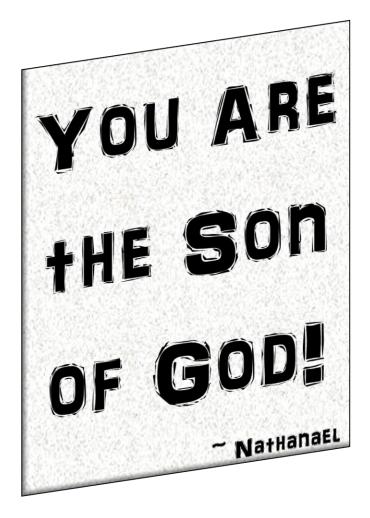
January 11th & 14th, 2018



St. John's Ev. Lutheran Church Juneau, Wisconsin

SECOND SUNDAY OF EPIPHANY

HYMN 463 v. 1-3

"Jesus Calls Us O'er the Tumult"

STAND

- **M:** The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ and the love of God and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit be with you.
- C: And also with you.

CONFESSION OF SINS

- M: God invites us to come into his presence and worship him with humble and penitent hearts. Therefore, let us acknowledge our sinfulness and ask him to forgive us.
- C: Holy and merciful Father, I confess that I am by nature sinful, and that I have disobeyed you in my thoughts, words, and actions. I have done what is evil and failed to do what is good. For this I deserve your punishment both now and in eternity. But I am truly sorry for my sins, and trusting in my Savior Jesus Christ, I pray: Lord, have mercy on me, a sinner.
- M: God, our heavenly Father, has been merciful to us and has given his only Son to be the atoning sacrifice for our sins. Therefore, as a called servant of Christ and by his authority, I forgive you all your sins in the name of the Father and of the Son (+) and of the Holy Spirit.
- C: Amen.

PRAYER AND PRAISE

LORD, HAVE MERCY

Kyrie

M: For all that we need in life and for the wisdom to use all your gifts with gratitude and joy, hear our prayer, O Lord.



M: For the steadfast assurance that nothing can separate us from your love and for the courage to stand firm against the assaults of Satan and every evil, hear our prayer, O Christ.



M: For the well-being of your holy Church in all the world and for those who offer here their worship and praise, hear our prayer, O Lord.

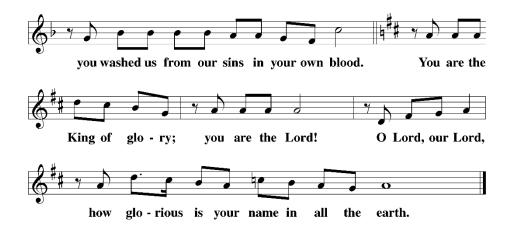


M: Merciful God, maker and preserver of life, uphold us by your power and keep us in your tender care:



M: The works of the Lord are great and glorious; his name is worthy of praise.





PRAYER OF THE DAY

M: Let us pray.

Almighty God, you gave your one and only Son to be the light of the world. Grant that your people, illumined by your Word and sacraments, may shine with the radiance of Christ's glory, that he may be known, worshiped, and believed to the ends of the earth; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who with you and the Holy Spirit lives and reigns, one God, now and forever.

C: Amen (sing)

BE SEATED

THE WORD

FIRST LESSON

1 Samuel 3:1-10 (NIV)

¹ The boy Samuel ministered before the LORD under Eli. In those days the word of the LORD was rare; there were not many visions. ² One night Eli, whose eyes were becoming so weak that he could barely see, was lying down in his usual place. ³ The lamp of God had not yet gone out, and Samuel was lying down in the house of the LORD, where the ark of God was. ⁴ Then the LORD called Samuel. Samuel answered, "Here I am." ⁵ And he ran to Eli and said, "Here I am; you called me." But Eli said, "I did not call; go back and lie down." So he went and lay down. ⁶ Again the LORD called, "Samuel!" And Samuel got up and went to Eli and said, "Here I am; you called me." "My son," Eli said, "I did not call; go back and lie down." ⁷ Now Samuel did not yet know the LORD: The word of the LORD had not yet been revealed to him. ⁸ A third time the LORD called, "Samuel!" And Samuel got up and went to Eli and said, "Here I am; you called me." Then Eli realized that the

LORD was calling the boy. ⁹ So Eli told Samuel, "Go and lie down, and if he calls you, say, 'Speak, LORD, for your servant is listening.'" So Samuel went and lay down in his place. ¹⁰ The LORD came and stood there, calling as at the other times, "Samuel! Samuel!" Then Samuel said, "Speak, for your servant is listening."

