

Third Sunday after Epiphany

January 23, 2022

The Invocation

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 is kept for reflection.

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 you 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. AMEN.**

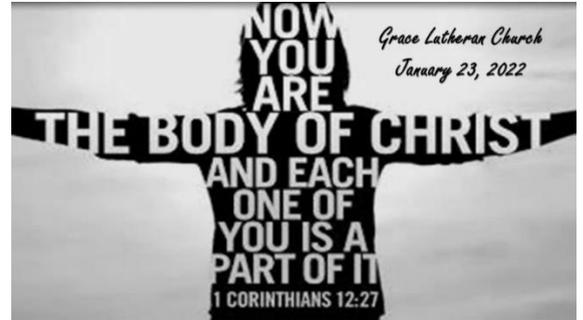
P. Rejoice in this good news:

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 Song

“Who You Say I Am”

by Ben Fielding & Robert Morgan

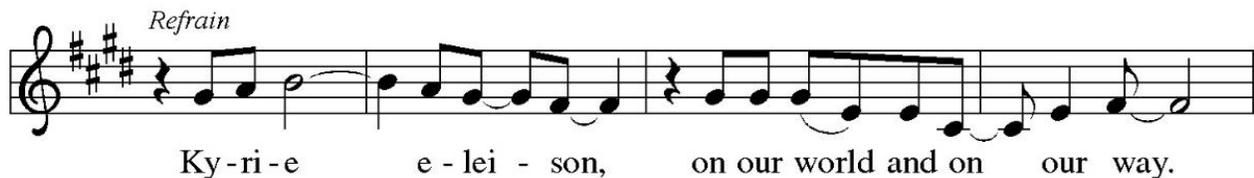
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The Apostolic Greeting

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.*

Kyrie



Prayer of the Day

P. *The Lord be with you.*

C. **And also with you.**

P. Let us pray.

Blessed Lord God, 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.**

Children's Message

Given by Jim Sawyers

Scripture Reading: 1 Corinthians 12:12-31a

¹²For just as the body is one and has many members, and all the members of the body, though many, are one body, so it is with Christ. ¹³For in the one Spirit we were all baptized into one body—Jews or Greeks, slaves or free—and we were all made to drink of one Spirit.

¹⁴Indeed, the body does not consist of one member but of many. ¹⁵If the foot would say, "Because I am not a hand, I do not belong to the body," that would not make it any less a part of the body. ¹⁶And if the ear would say, "Because I am not an eye, I do not belong to the body," that would not make it any less a part of the body. ¹⁷If the whole body were an eye, where would the hearing be? If the whole body were hearing, where would the sense of smell be? ¹⁸But as it is, God arranged the members in the body, each one of them, as he chose. ¹⁹If all were a single member, where would the body be? ²⁰As it is, there are many members, yet one body. ²¹The eye cannot say to the hand, "I have no need of you," nor again the head to the feet, "I have no need of you." ²²On the contrary, the members of the body that seem to be weaker are indispensable, ²³and those members of the body that we think less honorable we clothe with greater honor, and our less respectable members are treated with greater respect; ²⁴whereas our more respectable members do not need this. But God has so arranged the body, giving the greater honor to the inferior member, ²⁵that there may be no dissension within the body, but the members may have the same care for one another. ²⁶If one member suffers, all suffer together with it; if one member is honored, all rejoice together with it.

²⁷Now you are the body of Christ and individually members of it. ²⁸And God has appointed in the church first apostles, second prophets, third teachers; then deeds of power, then gifts of healing, forms of assistance, forms of leadership, various kinds of tongues. ²⁹Are all apostles? Are all prophets? Are all teachers? Do all work miracles? ³⁰Do all possess gifts of healing? Do all speak in tongues? Do all interpret? ^{31a}But strive for the greater gifts.

L. The Word of the Lord. C. **Thanks be to God.**

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.
Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia. Al - le - lu - ia.
Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia.

Gospel: Luke 4:14-21

P. The Holy Gospel according to St. Luke, the 4th chapter.

C. Glory to you, O Lord.

¹⁴Then Jesus, filled with the power of the Spirit, returned to Galilee, and a report about him spread through all the surrounding country. ¹⁵He began to teach in their synagogues and was praised by everyone. ¹⁶When he came to Nazareth, where he had been brought up, he went to the synagogue on the sabbath day, as was his custom. He stood up to read, ¹⁷and the scroll of the prophet Isaiah was given to him. He unrolled the scroll and found the place where it was written:

¹⁸“The Spirit of the Lord is upon me,

because he has anointed me

to bring good news to the poor.

