

Service of Holy Communion
Fifth Sunday after Epiphany
February 6, 2022
10:00 a.m.

GATHERING

PRELUDE

"Isaiah, Mighty Seer, in Days of Old"	- Friedrich Zachow
Prelude on "Deo Gracias"	- Healey Willan
Toccata-Chorale on "Lord of All Hopefulness"	- Alice Jordan

WELCOME

CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS

In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit, **Amen.**

Almighty God, to whom all hearts are open, all desires known, and from whom no secrets are hid: cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love you and worthily magnify your holy name, through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Amen.

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

The congregation may kneel as desired.

Most merciful God,

we confess that we are captive to sin and cannot free ourselves. 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. 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.

In the mercy of almighty God, Jesus Christ was given to die for us, and for his sake God forgives us all our sins. As a called and ordained minister of the church of Christ, and by his authority, I therefore declare to you the entire forgiveness of all your sins, in the name of the Father, and of the ✠ Son, and of the Holy Spirit. **Amen.**

GATHERING HYMN

"Jesus Calls Us; o'er the Tumult"

sts. 1,4,5

Red Book #696

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.

GLORIA *sung in English*

The musical score for the Gloria in English is written on two staves. The first staff contains measures 1 through 4, and the second staff contains measures 5 through 8. The lyrics are written below the notes. Measure 1: *1** Glo - ri - a, Glo - ry to God, in ex - cel - sis De - o! glo - ry in the high - est! Measure 2: glo - ri - a, glo - ry to God, Measure 3: *3* Glo - ri - a, Glo - ry to God, Measure 4: *4* al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia! al - le - lu - ia! al - le - lu - ia!

**May be sung as a round.*

Text: Traditional

Music: GLORIA 3, Jacques Barther, 1923-1994

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PRAYER OF THE DAY

Let us pray. 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.

THE WORD

The congregation may be seated.

CHILDREN'S SERMON

FIRST READING **Isaiah 6:1-8**

Through a vision in the temple, the eighth-century prophet Isaiah is called by God to announce judgment against Israel. Aware of his sinfulness and

shortcomings, Isaiah is initially hesitant. But when God calls, Isaiah responds, "Here am I; send me!"

¹In the year that King Uzziah died, I saw the Lord sitting on a throne, high and lofty; and the hem of his robe filled the temple. ²Seraphs were in attendance above him; each had six wings: with two they covered their faces, and with two they covered their feet, and with two they flew. ³And one called to another and said:

"Holy, holy, holy is the LORD of hosts;
the whole earth is full of his glory."

⁴The pivots on the thresholds shook at the voices of those who called, and the house filled with smoke. ⁵And I said: "Woe is me! I am lost, for I am a man of unclean lips, and I live among a people of unclean lips; yet my eyes have seen the King, the LORD of hosts!"

⁶Then one of the seraphs flew to me, holding a live coal that had been taken from the altar with a pair of tongs. ⁷The seraph touched my mouth with it and said: "Now that this has touched your lips, your guilt has departed and your sin is blotted out." ⁸Then I heard the voice of the Lord saying, "Whom shall I send, and who will go for us?" And I said, "Here am I; send me!"

The word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

PSALM 138 *read 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 above all things.**

³When I called, you 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 purpose for me;

O LORD, your steadfast love endures forever; do not abandon the works of your hands.

SECOND READING 1 Corinthians 15:1-11

Paul delivers in a nutshell the story of the gospel that was given to him. In the lineage of the Christian faith, we have received the good news of God's love from generations of believers before us, and we continue to tell this story to the world.

¹Now I would remind you, brothers and sisters, of the good news that I proclaimed to you, which you in turn received, in which also you stand, ²through which also you are being saved, if you hold firmly to the message that I proclaimed to you—unless you have come to believe in vain.

