

## **Message**

### **Hymn of the Day**

LBW 62 "The Bells of Christmas"

### **Nicene Creed**

### **The Prayers**

### **The Lord's Supper**

Great Thanksgiving

"*Holy, holy, holy*"

Words of Institution

The Lord's Prayer

The Distribution

"*Lamb of God*"

### **Post-Communion Canticle**

*"Thank the Lord and sing"*

### **Post-Communion Prayer**

### **Benediction**

### **Sending Hymn**

LBW 259 "Lord, Dismiss Us with Your Blessing"

### **Dismissal**

*"Alleluia"*



December 27, 2020

First Sunday after Christmas

### Announcements

We will take down Christmas decorations next Sunday, Jan. 3, after worship

**Thank you** for all the cards and gifts I received after my brother's death.

*Marilyn Woolard*

The church office will be closed Friday (New Year's day).

### In Our Prayers

Dale Beckmann, Steve Freese, BJ and Sharon Koeppe  
Betty Oehlertz, Donna Day, Judy Larson, Keith Reeg

### Happy Birthday

Jeff Petersen, Dec. 28

Rich Olson, Dec. 29

### Volunteer sign-up sheets on back table

Membership Care Team; contact Doris Hoffart  
Offering counters, Altar Guild; contact church office

### Poinsettia sign-up sheet on back table

2021 offering envelopes are in mailboxes in the fellowship hall.  
Please use them. This benefits the offering counters and ensures accuracy.

Check your mailbox for the January volunteer schedule.

**Lutheran Book of Worship**

**Setting Two** (begins on page 77)

**Confession and Forgiveness**

**Entrance Hymn**

LBW 61 "The Hills Are Bare at Bethlehem"

**Greeting and Kyrie**

**Hymn of Praise**

*"Glory to God"*

**Prayer of the Day**

Almighty God, you wonderfully created and yet more wonderfully restored the dignity of human nature. In your mercy, let us share the divine life of Jesus Christ who came to share our humanity, and who now lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen

**First Lesson**

Isaiah 61:10--62:3 Old Testament pg. 692

**Psalm 148 (responsive)**

Praise the LORD! Praise the LORD from the heavens; praise him in the heights!

**Praise him, all his angels; praise him, all his host!**

Praise him, sun and moon; praise him, all you shining stars!

**Praise him, you highest heavens, and you waters above the heavens!**

Let them praise the name of the LORD, for he commanded and they were created.

**He established them forever and ever; he fixed their bounds, which cannot be passed.**

Praise the LORD from the earth, you sea monsters and all deeps,

**fire and hail, snow and frost, stormy wind fulfilling his command!**

Mountains and all hills, fruit trees and all cedars!

**Wild animals and all cattle, creeping things and flying birds!**

Kings of the earth and all peoples, princes and all rulers of the earth!

**Young men and women alike, old and young together!**

Let them praise the name of the LORD, for his name alone is exalted; his glory is above earth and heaven.

**He has raised up a horn for his people, praise for all his faithful,  
for the people of Israel who are close to him. Praise the LORD!**

**Second Lesson**

Galatians 4:4-7      New Testament pg. 189

*"Alleluia, Lord to whom"*

**Gospel**

Luke 2:22-40      New Testament pg. 59