He has sent me to proclaim release to the captives

and recovery of sight to the blind,

to let the oppressed go free,

¹⁹to proclaim the year of the Lord’s favor.”

²⁰And he rolled up the scroll, gave it back to the attendant, and sat down. The eyes of all in the synagogue were fixed on him.

²¹Then he began to say to them, “Today this scripture has been fulfilled in your hearing.”

L. The gospel of the Lord. **C. Praise to you, O Christ.**

Sermon

“Christ has no Body but yours”

Rev. John S. Hillmer

Song of Response

“Christ Be Magnified”

by Cody Carnes, Cory Asbury & Ethan Hulse

Led by United Adoration

Baptism



Prayers of Intercession

The Spirit of the Lord is poured out upon us in abundance; so we are bold to pray for the church, the world, and all that God has made.

A brief silence.

You reveal yourself to us in the reading of scripture. Fulfill your word through the faithful witness of your church. Send us out to bring your liberating good news to all people.

God of grace, ***hear our prayer.***

All creation proclaims your handiwork. Teach us to love the intricate and beautiful bodies that you have created. Bless tiny insects, enormous whales, and every creature in between. Sustain species at risk of extinction.

God of grace, ***hear our prayer.***

You desire that there be no dissension among us. Where we are divided in our society, nation, or world, come quickly to reunite us into one body. Ease conflict, dispel violence, and bring an end to war.

God of grace, ***hear our prayer.***

Prayers for January 23, 2022

We ask you Lord Christ, to stand with us in our time of need, and to provide the gift of healing for this day. Give food and drink to those who are hungry or thirsty; safety to those seeking shelter, calm to those who seek peace., *especially*.....

***Prayers and comfort for Sandra Laettner and her sister and family as her brother-in-law, Kenneth Giroux Sr. passed away.*

***Susan McCulloch, for comfort and strength, on the death of her sister, Marcia Koetz.*

***Prayers of comfort for Bev Harris' family as they mourn her death on January 17, 3 days shy of her 88th birthday.*

***Prayers for Andrew Mitchell (Bill & Mary's son) as he just had a brain tumor removed last week. He is awake and seems to be recovering nicely.*

*** Prayers for Elias, Lilia and Lisa Watson as they recover from COVID. Prayers that Joe continues to stay healthy.*

***Roz Kulik and a full recovery from hip replacement surgery.*

***Prayers for Linda Gravatt's son, Ryan diagnosed with COVID. Prayers for a full recovery.*

***Prayers for a friend of Marcia Pihl's who lives in Australia and whose 7 month old granddaughter has COVID.*

***Bishop Suarez, recuperating after a surgical procedure this past week.*

***Prayers for Kelly (Tricia & Dan's daughter) and extended family on the passing of her father Dan Gallagher.*

***Prayers of recovery for Virginia, Laura Shepherd's grandniece who has been diagnosed with COVID.*

And Continued prayers for David Painter, good friend of Laura Shepherd.

***Prayers for John Heckman, June Smedley's cousin who is in hospice. And prayers for his family!*

***Continuing prayers for Wendy, Betty Campbell's niece, Richard Beeman & Joan Beeman, Peter Swift, Kathy Crouthamel, Bert Crouthamel, Troy Brueggemeier, and Carol Trent.*

Continuing prayers for:

Valerie Lamoree, Patti Joannes, Joan, a co-worker and another co-worker of Amy Lay, Richard Taylor, Adene (David Vickers' mom), Suzanne Chen, Kat (Dottie Pihl's niece), Richard Stevens, Brett Cook, Chuck & Judy Copeland, Don Sletkolen, Ralph & Dora Hepner, Bob & Lori Daquila (Meints' daughter & son-in-law), Pr. Wayne Gollenberg (friend of the Milo's), Niki & John Bailey, sister-in-law & brother of Brenda Gerding, Dave Bortness, friend of Tony Perrone, Susan Jurik (Kathy Biehl's sister), Diane Sanchez (friend of Kerri's), Jerralynne Duncan, Michael, son of Julie Rodriguez, Ken (Friend of Julie Rodriguez) David Painter, Charlie Darte family members of Laura Shepherd, Jim Lamoree (Maggie Gould's brother), Robin Valder, Henry Jaroszewski (Peggy Falor's brother), Tom Roberts; John Arnaldi, Rudy Decker, Milee Dietrich, Betty Freshcorn, Judy Shaw, Mike Campbell, Richard Andree, Richard Andree Sr., and Ruth Rahman.

