THE THIRD SUNDAY AFTER THE EPIPHANY

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OUR SAVIOR

EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH

THE LUTHERAN CHURCH—Missouri Synod

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Visitors, welcome to Our Savior! Please take a moment to sign our guestbook on the stand in the narthex before you leave. We follow a traditional Lutheran order of service, which is based on Holy Scripture and historical practice. The order of service in this bulletin is taken from Lutheran Service Book (LSB) Divine Service Setting Three. Please feel free to ask any member of the congregation for help if this is new to you.

This morning we will celebrate Holy Communion

Visitors who have not before received communion from Pastor McCall are kindly asked to speak with him before Divine Service begins and before approaching the altar for the first time. Because Holy Communion is a confession of the faith which is confessed at this altar and because those who eat and drink our Lord's body and blood unworthily do so to their great harm, it is very important to speak with pastor before service if you desire the Lord's Body and Blood. Also, those who receive the Lord's Supper at Our Savior Evangelical Lutheran Church are baptized Christians who have been instructed in and publicly confess the Evangelical Lutheran faith. For these reasons, *only members of this congregation or sister congregations of the Lutheran Church-Missouri Synod* receive Holy Communion at this altar. If you have any questions regarding the doctrine and practice of Closed Communion, please talk to the pastor before or after the Divine Service.

Individuals needing pastoral care can contact Pastor Jonathan McCall at (216) 618-1811 or rev.mccall@pm.me



4 THE DIVINE SERVICE 4

10:30am

THE PRELUDE

The bell tolls three times to signify the beginning of service in reverence of the Holy Trinity. After the tolls, the Processional Hymn will begin.

Please STAND and face the Procession (beginning at the rear of the nave).

THE PROCESSIONAL HYMN 810 O God of God, O Light of Light

THE PREPARATION

In the name of the Father and of the A Son and of the Holy Spirit.

St. Matthew 28:19B; [18:20]

Amen.

Beloved in the Lord! Let us draw near with a true heart and confess our sins unto God, our Father, beseeching Him in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ to grant us forgiveness.

[HEBREWS 10:22]

Kneel if you desire and are able

Our help is in the name of the Lord, who made heaven and earth.

PSALM 124:8

I said, I will confess my transgressions unto the LORD, and You forgave the iniquity of my sin.

PSALM 32:5

Silence for reflection on God's Word and for self-examination. The pastor will resume...

O almighty God, merciful Father, I a poor, miserable sinner, confess unto You all my sins and iniquities with which I have ever offended You and justly deserved Your temporal and eternal punishment. But I am heartily sorry for them and sincerely repent of them, and I pray You of Your boundless mercy and for the sake of the holy, innocent, bitter sufferings and death of Your beloved Son, Jesus Christ, to be gracious and merciful to me, a poor, sinful being.

Upon this your confession, I, by virtue of my office, as a called and ordained servant of the Word, announce the grace of God unto all of you, and in the stead and by the command of my Lord Jesus Christ I forgive you all your sins in the name of the Father and of the 4 Son and of the Holy Spirit.

Amen. [St. John 20:19–23]

STAND

*THE SERVICE OF THE WORD *

THE INTROIT

PSALM 97:6, 9; PSALM 97:1, 10-12



|The heav-| ens declare his / righteousness, and all the people / see his glory.

For thou, LORD, art high above / all the earth: thou art exalted / far above all gods.

The LORD reigneth; let the / earth rejoice; let the multitude of / isles be glad thereof.

Ye that love the LORD, hate evil:

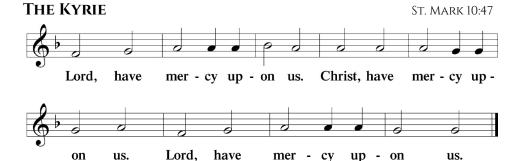
he preserveth the souls of his / sâints; he delivereth them out of the hand / of the wicked.

