



### **Third Sunday after Epiphany**

January 23, 2022

Our Saviour's Lutheran Church

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**\*\*Welcome! We are grateful for the spirit that prompted you to worship with us today and hope you find a meaningful experience in your time with us. We thank you for the prayers you brought and for the witness you made to the world by being in the Lord's house on the Lord's Day. We invite you to worship with us again; our church family will always welcome you!\***

***To the parents of our young children, may we suggest:***

- Relax! God put the wiggle in children; don't feel you have to suppress it in God's house. All are welcome! Sit toward the front where it is easier for children to see and hear.
- Sing hymns loudly, pray, and voice the responses with enthusiasm. Children learn behavior by copying you. If you are fired up about God, they will be too!
- Remember that the way we welcome children in Church directly affects the way they respond to the Church, to God, to Christ, to one another. Let them know that they are at home in the Church.
- Teach children some of the basic prayers, being able to join in with the prayers help them feel they are contributing too. Attend worship often, children like and need routines where they can participate.
- Children are invited to participate in communion, where they learn that God loves them.

***To Members of the congregation:*** A smile of encouragement is always welcome to parents with small, active children. The presence of children is a gift to the church! They give us a future filled with hope!

***\*Please Stand As You Are Able—And Sit As You Feel The Need!!***

#### **CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS**

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

C: Amen.

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

*[Silence for reflection and self-examination.]*

P: Most merciful God,

C: **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 who 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.**

P: 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.

C: Amen

**\*GATHERING HYMN "Children of the Heavenly Father" #781 ELW**

#### **CHILDREN'S SERMON**

#### **\*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.**

#### **\*SHARING OF THE PEACE**

#### **\*PRAYER OF THE DAY**

P: Blessed Lord God,

C: **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.

**WELCOME AND COMMENTS ON THE DAY**

**FIRST READING** Nehemiah 8:1-3, 5-6, 8-10

Psalm 19

**SECOND READING** 1 Corinthians 12:12-31a

**\*GOSPEL ACCLAMATION** pg. 142

**\*HOLY GOSPEL** Luke 4:14-21

**\*GOSPEL RESPONSE**

Glory to you, O Lord.

Praise to you, O Christ.

**SERMON - BAPTISMS** Wells Darrell & Tripp Wayne Antony

**\*HYMN OF THE DAY** "Jesus Loves Me" #595 ELW

**OFFERING**

**\*OFFERTORY PRAYER**

P: Blessed are you, O God,

C: **Sovereign of the universe. You offer us new beginnings and guide us on our journey. Lead us to your table, nourish us with your heavenly food, and prepare us to carry your love to a hungry world, in the name of Christ our light. Amen**

**PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION**

Petitions end: God of grace,

Response: **hear our prayer.**

**\*OUR LORD'S PRAYER**

**\*SENDING SONG** "Be Thou My Vision" #793 ELW

**\*GOD'S BLESSING**

P: 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.

C: **Amen**

**\*DISMISSAL**

P: So now together, we go out into God's great creation, and with the power of the Holy Spirit, ever present in our hearts, let's change some lives.

C: **We will! Alleluia!**

**SENDING SONG** "Go Now In Peace" Projected

Postlude

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***Please remain in the Sanctuary until all the candles are extinguished. Thank you.***

**Our Saviour's Lutheran Church Invites You To:  
Belong – Believe – Become – Be a Blessing**

**Custodian:** Jesse Engesmoie  
**Office Manager:** Cheryl Norquist  
**Organist/Handbell Choir:** Karen Olsen  
**Digital Projection:** Linda Kockelman & Dawn Ourada  
**Ushers:**  
**Videographers:** Mark Fokken, Rick Bueltel, & Jon Hanson

**Choir Director:** Dawn Ourada  
**Treasurer:**  
**Guest Accompanist:**  
**Acolytes:**  
**Communion Asst's:**  
**Lector:** Cheryl Norquist

For *January* the *Eternal Lights* burn in the Sanctuary and Chapel in loving memory of *Wendell Snortum's 97<sup>th</sup> birthday, which would have been January 7<sup>th</sup>*. Given by Family.

The *Television broadcast* for today is in honor of *Bette Gehrking's birthday on January 20<sup>th</sup>*. Given by her husband Larry.

We rejoice with Troy Antony & Jenna Norquist  
on the baptism of their twin sons,  
*Wells Darrell and Tripp Wayne* this morning.  
Our prayers are with their family.