God of grace, **hear our prayer.**

Build up the body of Christ in this place. Bless the variety of ministries in this congregation. Empower us to freely welcome and deeply value each person who enters into worship in this place.

In thanksgiving we lift before you the saints gone before us, for whom the promise of salvation has now been fulfilled. Tend to those who mourn (*especially*). Bring us together in your everlasting glory. Since we have such great hope in your promises, O God, we lift these and all of our prayers to you in confidence and faith; through Jesus Christ our Savior. **AMEN.**

Announcements - Blessing of the Quilts

✠ The Altar Table is Prepared ✠

Offering Song

(as ushers bring forward offerings & gifts)

**Give thanks with a grateful heart,
Give thanks to the Holy One;
Give thanks because He's given Jesus Christ, His Son.**

(REPEAT)

**And now let the weak say, "I am strong",
Let the poor say, "I am rich",
Because of what the Lord has done for us.
Give thanks.**

The Great Thanksgiving

P. The Lord be with you.

C. AND ALSO WITH YOU.

P. Lift up your hearts.

C. WE LIFT THEM TO THE LORD.

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

C. IT IS RIGHT TO GIVE OUR THANKS AND PRAISE.

Preface

It is indeed right, our duty and our joy,
that we should at all times and in all places
give thanks and praise to you, almighty and merciful God,
through our Savior Jesus Christ.

In the wonder and mystery of the Word made flesh
you have opened the eyes of faith
to a new and radiant vision of your glory,
that, beholding the God made visible,
we may be drawn to love the God whom we cannot see.

And so, with all the choirs of angels,
with the church on earth and the hosts of heaven,
we praise your name and join their unending hymn:

Sanctus

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

Eucharistic Prayer and Words of Institution

Almighty God, you so loved the world that you gave your only son, whose birth we celebrate with joy.

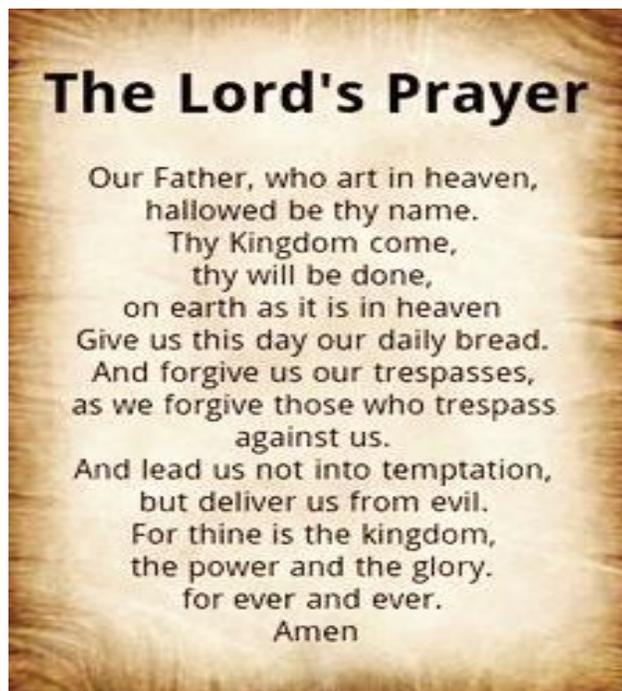
We give you thanks for his coming into the world to fulfill for us your holy will
and to accomplish all things for our salvation.

*In the night in which he was betrayed, our Lord Jesus took bread, and gave thanks, broke it, and gave it to his disciples,
saying: "Take and eat; this is my body, given for you. Do this for the remembrance of me."*

*Again, after supper, he took the cup, gave thanks, and gave it for all to drink, saying: "This cup is the new covenant in my
blood, shed for you and for all people for the forgiveness of sin.*

Do this for the remembrance of me."

The Lord's Prayer



Lamb of God

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, Lamb of God.