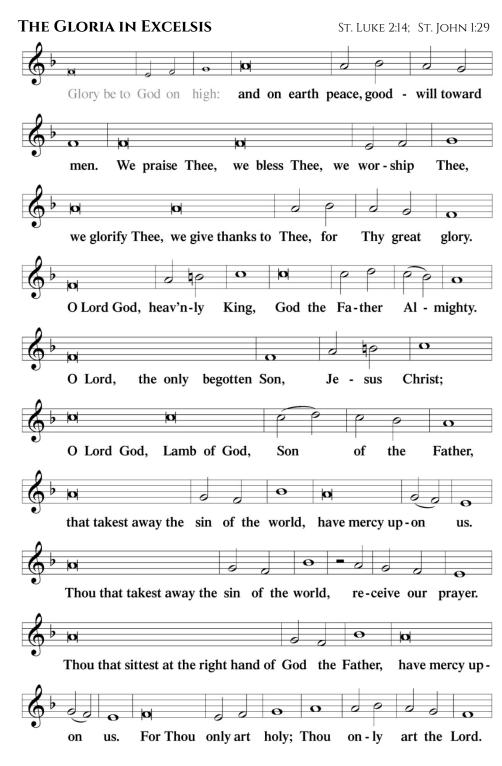
Light is sown for the / righteous, and gladness for the up- / right in heart.—

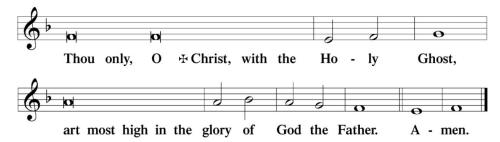
Rejoice in the LORD, ye / righteous; and give thanks at the remembrance / of his holiness. Glory be to the Father and / to the Son and to the / Holy Spirit; as it was in the be- / ginning, is now and will be for- / ever. Amen.

|The heav-| ens declare his / righteousness, and all the people / see his glory.

For thou, LORD, art high above / all the earth: thou art exalted / far above all gods.







THE SALUTATION

2 TIMOTHY 4:22

The Lord be with you.



THE COLLECT OF THE DAY

Let us pray. Almighty and everlasting God, mercifully look upon our infirmities and stretch forth the hand of Your majesty to heal and defend us; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.



SIT

THE OLD TESTAMENT

2 KINGS 5:1-15B

In those days: Naaman, commander of the army of the king of Syria, was a great and honorable man in the eyes of his master, because by him the LORD had given victory to Syria. He was also a mighty man of valor, but a leper. And the Syrians had gone out on raids, and had brought back captive a young girl from the land of Israel. She waited on Naaman's wife. Then she said to her mistress, "If only my master were with the prophet who is in Samaria! For he would heal him of his leprosy." And Naaman went in and told his master, saying, "Thus and thus said the girl who is from the land of Israel." Then the king of Syria said, "Go

So the heathen shall fear the name of the / LÔRD, and all the kings of the / earth thy glory.

When the LORD shall build up / Zion, he shall appear / in his glory.

THE EPISTLE

ROMANS 12:16B-21

Brethren: Do not be wise in your own opinion. Repay no one evil for evil. Have regard for good things in the sight of all men. If it is possible, as much as depends on you, live peaceably with all men. Beloved, do not avenge yourselves, but rather give place to wrath; for it is written, "Vengeance is Mine, I will repay," says the Lord. Therefore "If your enemy is hungry, feed him; if he is thirsty, give him a drink; for in so doing you will heap coals of fire on his head." Do not be overcome by evil, but overcome evil with good.

This is the Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

STAND

THE ALLELUIA VERSE

PSALM 97:1



Alle- / luia!

- / Alleluia!

The LORD reigneth; let the / earth rejoice; let the multitude of isles be glad thereof./ Alleluia!



This is the Word of the Lord.

in Israel."

Thanks be to God.

now, and I will send a letter to the king of Israel." So he departed and took with him ten talents of silver, six thousand shekels of gold, and ten changes of clothing. Then he brought the letter to the king of Israel, which said, Now be advised, when this letter comes to you, that I have sent Naaman my servant to you, that

you may heal him of his leprosy. And it happened, when the king

of Israel read the letter, that he tore his clothes and said, "Am I

God, to kill and make alive, that this man sends a man to me to

heal him of his leprosy? Therefore please consider, and see how

he seeks a quarrel with me." So it was, when Elisha the man of God heard that the king of Israel had torn his clothes, that he

sent to the king, saying, "Why have you torn your clothes? Please

let him come to me, and he shall know that there is a prophet in

Israel." Then Naaman went with his horses and chariot, and he

stood at the door of Elisha's house. And Elisha sent a messenger

to him, saying, "Go and wash in the Jordan seven times, and your

flesh shall be restored to you, and you shall be clean." But

Naaman became furious, and went away and said, "Indeed, I said

to myself, 'He will surely come out to me, and stand and call on

the name of the LORD his God, and wave his hand over the

place, and heal the leprosy.' Are not the Abanah and the Pharpar,

the rivers of Damascus, better than all the waters of Israel?