10:30 Service

5th-6th Grade Sings

"Shine, Jesus, Shine"

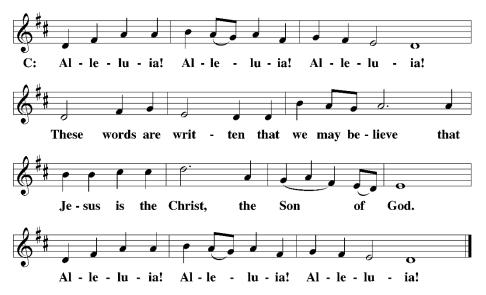
SECOND LESSON

2 Thessalonians 2:13-17 (EHV)

¹³ But we are always obligated to thank God for you, brothers, loved by the Lord, because God chose you from the beginning for salvation by the sanctifying work of the Spirit and faith in the truth. ¹⁴ For this reason he also called you through our gospel so that you would obtain the glory of our Lord Jesus Christ. ¹⁵ So then, brothers, stand firm and hold on to the teachings that were passed along to you, either by word of mouth or by a letter from us. ¹⁶ May our Lord Jesus Christ himself and God our Father, who loved us and in his grace gave us eternal encouragement and good hope, ¹⁷ encourage your hearts and establish you in every good work and word.

VERSE OF THE DAY

M: Alleluia. He said to me, "You are my servant in whom I will display my splendor." Alleluia. (Isaiah 49:3 cf. NIV)



STAND

GOSPEL

⁴³ The next day, Jesus wanted to leave for Galilee. He found Philip and said to him,
"Follow me." ⁴⁴ Now Philip was from Bethsaida, the hometown of Andrew and Peter.
⁴⁵ Philip found Nathanael and told him, "We have found the one Moses wrote about in the Law, and about whom the prophets also wrote—Jesus of Nazareth, the son of Joseph."

⁴⁶ Nathanael said to him, "Nazareth! Can anything good come from there?" "Come and see!" Philip told him.

⁴⁷ Jesus saw Nathanael coming toward him and said about him, "Truly, here is an Israelite in whom there is no deceit."

48 Nathanael asked him, "How do you know me?"

Jesus answered, "Before Philip called you, while you were under the fig tree, I saw you." ⁴⁹ Nathanael answered him, "Rabbi, you are the Son of God! You are the King of Israel!" ⁵⁰ Jesus replied, "You believe because I told you that I saw you under the fig tree. You will see greater things than that!" ⁵¹ Then he added, "Amen, Amen, I tell you: You will see heaven opened and the angels of God ascending and descending on the Son of Man."



BE SEATED

HYMN OF THE DAY 770 *printed on pgs. 16-17*

"O Christ, Who Called the Twelve"

SERMON

John 1:43-51

STAND

NICENE CREED

We believe in one God, the Father, the Almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all that is, seen and unseen.

We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ, the only Son of God, eternally begotten of the Father, God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten, not made, of one being with the Father. Through him all things were made. For us and for our salvation, he came down from heaven, was incarnate of the Holy Spirit and the virgin Mary, and became fully human. For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate. He suffered death and was buried. On the third day he rose again in accordance with the Scriptures. He ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead, and his kingdom will have no end.

We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son, who in unity with the Father and the Son is worshiped and glorified, who has spoken through the prophets. We believe in one holy Christian and apostolic Church. We acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of sins. We look for the resurrection of the dead and the life of the world to come. Amen.

BE SEATED

OFFERING

OFFERING HYMN 147 "Like the Golden Sun Ascending" *Please stand and sing as the ushers bring the offering plates forward.*

v. 5 For the joy your advent gave me, For your gospel's great reward, For your baptism which has saved me, For your supper and your Word; For your death, the bitter scorn, For your resurrection morn: Lord, I thank you and extol you, And in heav'n I shall behold you.

PRAYERS

LORD'S PRAYER

C: 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 us from evil. For thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory forever and ever. Amen.

THE SACRAMENT

At St. John's we practice closed Communion, to which only congregational members are invited, in obedience to Scripture's teaching that the Lord's Supper is an expression of our complete unity in faith. This has been the historic practice of the Christian church for nearly 2,000 years. If you are our guest today, we respectfully ask that you speak with one of the pastors before approaching the altar for Communion.

M: The Lord be with you.



M: Lift up your hearts.



