roger & Lynn Truxell
Lynn Truxell	Truxell & Vargues Families
Marvin Truxell	Truxell & Vargues Families

Brooklyn Youngblood Janis Youngblood

Let us pray for those serving in the military and all our first responders.

For Pastoral care emergencies, please contact Pastor Ruby at 303.653.2533.

BIRTHDAYS AND ANNIVERSARIES

February 6 Jackie Cooley
February 8 Dorothy Martin

February 9 Alice Sorters-Wisthoff

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Assisting Ministers: We are in need of more Assisting Ministers for our Sunday worship. Please consider your time and talents to help out.

Contribution Statements for 2021 are available in the Narthex.

Youth Gathering: Unfortunately the ELCA has announced that the 2022 ELCA Youth Gathering has been canceled due to the ongoing pandemic, the recent COVID-19 surge and public health considerations.

Disciples Serving in Today's Worship Service

Assisting Minister Jerry Vargues

Lector Cyrisse Cooley

Pianist Dr. J. Michael Beck Presider Pastor Ruby Narucki

Altar Guild Connie Wisthoff & Cassie Walgren Ushers/Greeters Marvin Wisthoff & Jeff Jesmain Kathy Lambert & Sue Kastelic

Ministers: The People of Tabor

Tabor Lutheran Church Council:

Council President: Derek Truxell

Council Vice President: Jeff Jesmain Council Secretary: Connie Wisthoff

Treasurer: Michelle Vargues

Tabor Lutheran Church Staff:

Ministers: all the People of Tabor

Pastor: Rev. Ruby Narucki

Organist/musician: Dr. J. Michael Beck Administrative Assistant: Julie Buttram Church Custodian: Marvin Wisthoff