Communion Song

“All Who Are Thirsty”

Brenton Brown & Glenn Roberts

Led by United Adoration

Prayer after Communion

Blessed Jesus, at this table, you have been for us both host and meal. Now send us forth to extend our tables and to share your gifts until that day when all feast together at your heavenly banquet. **AMEN.**

Benediction/ Blessing

P. The Lord Bless you and keep you,
The Lord make his face to shine upon you and be gracious to you,
The Lord lift his countenance upon you, and ✠ give you peace. **AMEN.**

Sending Song

Led by United Adoration

“Freedom”

by Kristian Stanfill, Brett Younker, Mia Fieldes,
Jordan Frye & Hank Bentley

Dismissal

A. Go in peace. Serve the Lord! C. Thanks be to God!

Postlude

**Readings for Sunday, January 30, 2022
Fourth Sunday after The Epiphany**

Jeremiah 1:4-10

I appointed you a prophet to the nations

Psalms 71:1-6

*From my mother's womb you have been my strength.
(Ps. 71:6)*

1 Corinthians 13:1-13

If I speak without love, I am a noisy gong

Luke 4:21-30

Jesus says a prophet is not accepted in his hometown

“Who You Say I Am”

*Who am I that the highest king would welcome me?
I was lost but He brought me in.
Oh, His love for me.*

All

*Who the Son sets free, oh, is free indeed.
I'm a child of God – yes I am!*

All

*Free at last, He has ransomed me; His grace runs deep.
While I was a slave to sin, Jesus died for me.
Yes, He died for me.*

*Who the Son sets free, oh, is free indeed.
I'm a child of God – yes I am!*

All

*In my Father's house, there's a place for me.
I'm a child of God – yes I am!*

*I am chosen, not forsaken;
I am who You say I am.
You are for me, not against me;
I am who You say I am.
(repeat)*

I am who You say I am!

*Who the Son sets free, oh, is free indeed.
I'm a child of God – yes I am!
In my Father's house, there's a place for me.
I'm a child of God – yes I am!*

“Christ Be Magnified”

Verse 1

*Were creation suddenly articulate
With a thousand tongues
to lift one cry,
Then from north to south and east to west,
We'd hear, “Christ be magnified!”*

Verse 2

*Were the whole earth
echoing His eminence,
His name would burst from sea and sky.
From rivers to the mountain tops,
We'd hear, “Christ be magnified!”*

Chorus

*O Christ be magnified!
Let His praise arise.
Christ be magnified in me.
O Christ be magnified!
From the altar of my life,
Christ be magnified in me.me.*

Verse 3

*When ev'ry creature
finds its inmost melody
And ev'ry human heart its native cry,
O, then in one enraptured
hymn of praise,
We'll sing, “Christ be magnified!” (Chorus)*

*I won't bow to idols.
I'll stand strong and worship You.
And if it puts me in the fire,
I'll rejoice 'cause You're there too.
I won't be formed by feelings.
I hold fast to what is true.
If the cross brings transformation,
Then I'll be crucified with You. (Chorus)*

“All Who are Thirsty”

Verse

*All who are thirsty, all who are weak,
Come to the fountain.*

*Dip your heart in the stream of life.
Let the pain and the sorrow be washed away
In the waves of His mercy as deep cries out to deep.*

Chorus 1

*We sing come, Lord Jesus, come.
Come, Lord Jesus, come.
Come, Lord Jesus, come.
Come, Lord Jesus, come.
(REPEAT)*

Chorus 2

*Holy Spirit, come. Holy Spirit, come.
Holy Spirit, come. Holy Spirit, come.
As deep cries out to deep,
As deep cries out to deep,
As deep cries out to deep,*

*We sing come, Lord Jesus, come.
Come, Lord Jesus, come.*

“Freedom”

Verse 1

*Step out of the shadows
Step out of the grave
Break into the wild
And don't be afraid
Run into wide open spaces
Grace is waiting for you
Dance like the weight has been lifted
Grace is waiting*

Chorus

*Where the Spirit of the Lord is there is freedom,
There is freedom.
Where the Spirit of the Lord is there is freedom,
There is freedom.
Come out of the dark, just as you are,
Into the fullness of His love.
For the Spirit is here; let there be freedom.
Let there be freedom!*

Verse 2

*Bring all of your burdens
Bring all of your scars
Come back to communion
Come back to the start
Run into wide open spaces
Grace is waiting for you
Dance like the weight has been lifted
Grace is waiting (Chorus)*

*Chains will fall prisons shake
At the sound of Jesus' name
Lives made whole hearts awake
At the sound of Jesus' name
Chains will fall, prisons shake
At the sound of Jesus' name.
Lives made whole, hearts awake
At the sound of Jesus' name. (Chorus)*