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



M: Praise to the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ! In love he has blessed us with every spiritual blessing. In the past he spoke to us through the prophets, but in these last days he has spoken to us by his Son, who is the radiance of his glory. Now have come the salvation and the power and the kingdom of our God and the authority of his Christ. To him who sits on the throne and to the Lamb be praise and thanks and honor and glory for ever and ever:

HOLY, HOLY, HOLY

Sanctus

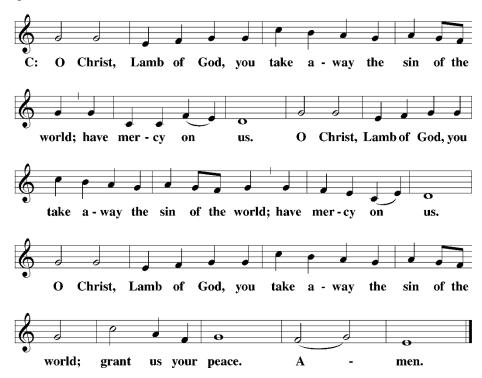


WORDS OF INSTITUTION

- M: Our Lord Jesus Christ, on the night he was betrayed, took bread; and when he had given thanks, he broke it and gave it to his disciples, saying, "Take and eat; this is my body, which is given for you. Do this in remembrance of me."
 Then he took the cup, gave thanks, and gave it to them, saying, "Drink from it, all of you; this is my blood of the new covenant, which is poured out for you for the forgiveness of sins. Do this, whenever you drink it, in remembrance of me."
- **M:** The peace of the Lord be with you always.
- **C:** Amen (sing)

O CHRIST, LAMB OF GOD

Agnus Dei



BE SEATED

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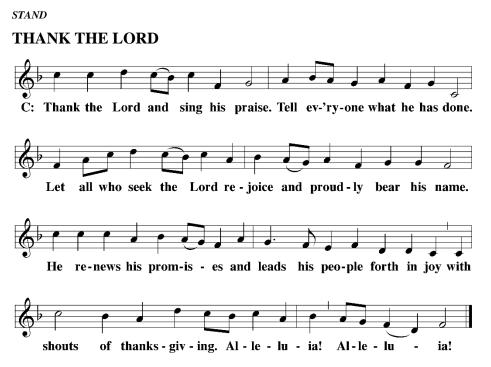


Just a reminder that Nursery help is available <u>this Sunday</u> for your little ones during communion. If you'd like to use this free service, please come to the back of church during distribution to drop off your child(ren). Of course, all parents are welcome to bring their child(ren) to the front with them while they commune – if they so choose.

HYMNS

- **753 "Father, God of Grace, You Knew Us"** printed on pgs. 18-19
- 453 "Come, Follow Me, the Savior Spoke"

THANKSGIVING



- M: Hear the prayer of your people, O Lord, that the lips which have praised you here may glorify you in the world, that the eyes which have seen the coming of your Son may long for his coming again, and that all who have received in his true body and blood the pledge of your forgiveness may be restored to live a new and holy life, through Jesus Christ, our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.
- **C:** Amen (sing)
- **M:** Brothers and sisters, go in peace. Live in harmony with one another. Serve the Lord with gladness.

The Lord bless you and keep you. The Lord make his face shine on you and be gracious to you. The Lord look on you with favor and give you peace.



HYMN 463 v. 4-5

"Jesus Calls Us O'er the Tumult" Pastor: David Brandt Organist: Joan Hohenstein

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Announcements:

<u>Organ Fund Donations</u>: With the Organ Fund's goal now being reached, all extra donations received for the Organ Fund will now be placed into the Debt Fund.

FedCons: The Lakeside Lutheran Federation Connections are available for pickup in the narthex. Please pick up your January edition today!

Family and Friends CPR! Juneau EMS is offering a **Free**, non-certified American Heart Association **Family and Friends CPR class** at St. John's in the lower level. Date: **Saturday**, **January 20th, 9:30-11am.** According to the American Heart Association, CPR, or cardiopulmonary resuscitation, is the act of pushing hard and fast on the chest and giving breaths to someone whose heart has stopped pumping blood. Family and Friends CPR is recommended for anyone, including children over the age of 10, who is interested in knowing how to assist someone who has stop breathing. (Children must be accompanied by an adult.) Participants will learn how to: Assess and get help, Properly give CPR using compressions, Help someone who is choking. This is a <u>Free</u>, non-certified class. <u>Everyone welcome - invite your friends and family</u> – and learn how to save a life! No sign-up necessary. For more information, contact Karen Greenwald, St. John's Nurse Parish Ministry (920) 386-2419.

Lenten Meals: Please sign up your group in the narthex to provide for an upcoming Lenten Meal. Remember that Ash Wednesday is earlier this year, February 14th.

<u>nWBS</u>: Our monthly Nighttime Women's Bible Study will be on Monday, January 15 at 7:00. Our study will be "When waiting for God is on your daily To Do list" and the widow of Zeraphath. Please join us!