Could I not wash in them and be clean?" So he turned and went away in a rage. And his servants came near and spoke to him, and

said, "My father, if the prophet had told you to do something great, would you not have done it? How much more then, when he says to you, 'Wash, and be clean'?" So he went down and dipped seven times in the Jordan, according to the saying of the

man of God; and his flesh was restored like the flesh of a little

child, and he was clean. And he returned to the man of God, he

and all his aides, and came and stood before him; and he said,

"Indeed, now I know that there is no God in all the earth, except

THE HOLY GOSPEL

ST. MATTHEW 8:1-13

The Lord be with you.



The Holy Gospel according to St. Matthew, the eighth chapter.



At that time: When Jesus had come down from the mountain, great multitudes followed Him. And behold, a leper came and worshiped Him, saying, "Lord, if You are willing, You can make me clean." Then Jesus put out His hand and touched him, saying, "I am willing; be cleansed." Immediately his leprosy was cleansed. And Jesus said to him, "See that you tell no one; but go your way, show yourself to the priest, and offer the gift that Moses commanded, as a testimony to them." Now when Jesus had entered Capernaum, a centurion came to Him, pleading with Him, saying, "Lord, my servant is lying at home paralyzed, dreadfully tormented." And Jesus said to him, "I will come and heal him." The centurion answered and said, "Lord, I am not worthy that You should come under my roof. But only speak a word, and my servant will be healed. For I also am a man under authority, having soldiers under me. And I say to this one, 'Go,' and he goes; and to another, 'Come,' and he comes; and to my servant, 'Do this,' and he does it." When Jesus heard it, He marveled, and said to those who followed, "Assuredly, I say to you, I have not found such great faith, not even in Israel! And I say to you that many will come from east and west, and sit down with Abraham, Isaac, and Jacob in the kingdom of heaven. But the sons of the kingdom will be cast out into outer darkness. There will be weeping and gnashing of teeth." Then Jesus said to the centurion, "Go your way; and as you have believed, so let it be done for you." And his servant was healed that same hour.

This is the Gospel of the Lord.



THE NICENE CREED

I believe in one God, the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth and of all things visible and invisible.

And in one Lord Jesus Christ, the only-begotten Son of God, begotten of His Father before all worlds, God of God, Light of Light, very God of very God, begotten, not made, being of one substance with the Father, by whom all things were made; who for us men and for our salvation came down from heaven and was incarnate by the Holy Spirit of the virgin Mary and was made man; and was crucified also for us under Pontius Pilate. He suffered and was buried. And the third day He rose again according to the Scriptures and ascended into heaven and sits at the right hand of the Father. And He will come again with glory to judge both the living and the dead, whose kingdom will have no end.

And I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord and giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son, who with the Father and the Son together is worshiped and glorified, who spoke by the prophets. And I believe in one holy Christian and apostolic Church, I acknowledge one Baptism for the remission of sins, and I look for the resurrection of the dead and the H life of the world to come. Amen.

SIT

THE HYMN OF THE DAY

756 Why Should Cross and Trial Grieve Me

THE SERMON

STAND

THE SERVICE OF THE SACRAMENT OF THE ALTAR *

THE PREFACE

The Lord be with you.

2 TIMOTHY 4:22



Lift up your hearts.

[Colossians 3:1]



Let us give thanks unto the LORD our God.

[PSALM 136]



It is truly meet, right, and salutary... praising You and saying:



ISAIAH 6:3; ST. MATTHEW 21:9



Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord God of Sab - a - oth;



heav'n and earth are full of Thy glo - ry. Ho - san - na,

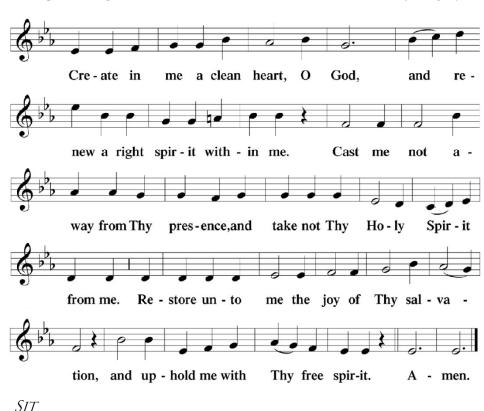


ho - san - na, ho - san - na in the high - est.