#### January Mission Calendar

- 7<sup>th</sup>: In honor of *Mark Wornson & Kate Fujimoto's 4<sup>th</sup> wedding anniversary*. Given by Family.  
12<sup>th</sup>: In honor of *Ava Wornson's birthday*. Given by Family.  
14<sup>th</sup>: In honor of *Bruce Wornson's birthday*. Given by Family.  
16<sup>th</sup>: In honor of *Miriam Kaczmarek's birthday*. Given by Family  
23<sup>rd</sup>: In loving memory of *Mike Tesch's birthday today*. Given by Marion & Pauline Oellien.  
28<sup>th</sup>: In loving memory of *Jennifer (Dybsetter) Erickson whose birthday would have been January 28<sup>th</sup>*. Given by Bev Dybsetter.  
31<sup>st</sup>: In honor of *Evelyn Wornson's birthday*. Given by Family.

**We ask God's guidance and prayers** for all those who have special needs: Paul Fokken, Nick Benson, Karen Ouverson Pohlen, Kathy Machtemes (Marilyn Rangaard's sister), Bonnie Olson, Aiden Conrad, Natalie Dinius, Debra (Haugen) Galecki, Linda Chaney, Troy Hoffman, Kara Mortenson, Ken Club, Fred Full, Myrna Tesch, Patty McLain (Sherri Full's sister), Lyla Nelson, Nina Benz, Katrina Vick, Debbie Cornell, Dane Nordquist, Delroy Thompson, John Cornell, Joyce Brouwer, Mary Adler, Robert Kokesh, Fern Emmons and granddaughter Gabrielle, Fran Beecher, Patricia Hoffman, Bruce Garrels, Karin Livermore, Deanna Stephenson, Dean Hedge, Sandra Nelson, Sherry Olson, Linda Vlaminck and all whom we name before you in our hearts. May God strengthen all who are in need.

**We continue to pray for the Leaders** of the Nations, for all the Peacekeeping forces and especially for the service men and women connected with OSL, both those who remain deployed and those who now feel the safety of home: Jacob Merritt (grandson of Bev Dybsetter), Anthony Nemitz, Cody Dinius, Ross Larson, Nicole Nelson (granddaughter of Larry & Joanne Nelson), Ethan Webster, Tony Geier, Ryan Stoks, Nicholas Schultz, Tony Nelson, Kirk Larson, Ryan Otto, Tyson Coil, Christopher Oellien, Stephanie Geier and Sue Behrens. **May God continue to strengthen these committed military personnel and their families.** If anyone has been omitted or you would like to add a name, please contact the church office. We ask God to surround them and their loved ones with His love and presence.

If you would desire a pastoral visit for any reason, please call the **church office at 507-223-5528**. If you have an emergency, i.e, hospital or family issue, please call **Pastor Levi's cell phone at 701-367-7072**.

#### GIVE+Online.....

We invite you to consider our new **electronic giving program** as a way to automate your **regular weekly offerings**. Electronic giving is convenient for you and provides much-needed consistency for our church. There is no cost for you to participate. To get started you will need to sign up in the link on the front page of our website ([oslcanby.org](http://oslcanby.org)) or you may call the office 223-5528 for assistance.

Our Saviour's Lutheran Church will hold its *Annual Meeting of the Congregation on Sunday, January 30, 2022, following the 9:00 a.m. worship service.*

## CALENDAR

**Sunday, January 23<sup>rd</sup>: Third Sunday after Epiphany**  
8:30 a.m. Coffee Bar available prior to worship  
9:00 a.m. Worship

*Baptisms: Wells Darrell & Tripp Wayne Antony*

10:00 a.m. Internship Committee Meeting following worship

10:00 a.m. Sunday School

10:10 a.m. Coffee Talk – Fellowship Hall

**Monday, January 24<sup>th</sup>: *Pastor's Sabbath***

***Office Closed***

**Tuesday, January 25<sup>th</sup>:**

**Wednesday, January 26<sup>th</sup>:**

**Thursday, January 27<sup>th</sup>:**

**Friday, January 28<sup>th</sup>:**

**Saturday, January 29<sup>th</sup>:**

**Sunday, January 30<sup>th</sup>: *Fourth Sunday after Epiphany***

8:30 a.m. Coffee Bar available prior to worship

9:00 a.m. Worship with Holy Communion

***Annual Meeting following worship***

10:00 a.m. Sunday School

10:10 a.m. Coffee Talk

### Monthly Giving Report for December

Total Giving Needed Each Month:	\$ 21,543.80
Simply Giving for the Month	\$ 4,927.66
Weekly offering received for the Month	\$ 35,950.81
Total Giving for the Month:	<u>\$ 40,878.47</u>
Monthly Surplus/Deficit:	+\$ 19,334.67
Thrivent Choice Deposits (YTD 12/31/2021)	\$ 515.00
Total Giving (YTD 12/31/2021):	\$237,424.80
Noisy Coin Offerings: (YTD 12/31/2021)	\$ 411.27

**Cornerstone Fund Balance as of 12/31/2021: \$43,666.26**

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