WELS Marriage Enrichment & Getaway Weekend: How is your marriage? Would you like it to be healthier? God designed marriage and only he can improve the health of your marriage. Join us for a marriage enrichment weekend March 9-11, 2018. The cost is \$325 per couple and includes lodging, breakfast both days and lunch on Saturday. Spend your weekend learning how to know each other better, appreciate each other more, gain trust, manage conflict, nurture intimacy and connect with each other intentionally – all in the light of God's grace. The result? A healthier marriage. Space is limited, so register early. See the poster or brochure in our lobby for more information. Visit www.wels.net/adult-discipleship for more information and to register.

New Friends at LL • Sunday, January 21, 1–3 p.m. • West Gym

After a blessed inaugural "New Friends" day in October, Lakeside Lutheran Teens for Christ are gearing up for another afternoon of fun. Those with special needs are warmly invited to LLHS for activities in the west gym, to hang out and develop friendships. Young people with and without special needs will join together for a variety of activities, including games, crafts, snacks and music. Sound interesting? For more info or to RSVP, please contact Ruth Hirschfeld at <u>rhirschf@llhs.org</u> or call <u>920-648-2321</u>. Ext 2210. Walk-ups are welcome. ("New Friends" is a program run under the auspices of Jesus Cares Ministries.)

Save the date! St. Mark's Lutheran Church (615 Jones Street, Watertown, WI) will observe the dedication to God of its beautifully restored pipe organ during the weekend of Sunday, January 28th. Professor Adrian Smith, Music Department Chair at Martin Luther College, will serve as the guest organist during regular weekend worship at St. Mark's on Saturday, January 27th at 6:00 PM and Sunday, January 28th at 7:30 AM, 9:00 AM and 10:45 AM. Professor Smith will also play a special concert of thanksgiving and praise on Sunday, January 28th at 2:00 PM; a brief reception will be held in the St. Mark's elementary school commons (just across the street from church) following the special Sunday concert. The pipe organ at St. Mark's was originally installed in 1924 by the Austin Organ Company; it was restored in 2017 by John-Paul Buzard Pipe Organ Builders of Champaign, Illinois. All are welcome on this special weekend!

Every Member Visit

Our goals for the 1-hour visit include:

- Personal visits with your pastors outside
- church setting in the church office. of the
- Sign-Up for your visit in the Narthex today! a. This is a time for us to listen to any thoughts, comments, concerns or encouragements that you have for us / our congregation in keeping with God's Word.
 - b. This will also help your pastors get to know you better.
- Clear overview of the ministry of St. John's. •
- Better understanding of the gifts God has given you and how to use them to His glory.
- Time in God's Word and Prayer •

Every Member Visits - January 7 - March 31 (select dates & times)

1. Sign up for an Appointment (We are encouraging entire families to attend together. We do understand that that is not always possible or necessary, so we will leave that up for families to decide.)

- a. Calling the Church Office
- b. Sign up in Narthex
- 2. Meet with Pastor David Brandt (30 Minutes)
 - a. Get to know your pastor & your pastor gets to know you
 - b. Assessment of Time and Talents
 - c. Devotion and Prayer with your pastor

3. Meet with Pastor Paul Schupmann (30 Minutes)

- a. Get to know your pastor & your pastor gets to know you
- b. Overview of the Mission of the Congregation
 - i.What we are doing.

ii. How we are doing.

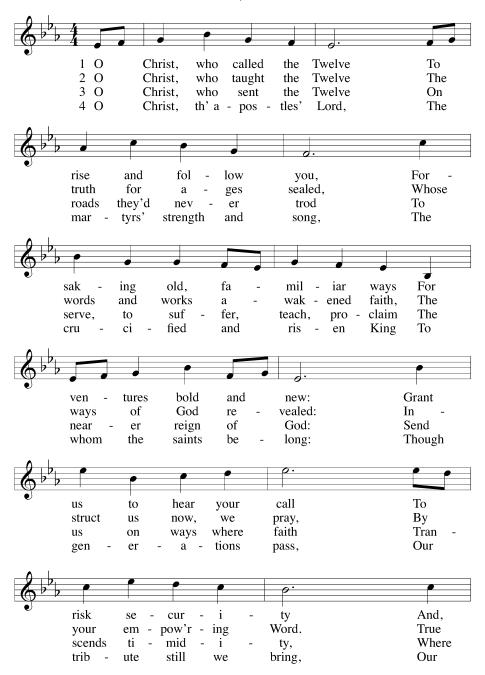
iii.Where we are going.