Bless-ed is He,



bless-ed is He, bless-ed is He that cometh in the name of the Lord.



THE OFFERING

Create in Me

STAND

THE ANNOUNCEMENTS AND THE PRAYER OF THE CHURCH

[1 Timothy 2:1–4]

- please read the announcements and prayer list details on bulletin insert

After each bid: Let us pray to the Lord.

Lord, have mercy.

At the conclusion: O Lord, ... one God, now and forever. **Amen.**





Ho-san - na, ho - san - na, ho - san-na in the high - est.

KNEEL IF YOU DESIRE AND ARE ABLE

THE LORD'S PRAYER

ST. MATTHEW 6:9-13

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 \(\mathbb{H} \) us from evil.

For Thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory forever and ever. Amen.

THE WORDS OF CHRIST'S TESTAMENT ST. MATTHEW 26:26–28; ST. MARK 14:22–24; ST. LUKE 22:19–20; 1 CORINTHIANS 11:23–25

Our Lord Jesus Christ, on the night when He was betrayed, took bread, and when He had given thanks, He broke it and gave it to the disciples and said: TAKE, EAT, THIS IS MY & BODY, which is given for you. This do in remembrance of Me.

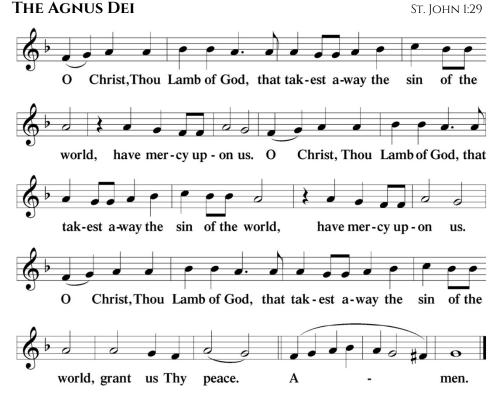
In the same way also He took the cup after supper, and when He had given thanks, He gave it to them, saying, DRINK OF IT, ALL OF YOU; THIS CUP IS THE NEW TESTAMENT IN MY & BLOOD, which is shed for you for the forgiveness of sins. This do, as often as you drink it, in remembrance of Me.

THE PAX DOMINI

St. John 20:19

The # peace of the Lord be with you always.





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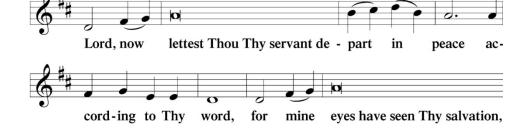
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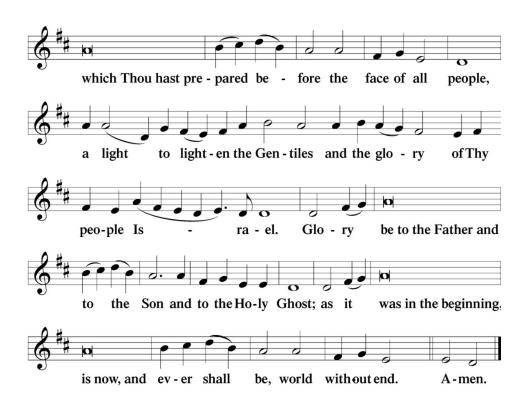
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THE NUNC DIMITTIS

ST. LUKE 2:29-32

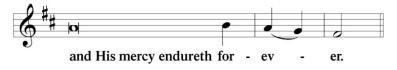




THE THANKSGIVING

PSALM 107:1

Oh, give thanks unto the LORD for He is good.



Let us pray. We give thanks to You, almighty God, that You have refreshed us through this salutary gift; and we beseech You that of Your mercy You would strengthen us through the same in faith toward You and in fervent love toward one another; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.



2 TIMOTHY 4:22

The Lord be with you.



THE BENEDICAMUS

[PSALM 103:1]

Bless we the LORD.



Kneel if you desire and are able

THE BENEDICTION

NUMBERS 6:24-26

The LORD bless you and keep you.

The LORD make His face shine upon you and be gracious unto you.

The LORD lift up His countenance upon you and # give you peace.



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