³For I handed on to you as of first importance what I in turn had received: that Christ died for our sins in accordance with the scriptures, ⁴and that he was buried, and that he was raised on the third day in accordance with the scriptures, ⁵and that he appeared to Cephas, then to the twelve. ⁶Then he appeared to more than five hundred brothers and sisters at one time, most of whom are still alive, though some have died. ⁷Then he appeared to James, then to all the apostles. ⁸Last of all, as to one untimely born, he appeared also to me. ⁹For I am the least of the apostles, unfit to be called an apostle, because I persecuted the church of God. ¹⁰But by the grace of God I am what I am, and his grace toward me has not been in vain. On the contrary, I worked harder than any of them—though it was not I, but the grace of God that is with me. ¹¹Whether then it was I or they, so we proclaim and so you have come to believe.

The word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

The congregation may stand.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION



GOSPEL Luke 5:1-11

The holy gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Luke the fifth chapter.

Glory to you, O Lord.

Jesus' teaching of God's word has begun to draw great crowds. For Simon, James, and John, Jesus' teaching inspires hospitality, then obedience, and then risk. After Jesus' creative power is revealed, fear and amazement leads these three fishermen to leave everything behind to become apostles.

¹Once while Jesus was standing beside the lake of Gennesaret, and the crowd was pressing in on him to hear the word of God, ²he saw two boats there at the shore of the lake; the fishermen had gone out of them and were washing their nets. ³He got into one of the boats, the one belonging to Simon, and asked him to put out a little way from the shore. Then he sat down and taught the crowds from the boat. ⁴When he had finished speaking, he said to Simon, "Put out into the deep water and let down your nets for a catch." ⁵Simon answered, "Master, we have worked all night long but have caught nothing. Yet if you say so, I will let down the nets." ⁶When they had done this, they caught so many fish that their nets were beginning to break. ⁷So they signaled their partners in the other boat to come and help them. And they came and filled both boats, so that they began to sink. ⁸But when Simon Peter saw it, he fell down at Jesus' knees, saying, "Go away from me, Lord, for I am a sinful man!" ⁹For he and all who were with him were amazed at the catch of fish that they had taken; ¹⁰and so also were James and John, sons of

Zebedee, who were partners with Simon. Then Jesus said to Simon, “Do not be afraid; from now on you will be catching people.” ¹¹When they had brought their boats to shore, they left everything and followed him.

The Gospel of the Lord.

Praise to you, O Christ.

The congregation may be seated.

SERMON

The congregation may stand.

HYMN OF THE DAY

“You Have Come Down to the Lakeshore” sts. 1,3,4 Red Book #817

APOSTLES’ 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 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.

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.

For all your people, that we may share burdens and joys with one another and welcome your call to work with you and one another, let us pray... God of mercy, **hear our prayer.**

For our partners in ministry: the congregations of Butler Area Lutheran Ministries, Camp Lutherlyn, and the Southwestern Pennsylvania Synod, let us pray... God of mercy, **hear our prayer.**

For the ministries of Lutheran Disaster Response and Lutheran World Relief as they serve those who have lost homes and livelihoods to storm, fire, war, or other crises, let us pray... God of mercy, **hear our prayer.**

For those who have worked hard through the pandemic and feel depleted, burnt out, and alone, let us pray... God of mercy, **hear our prayer.**

For those who are sick, injured, or in special need today, let us pray... God of mercy, **hear our prayer.**

For those for whom trustworthy friends or partners feel like a distant dream, for those who feel alone because of chronic illness, imprisonment, or grief, let us pray... God of mercy, **hear our prayer.**

For those who mourn (especially for the loved ones of ...) that their lives may be illumined with resurrection hope, let us pray... God of mercy, **hear our prayer.**

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.**

THE MEAL

PEACE

The peace of Christ be with you always.

And also with you.

The congregation may share the peace by waving at those around you. Please remain in the pew where you are standing or sitting as you share the peace!

