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Gathering

Welcome

Prelude “Prelude and Fugue in D-Minor” *J. S. Bach*

Gathering

Hymn “Holy, Holy, Holy, Lord God Almighty!” **ELW 413**

Greeting ...be with you all.
And also with you.

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.*

Word

First Reading **Isaiah 6: 1 - 13**
Isaiah says, 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!” [⁹And he said, “Go and say to this people: ‘Keep listening, but do not comprehend; keep looking, but do not understand.’ ¹⁰Make the mind of this people dull, and stop their ears, and shut their eyes, so that they may not look with their eyes, and listen with their ears, and comprehend with their minds, and turn and be healed.” ¹¹Then I said, “How long, O Lord?” And he said: “Until cities lie waste without inhabitant, and houses without people, and the land is utterly desolate; ¹²until the LORD sends everyone far away, and vast is the emptiness in the midst of the land. ¹³Even if a tenth part remain in it, it will be burned again, like a terebinth or an oak whose stump remains standing when it is felled.” The holy seed is its stump.

L: The Word of the Lord.

C: *Thanks be to God.*

Psalm 138 Refrain



Tone



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

²**I 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. R**

³When I called, you | answered me;
you increased my | strength within me.

⁴**All 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.

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

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.

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

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.

L: The Word of the Lord.

C: *Thanks be to God.*

Choir

Anthem “I Have Felt the Hand of God”

Craig Courtney

**Children’s
Message**

**Gospel
Acclamation**

Al - le - lu - ia. Lord, to whom shall we go?
You have the words of e - ter - nal life. Al - le - lu - ia.

P: The holy gospel according to St. Luke, the 5th chapter.

C: *Glory to you, O Lord.*

Luke 5: *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 lead these three fishermen to leave everything behind in order 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.

P: The gospel of the Lord.

C: *Praise to you, O Christ.*

Sermon

Pastor Tuula Van Gaasbeek

Hymn of the

Day "You Have Come Down to the Lakeshore"

ELW 817

Prayers of **P:** Lord, in your mercy,
Intercession **C:** *hear our prayer.*

Peace **P:** The peace of Christ be with you always.
C: *And also with you.*

Meal

Offering

Hymn "Jesus, Come! For We Invite You" (vs. 1, 4)

ELW 312

Offering
Prayer

God of all creation, all you have made is good, and your love endures forever. You bring forth bread from the earth and fruit from the vine. Nourish us with these gifts, that we might be for the world signs of your gracious presence in Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. *Amen.*

Thanksgiving **P:** The Lord be with you.
C: *And also with you.*

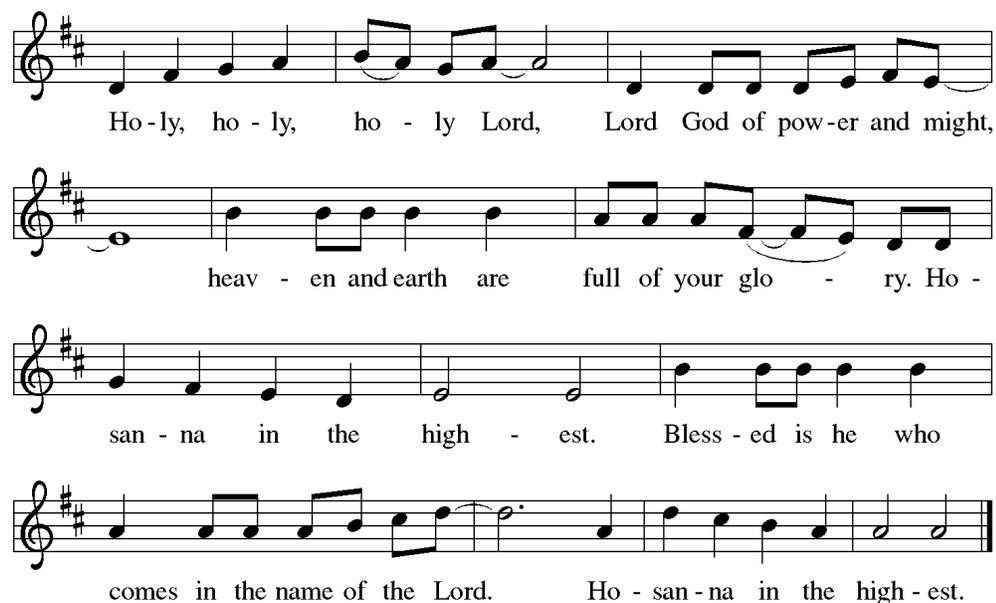
P: Lift up your hearts.

