

Baptism of our Lord

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Welcome to worship! We're glad you're here!

To assist in your worship: * means stand as you are able, **bold** print means we respond together + means you may make the sign of the cross, should you choose.

TODAY'S WORSHIP THEME:

Jesus performed his first miracle—turning water to wine at a wedding—for his mom.

Word Search Puzzle

V K L E W A T E R K X I N W S
U C N J G D A A J Y H X R L I
Y I S G I R S Q K D S V I W G
W Z A W W K H L W O K H D T N
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JARS	WEDDING	FILLED	MASTER	SAVED
LAST	SIGNS	FAITH	BEST	CANA
GLORY	WINE	TASTED	SERVANTS	WATER

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GATHERING

The Holy Spirit calls us together as the people of God.

PRELUDE

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

*THANKSGIVING FOR BAPTISM

Blessed be the holy Trinity, † one God, the fountain of living water, the rock who gave us birth, our light and our salvation.

Amen.

Joined to Christ in the waters of baptism, we are clothed with God's mercy and forgiveness. Let us give thanks for the gift of baptism.

We give you thanks, O God, for in the beginning your Spirit moved over the waters and by your Word you created the world, calling forth life in which you took delight.

Through the waters of the flood you delivered Noah and his family. Through the sea you led your people Israel from slavery into freedom. At the river your Son was baptized by John and anointed with the Holy Spirit. By water and your Word you claim us as daughters and sons, making us heirs of your promise and servants of all. We praise you for the gift of water that sustains life, and above all we praise you for the gift of new life in Jesus Christ.

Shower us with your Spirit, and renew our lives with your forgiveness, grace, and love. To you be given honor and praise through Jesus Christ our Lord in the unity of the Holy Spirit, now and forever. Amen.

*GATHERING SONG

Baptized in Water

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*GREETING

The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all. **And also with you.**

*KYRIE



Chris - te e - lei - son. Christ, have mer - cy.

Ky - ri - e e - lei - son. Lord, have mer - cy.

***HYMN OF PRAISE**

Glory to You

1 Glo - ry to you, God, for yours is the earth;
 2 Glo - ry to you, God, for yours is the earth;
 3 Glo - ry to you, God, for yours is the earth;

yours is the prom - ise, the bless - ing, the birth.
 yours the ho - san - nas, the dy - ing, re - birth.
 yours the a - noint - ing, the ra - di - ant worth.

Ours the re - joic - ing for Word giv - en frame;
 Ours the re - joic - ing for na - ture re - claimed;
 Ours the re - joic - ing for spir - its a - flame;

ours the thanks - giv - ing to your ho - ly name.

Ours be the tell - ing of deeds great - ly done;



***PRAYER OF THE DAY**

Holy God, **You rejoice with us when we celebrate our relationships. When Jesus turned water into wine, he honored the hosts. Teach us to honor our relationships as Jesus did. Amen.**

WORD *God speaks to us in scripture reading, preaching, and song.*

FIRST READING: Psalm 104:14-16 Pew Bible Old Testament Pg. 614
The Word of the Lord. **Thanks be to God**

***GOSPEL ACCLAMATION**



***GOSPEL** John 2:1-11 Pew Bible New Testament Pg.95
The Holy Gospel according to John the 2ndchapter. **Glory to you, O Lord.**
The reading concludes: The Gospel of the Lord. **Praise to you, O Christ.**

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE Pastor Pam Challis

SERMON Pastor Pam Challis

***SERMON HYMN** *On Jordan's Bank the Baptist's Cry* #249

***APOSTLES' CREED**

I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth.

I believe in Jesus Christ, God's only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried; he descended to the dead.

On the third day he rose again; he ascended into heaven, he is seated at the right hand of the Father, and he will come to judge the living and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

PRAYERS OF THE CHURCH

We pray for the church, the world, and all those in need.

Wondrous God, **hear our prayer.**

All things we place in your trustworthy hands, knowing that our concerns, our desires, and our loved ones are safe in your keeping. Through Jesus' name we pray.
Amen.

MEAL *God feeds us with the presence of Jesus Christ.*

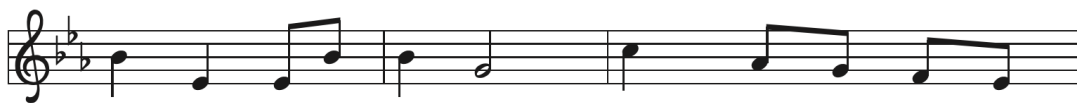
***THE GREAT THANKSGIVING**

The Lord be with you. **And also with you.**

Lift up your hearts. **We lift them to the Lord,**

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God. **It is right to give our thanks and praise.**
It is indeed right, and our duty...we praise your name and join their unending hymn:

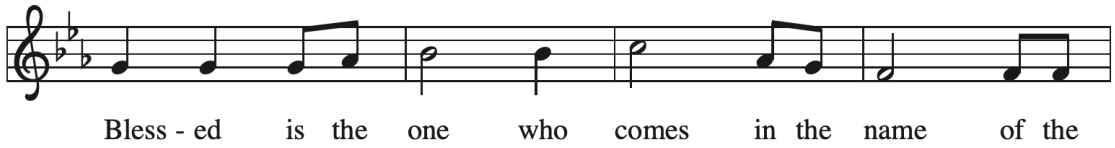
***SONG OF THANKSGIVING** *Holy, Holy, Holy*



Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord, God of pow'r and



God of might, heav - en and earth are full of your



***WORDS OF INSTITUTION**

On the night our Lord Jesus was betrayed...we proclaim the Lord's death until he comes.

***LORD'S PRAYER**

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.

SENDING

God blesses us and sends us in mission to the world.

***BLESSING**

God, who leads you in pathways of righteousness, who rejoices over you, and who calls you by name, † bless your going out and your coming in, today and forever.
Amen.

***DISMISSAL**

Go with Christ into a weary world. Share the good news. **Thanks be to God.**

POSTLUDE

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It is our joy to worship with your whole family this morning!

CHILDCARE

We hope everyone of all ages and abilities will be able to worship together. A special play area is available at the back of the sanctuary. If you need to take a "time out" please do so in the narthex (gathering space at the entry), and return to worship when you are ready. A changing table is located in the restroom off the main entry. Activity bags, filled with crayons, paper and storybooks, are available in the play area. Please ask an usher if you need any assistance.

OUR MISSION STATEMENT *Christ Is Alive!*

OUR VISION STATEMENT

Christ Lutheran Church is a community of believers committed to praising our Savior Jesus Christ. With his love, we reach out to those in need and welcome all with open hearts. Our worship dynamically combines, word, song and prayer to share God's incredible message. Having faith in this, we go forth knowing that with God and the power of the Holy Spirit, anything is possible.

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