ORGAN OFFERTORY

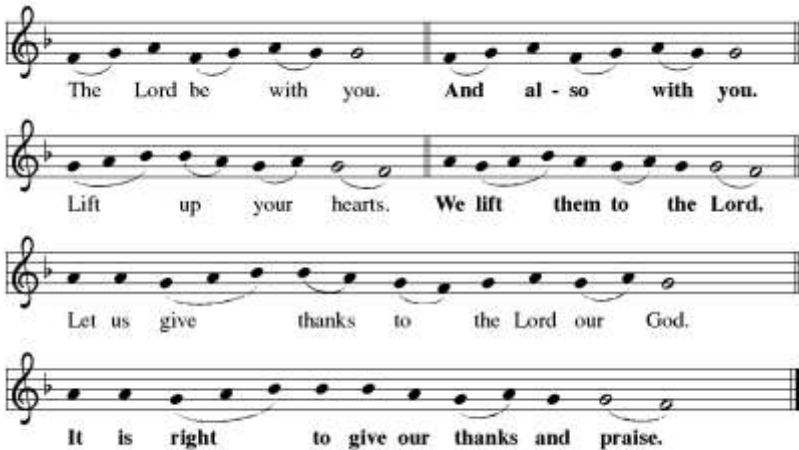
“Wie schön leuchtet der Morgenstern”

- J.C. Bach

OFFERING PRAYER *led by the assisting minister*

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.**

GREAT THANKSGIVING



It is indeed right, our duty, and our joy that we should at all times and in all places...(The presiding minister continues giving thanks, concluding)...we praise your name and join their unending hymn:



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 remember your Word dwelling among us, full of grace and truth. We remember our new birth in his death and resurrection. We look with hope for his coming.

Come, Lord Jesus.

Holy God, we long for your Spirit. Come among us. Bless this meal. May your Word take flesh in us. Awaken your people. Fill us with your light. Bring the gift of peace on earth.

Come, Holy Spirit.

All praise and glory are yours, Holy One of Israel, Word of God incarnate, Power of the Most High, one God, now and forever.




Gathered into one by the Holy Spirit, let us pray as Jesus taught us:
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.

INVITATION TO COMMUNION

Taste and see that the Lord is good.

LAMB OF GOD



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

SHARING OF THE SACRAMENT

All are welcome to Holy Communion today. Lutherans believe that Christ is truly present in the bread and wine. The ushers will invite you forward to receive; please keep 6 feet of distance between you and the next group of communicants. Gluten free wafers are available; please let the pastor know if you wish to receive them. If you are able to receive either bread or wine (but not both), please know that you still receive the full communion.

BLESSING AFTER COMMUNION

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

Amen.

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION *led by the assisting minister*

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.

BLESSING

God, who leads you in pathways of righteousness, who rejoices over you, and who calls you by name, bless your going out and your coming in, today and forever. In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

Amen.

SENDING HYMN

“Will You Come and Follow Me”

Red Book #798

DISMISSAL

Go in peace. Serve the Lord!

Thanks be to God.

POSTLUDE “Fanfare for Organ”

- Ronald Arnatt

SERVING IN WORSHIP TODAY

The Rev. Kimberly van Driel	Presiding Minister
Mollie Hibbs	Assisting Minister
Amy Beiler	Reader
Emily Stein	Crucifer
Holly Schubert	Children’s Church
Signe Mitchell	Organist
Marlin Boltz	AV Assisting Minister
Melody Kamerer	PowerPoint Assisting Minister
Roxanne Glagola	Altar Guild
Bob and Karen Domanski	Ushers

Susan Farrell and Marilyn Shoup	Counters
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Flowers are given to the glory of God by the congregation of First English Lutheran Church.

THIS WEEK AT FIRST ENGLISH

Mon., 2/7	5:00 PM	Community Dinner
	8:00 PM	NA Meeting (Social Hall)
Wed., 2/9	11:00 AM	Staff Meeting
	7:00 PM	AA Meeting (Social Hall)
Thurs., 2/10	10:00 AM	Bible Study
	7:00 PM	Choir Rehearsal
	7:30 PM	NA Meeting (Downstairs)
Fri., 2/11		Pastor Kimberly's Day Off
Sat., 2/12	12:00 PM	NA Meeting (Downstairs)
	TBA	Council & Staff Retreat at Lutherlyn

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Zoom meeting info:

To join online, click 'Join Our ZOOM Meeting' in the email.

