

What's Happening This Week?

- *February 2nd - Groundhog Day
- *February 5th - Elders Meeting @ 6:30PM
- *February 5th - Happy Birthday Jack Skaret

Updates

- *Has anyone seen a red Christmas tree bag with wheels? It went missing after the WOMO bazaar.
- *Since we don't have a quilt group, we are no longer accepting donations. (Sheets, Pillow cases blankets, comforters, etc.)
- *Please consider signing up to bring treats on Sundays!

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February 2, 2025

+ Fourth Sunday After the Epiphany +

Traditionally, the church on this day remembers the presentation of Jesus by his parents in the temple. We too present ourselves to God: our praise, petitions, sorrows and joys. Welcome.

Jesus, this Valentine's month and all year long, help me live in love so that, whatever else I do, I will not be "a noisy gong or a clanging cymbal"
(1 Corinthians 13:1, NRSV).

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LUTHERAN CHURCH

Welcome to all our guests and visitors! Please share your contact information with us by signing our guest book, fellowship pad or a connection card. We don't share your information with anyone outside the church. Pastor Mike looks forward to meeting you and answering any questions you may have.

Sunday 1/26/24 Attendance: 42

Sunday 1/26/24 Offerings: \$7,312.54

Sunday 2/2/24 Counters: Linda Verkennes & Lindsey Eccles

Altar Duty for February: Ed & Danette Isaacs

One of the ways we glorify God and exhibit our faith is in the proper use of our money in our daily living.

“So whether you eat or drink or whatever you do, do it all for the glory of God” (1 Cor. 10:31).

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Gathering for Worship

Praise the One Who Breaks the Darkness

Hymn 849

Service of the Word

All Glory Be to God Alone

Hymn 948

Salutation and Collect of the Day

Worshipping Together

Sharing the Scriptures

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We All Believe in One True God

Hymn 953

Sermon

Pastor Michael Michalk

Proclaiming The Word

Prayer of the Church

Service of the Sacrament

The Lord's Prayer

The Words of Our Lord / Communion

Isaiah, Mighty Seer in Days of Old

Hymn 960

Joyful, Joyful We Adore Thee

Hymn 803

O Lord, We Praise Thee

Hymn 617

Post-Communion Collect

Benediction

Announcements

Special Music to Depart

Sharing The Scriptures

Old Testament

⁴Now the word of the LORD came to me, saying, ⁵“Before I formed you in the womb I knew you, and before you were born I consecrated you; I appointed you a prophet to the nations.” ⁶Then I said, “Ah, Lord GOD! Behold, I do not know how to speak, for I am only a youth.” ⁷But the LORD said to me, “Do not say, ‘I am only a youth’; for to all to whom I send you, you shall go, and whatever I command you, you shall speak. ⁸Do not be afraid of them, for I am with you to deliver you, declares the LORD.” ⁹Then the LORD put out his hand and touched my mouth. And the LORD said to me, “Behold, I have put my words in your mouth. ¹⁰See, I have set you this day over nations and over kingdoms, to pluck up and to break down, to destroy and to overthrow, to build and to plant.”

Epistle

The Epistle is from 1 Corinthians, chapter 12. I will show you a still more excellent way. ¹If I speak in the tongues of men and of angels, but have not love, I am a noisy gong or a clanging cymbal. ²And if I have prophetic powers, and understand all mysteries and all knowledge, and if I have all faith, so as to remove mountains, but have not love, I am nothing. ³If I give away all I have, and if I deliver up my body to be burned, but have not love, I gain nothing. ⁴Love is patient and kind; love does not envy or boast; it is not arrogant ⁵or rude. It does not insist on its own way; it is not irritable or resentful; ⁶it does not rejoice at wrongdoing, but rejoices with the truth. ⁷Love bears all things, believes all things, hopes all things, endures all things. ⁸Love never ends. As for prophecies, they will pass away; as for tongues, they will cease; as for knowledge, it will pass away. ⁹For we know in part and we prophesy in part, ¹⁰but when the perfect comes, the partial will pass away. ¹¹When I was a child, I spoke like a child, I thought like a child, I reasoned like a child. When I became a man, I gave up childish ways. ¹²For now we see in a mirror dimly, but then face to face. Now I know in part; then I shall know fully, even as I have been fully known. ¹³So now faith, hope, and love abide, these three; but the greatest of these is love.

Holy Gospel

³¹Jesus went down to Capernaum, a city of Galilee. And he was teaching them on the Sabbath, ³²and they were astonished at his teaching, for his word possessed authority. ³³And in the synagogue there was a man who had the spirit of an unclean demon, and he cried out with a loud voice, ³⁴“Ha! What have you to do with us, Jesus of Nazareth? Have you come to destroy us? I know who you are—the Holy One of God.” ³⁵But Jesus rebuked him, saying, “Be silent and come out of him!” And when the demon had thrown him down in their midst, he came out of him, having done him no harm. ³⁶And they were all amazed and said to one another, “What is this word? For with authority and power he commands the unclean spirits, and they come out!” ³⁷And reports about him went out into every place in the surrounding region. ³⁸And he arose and left the synagogue and entered Simon's house. Now Simon's mother-in-law was ill with a high fever, and they appealed to him on her behalf. ³⁹And he stood over her and rebuked the fever, and it left her, and immediately she rose and began to serve them. ⁴⁰Now when the sun was setting, all those who had any who were sick with various diseases brought them to him, and he laid his hands on every one of them and healed them. ⁴¹And demons also came out of many, crying, “You are the Son of God!” But he rebuked them and would not allow them to speak, because they knew that he was the Christ. ⁴²And when it was day, he departed and went into a desolate place. And the people sought him and came to him, and would have kept him from leaving them, ⁴³but he said to them, “I must preach the good news of the kingdom of God to the other towns as well; for I was sent for this purpose.” ⁴⁴And he was preaching in the synagogues of Judea.

Allen Schmidt

Jeremiah 1:4-10

1 Corinthians Chapter 12

Luke 4:31-44