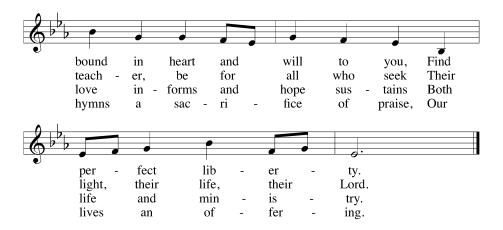
- c. Your thoughts, comments on the overview of our mission.
- d. Devotion and Prayer with your pastor

Thank you!

Pastor Brandt and Pastor Schupmann

O Christ, Who Called the Twelve

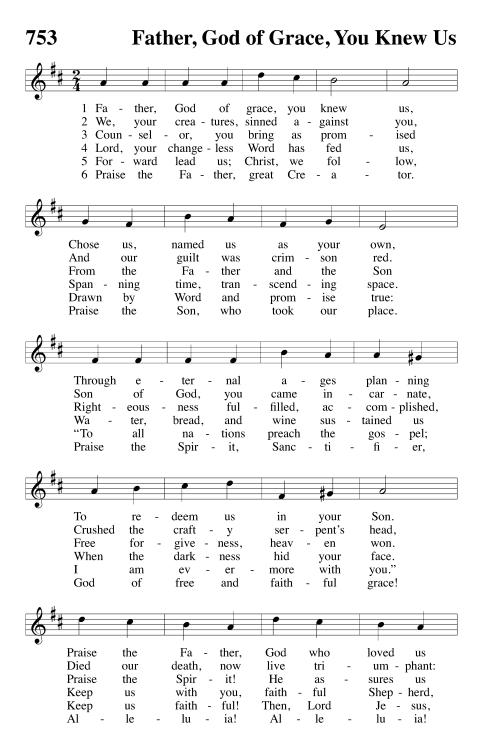


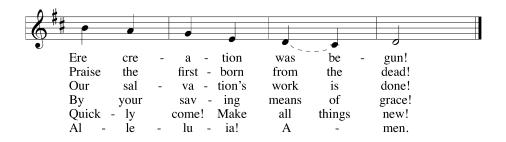


This hymn leads us to consider the cost of discipleship and to pray for Jesus' guidance and strength to fulfill his will.

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January 7 th Statistics		
Attendance: 431 (55, 185, 191)		
Offerings given to the Lord:		
General	\$12,429.83	
Missions	\$1370.00	
Improvement	\$50.00	
Debt	\$521.00	
Lakeside	\$130.00	
Total	\$14.500.83	





Masterfully minted for the 150th anniversary of the Wisconsin Evangelical Lutheran Synod, this hymn calls to mind God's grace in the past, which compels us to proclaim his gospel promises into the future.

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St. John's Weekly Schedule January 14-20

Sunday	Worship 8 & 10:30am
	Bible Class & Sunday School 9:15am
Monday	Women's Bible Study 7pm
	Board of Education 7pm
Tuesday	Jesus Cares 1:30pm
	Bible Study 7pm
Wednesday	Matthew's Place 9am
	Clearview 10am
	Mid-Week Communion 11am
	NO Public School Confirmation
	Faith & Fitness 6pm
	Choir 7pm
Thursday	Blood Pressure Screening 6pm
	Worship 7pm
Saturday	Friends & Family CPR Class 9:30-11am

WELCOME TO ST. JOHN'S

We are so glad you joined us to worship our Lord Jesus today. St. John's is a member of the Wisconsin Evangelical Lutheran Synod (WELS). We are happy to answer your questions about our service, our beliefs, or communicant membership in our congregation. Please join us again soon!

INFORMATION

- Our ushers are here to point you in the right direction and assist you in any way. Please ask.
- Restrooms: our first restroom is located inside the comfort station/children's room by turning right outside the sanctuary doors. A second restroom is located left in the narthex, across from the elevator. Additional restrooms are located in the basement.
- We have two comfort stations/children's rooms if your little ones need a moment. Proceed left out of the sanctuary doors and turn either right or left.
- Children's activity bags are available and are located in the comfort station/children's room. Proceed out of the sanctuary doors and turn right. We also have Children's Bulletins. Please ask an usher for assistance.

PERSONAL PRAYER BEFORE WORSHIP

Heavenly Father, I have come to worship you. Draw near to me in your gracious Word, and assure me of your loving kindness. Curb my wandering thoughts, that with undivided attention I may hear your voice and sing your praise. Amen.



Pastors: David Brandt Paul Schupmann

Principal: Richard Cody

Services: Thursday 6:30pm Sunday 8 & 10:30am

Bible Class: Sunday 9:15am

Sunday School: 9:15am

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