C: *We lift them up to the Lord.*

P: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

C: *It is right to give our thanks and praise.*

P: It is indeed right...we praise your name and join their unending hymn:



Ho-ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord, Lord God of pow-er and might,
heav - en and earth are full of your glo - ry. Ho -
san - na in the high - est. Bless - ed is he who
comes in the name of the Lord. Ho - san - na in the high - est.

Thanksgiving at the Table

P: In the night...Amen.

**Lord's
Prayer**

C: *Our Father in heaven,
hallowed be your name,
your kingdom come,
your will be done,
on earth as in heaven.
Give us today our daily bread.
Forgive us our sins
as we forgive those
who sin against us.
Save us from the time of trial
and deliver us from evil.
For the kingdom, the power,
and the glory are yours,
now and forever. Amen.*

Communion

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.

Communion

Hymn “Amazing Grace”

ELW 779

Prayer After Communion

We thank you, O God, that you have fed us at your banqueting table with bread and wine beyond compare, the very life of Christ for us. Send your Spirit with us now, that we may set the captive free, use your gifts to build one another up, and in everything reflect your glory revealed in Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. *Amen.*

Sending

Blessing The God of glory dwell in you richly, name you beloved, and shine brightly on your path; and the blessing of almighty God, the Father, the ✠ Son, and the Holy Spirit, be upon you and remain with you always. *Amen.*

Sending Song “Here I Am, Lord”

ELW 574

Dismissal **P:** Go in peace. Christ is your light.
C: *Thanks be to God.*

Postlude “February (Carnaval)

P. I. Tchaikovsky
(Please remain seated or leave quietly. Thank you.)

SERVING US TODAY

Assisting Minister	E. Hogeveen
Audio	J. Hogeveen
Lector	S. Pascoe
Communion Server	A. Kouhi-Klemencic
Usher	J. Macko
Greeter	A. Hanslep
Altar	F. Brown
Counter	D. Brown
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THIS WEEK AT ST. PHILIP'S

DAY	TIME	PROGRAM
Monday	11:00 am - 1:00 pm	Euchre
	1:00 - 2:00 pm	Senior's Fitness
	2:30 - 3:30 / 7:00 - 8:00 pm	Bible Study
	7:15 pm	Joyful Noise Bell Choir
Tuesday	5:00 - 6:30 pm	Homework Club
Wednesday	10:00 am	Cover Girls Sewing Group
	7:30 pm	Choir
Friday	6:30 pm	Yoga

REMINDERS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

In our prayers....

Janet Biernacki, Beverly Binhammer, Rodney Erlandson, Mark Kieswetter, Fran Moore, Marion Morningstar, Pat Penney, Julie Potocny, Eleonore Ritthaler, Elga Smidt, George Willis, Judith Wilson, and Hugh Wood.

TODAY: AGM will take place immediately following worship today. You are all strongly encouraged to attend to hear the latest developments and have your voice heard.

2018 ANNUAL REPORTS: Please pick up your copy in the narthex.

WINTER BIBLE STUDY: Monday, February 11 and 25 @ 2:30 or 7:00 pm. All welcome. We will be discussing the Gospel of Luke.

Thursday, February 14th @ 12:00 pm: 50+ event. Victoria Mlynko will speak to "Senior's Mental Health". Please bring your own lunch. Dessert and beverages will be provided. All welcome.

Monday, February 18th: Family Day. Church office closed.

NATIONAL ACCESS
CANNABIS
MEDICAL



Sunday, February 24th @ 11:30 am - 12:30 pm: LUNCH 'N' LEARN: Medical Cannabis with speaker from NACM. Please see sign-up sheet.

Saturday, March 2nd @ 11:00 am: World Day of Prayer. Authentic Slovenian light lunch included. Please bring a donation for St. James Food Bank. Suggestions: tinned fish, rice, legumes, cereal, or toiletry items.

SOUP SUPPERS ARE COMING!: Please see sign-up sheet on the bulletin board.

VISION STATEMENT

We are a diverse and inclusive Lutheran faith community freed by the grace of Christ to find God and self as we connect with our neighbours. We **practise** hospitality of open hearts and open arms. We **unite** with partners to make a difference in our neighbourhood. We **nurture** community of Christ.