Meeting ID: 956 305 5281

Password: 408299

To join via telephone, dial: +1 301 715 8592

Meeting ID: 956 305 5281

Password: 408299

Reminder: The Prayer List will be renewed next Sunday, February 13th.

If you would like to keep someone on the prayer list, please let the office know by Feb. 9th.

Attention Parents!

After dropping off your children
at Sunday School on
February 6th & 20th,
we invite you to stay for
a brief discussion about our
children's ministry.

Your participation and insight
will be greatly appreciated!

February Sunday School

Children ages 3 through confirmation age
are invited to gather in the Social Hall
from 11:05 a.m. until 12:30 p.m.
on Sundays, February 6th and 20th
for faith formation activities.

Please RSVP to Sharon if you plan to attend.

We hope to see you there!



COMMUNITY DINNER

ART SHOW & SALE

GALA

TRINITY LUTHERAN CHURCH
120 SUNSET DRIVE
BUTLER, PA

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 26, 2022
7 PM - 10 PM

WINE * REFRESHMENTS * MUSIC * BASKET RAFFLE
FEATURING THE ART OF JON PUGLIESE
TICKETS \$20/PERSON OR \$30/COUPLE

TICKETS AVAILABLE AT EACH CHURCH THAT SERVES A COMMUNITY MEAL.
PROCEEDS BENEFIT THE FREE COMMUNITY MEALS SERVED IN BUTLER EACH WEEK.

Please see Tracy Gullickson for tickets!



COMMUNITY DINNER ART SHOW & SALE

TRINITY LUTHERAN CHURCH
120 SUNSET DRIVE
BUTLER, PA

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 27, 2022
12:30 PM - 4 PM

FREE ART SHOW & SALE
FEATURING
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PRAYERS

Ed Shields; John Negley; John Griffiths & family; Charles Stitt; family of Tony Rodak; Vonnie Baker; continued healing for Graham Cannon; Jeff LaLonde; Tom Walker; family of Ida Miller; family of John Demmy; family of Joanne Morrow; Violet; Darryl Aspelin; Rich McCandless; Cayla Chapman; family of Bob Brandon; family of Tamara Lehw Whitty; those affected by the shooting at Oxford High School in Michigan; Ball family; Deb L.; Fred Miller; family of Ruth Walker; Bob Ringler; McClellan family; family of Glenn Miller; Hazel Warheit; Emma Lee & David Hartle; family of Joyce Hall; Eric; Lisa; Jan Nieto; Kathy Kline's niece Rose; Bill & Judy Vilcheck and family; family of Kara Greeley; family of Larry Kline; Pelgrin & Buehler family; Jean Morrow; families of Joan Chew, Henry Sinopoli, & Mark Grossman; family of Shirley Sellers; family of Barbara Petanovich & Curtis Wilbert; friend of the Swansons; Don, Betty & family; Mia Gill; Claude & all soldiers who have been recently deployed to Kuwait as well as their families; Eleanor Roth; Joe Roudebush; Joe & Linda; Dave Konesni; Raymond Sawyer; Donna; family of Rita Wagner; family of Carol Duffus; Judy O. & family; Anne Ferguson; Claudia; Karen; Anita; Kitty Walker; Nancy Hoehn; Tad Sellers; Aryl Bashline; Jenna; Tom Olson; Pam Patterson

NEXT WEEK'S READINGS

Jeremiah 17:5-10

Blessed are those who trust the LORD, they are like trees by water

Psalms 1

They are like trees planted by streams of water. (Ps. 1:3)

1 Corinthians 15:12-20

Christ has been raised, the first fruits of those who have died

Luke 6:17-26

Jesus speaks blessings on the poor and hungry; woes on the rich and full

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