

[We rise] **The Prayers of the Church**
The *Te Deum Laudamus* Handout
Kyrie, Our Father, Collects
“**God Bless Our Native Land**” #965

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[Please review our Communion Policy on
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[We are seated]

Hymn “**From God the Father, Virgin-Born**” #401
[We rise, st. 6]

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Salutation, *Benedicamus,* p. 201
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[We are seated for announcements]

[We rise for the Final Hymn]
Final Hymn “**Sent Forth by God's Blessing**” #643

Lessons for Next Sunday
The 5th Sunday after Epiphany:

Old Testament of the Day: Genesis 18.20-33
Psalm of the Day: Ps. 80.1-7
Epistle of the Day: Colossians 3.12-17
Holy Gospel of the Day: Matthew 13.24-30

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Guide to The Divine Service

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“*Jesus Calms the Storm*”

The 4th Sunday after The Epiphany
“**Jesus Calms the Storm Sunday**”

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THE CONSERVATIVE REFORMATION AND ITS THEOLOGY, p. 159
Rev. Dr. Charles P. Krauth, 1871

NOTE ON PARTICIPATING IN THE LORD'S SUPPER

As intended by Christ and as practiced by the one, holy, catholic and apostolic Church throughout history, "closed communion" is observed here, in which the Lord's Supper is distributed only to those who:

- are baptized in the Name of the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit;
- have been instructed in the truth of Holy Scriptures as taught in the Lutheran Confessions, have been confirmed in this Lutheran faith and practice, and now embrace this same Lutheran faith in the same way that it is believed, taught, confessed, and practiced in this congregation;
- believe that in this Sacrament the real body and blood of Christ are truly distributed to them and orally received by them, bestowing on them the forgiveness of sins, life and salvation;
- repent of all their sins, and desire to receive God's forgiveness in this holy meal.

Guests at our services who are able to affirm these facts should speak to our pastor or the elder on duty before receiving the Sacrament. To other guests with us today, we express to you our sincere interest, friendship, and concern, and we assure you that it is for the spiritual welfare of all that we practice "closed communion," even as we continue to work toward the day in which all divisions over doctrine and practice within Christ's Church will be resolved. Those desiring to learn more about our beliefs are asked to speak with one of our pastors.

[We rise and face the Processional Cross]

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Entr. Hymn "Hail, O Source of Every Blessing" #409

The Service of the Word begins with the Introit



Antiphon : Worship Him, all / ye, His / angels: * Zion / heard it / and was / glad. || The daughters of / Judah re- / joiced: * be- / cause of Thy / judgments, O / Lord. (Ps. 103.20; 97.8)

The Lord reigneth, let the / earth re- / joice: * let the multitude of / isles be / glad there- / of. || Clouds and darkness are / round a- / bout Him: * righteousness and judgment are the habi- / tation / of His / throne.

Light is sown / for the / righteous: * and gladness / for the / upright in / heart. || Rejoice in the / Lord, ye / righteous: * and give thanks at the re- / membrance / of His / holiness.

(Ps. 97.1-2; 11-12)

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The Gloria Patri, The Kyrie p. 186
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Collect for the Fourth Sunday after the Epiphany: Almighty God, who knowest us to be set in the midst of so many and great dangers that by reason of the frailty of our nature we cannot always stand upright, grant to us such strength and protection as may support us in all dangers and carry us through all temptations; through the Jesus Christ, Thy Son, our Lord, who liveth and reigneth with Thee and the Holy Ghost, ever one God, world without end. **A - - - men!**

Collect for the Season of Epiphany: Almighty and Most Merciful God, who didst in the beginning create the light, and in the fullness of the time didst give Thine only-begotten Son to be, unto the end of the world, the true Light of men, we beseech Thee, so to illumine our hearts with the beams of Thy grace that we may walk in Thy light as children of light and be made partakers of the inheritance of the saints in light: through Thy dear Son Jesus Christ, our Lord, who liveth and reigneth with Thee and the Holy Ghost, in glory and majesty, world without end. **A - - - men!**

[We are seated]

Old Testament of the Day Jonah 1.1-17
[Jonah Flees the Presence of the Lord]
This is the Word of the Lord **Thanks be to God!**

Epistle of the Day Romans 13.8-10
[Love Fulfills the Law]
This is the Word of the Lord: **Thanks be to God!**

The Holy Gospel of the Day **The Gradual and Nine-fold Alleluia**

The heathen shall fear the / name of the / Lord: *

And all the / kings of the / earth Thy / glory.

When the Lord shall / build up / Zion: *

He shall ap- / pear_ / in His / glory.

Thou are the same: Alleluia! / Alle- / luia! *

and Thy years shall have no end: / Alle- / lu_ - / ia!

The children of Thy servants shall continue: Alleluia!

/ Alle- / luia! *

And their seed shall be established before Thee:

/ Alle- / lu_ - / ia!

(Ps. 102.15-16; 27-28)

The Triple Alleluia p. 190

The Holy Gospel **Announcement of the Holy Gospel**

Holy Gospel of the Day Matthew 8.23-27

[Jesus Calms the Storm]

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[We are seated]

Chief Hymn "Seek Where You May" #557

Sermon

[We rise]

The Offertory "As With Gladness" #397

[We are seated]

The offering is received

God richly bless you for your support of His work among us!