

Prayer

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.

Prayer of Thanksgiving

Words of Institution

The Lord's Prayer

Distribution of Holy Communion

Distribution Hymn: *Will You Come and Follow Me* ELW #798

Post-Communion Blessing and Prayer

Benediction

Threefold Amen

Closing Hymn: *We All Are One in Mission* ELW #576

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Welcome! We are glad you are with us today!

"If you do not have a church home, you are welcome here. If you would like to become a member, contact any member or the church office."

Sunday, January 19th, 2025; 9:30 am Second Sunday after Epiphany

Prelude

Welcome/Announcements

Confession and Forgiveness

P: We come before our God this morning under the sign of our Baptism in the name of God the Father, God the Son and God the Holy Spirit.

C: Amen.

P: Almighty God, to whom all hearts are open, all desires known and from whom no secrets are hid, cleanse the thoughts of hearts by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love you and worthily magnify your holy name, through Jesus Christ our Lord.

C: Amen.

P: Let us confess our sin in the presence of God and of one another
(Silence for private confession)

P: Gracious God,

C: we come before you, confessing that we often fail to recognize your power and presence in our lives. Like the guests at the wedding, we sometimes overlook the miraculous ways you provide for us. We are quick to doubt and slow to trust in your abundance. Forgive us for our lack of faith and for the times we have turned away from you. Cleanse us from our sins and renew our hearts, so that we may fully embrace the transformative power of your love. Amen.

P: Beloved in Christ, hear the good news: Just as Jesus turned water into wine, He transforms our lives through His grace and forgiveness. By the power of His sacrifice, we are made new. Our sins are forgiven, and we are called to live in the fullness of

His love. Go forth with hearts renewed, knowing that you are forgiven and loved by our Lord.

C: Amen.

Opening Hymn: *Arise, Your Light Has Come!* ELW #314

Apostolic Greeting

Call to Worship – Psalm 36:5-10

P: Your steadfast love, O Lord, extends to the heavens, your faithfulness to the clouds.

C: Your righteousness is like the mighty mountains, your judgments are like the great deep; you save humans and animals alike, O Lord.

P: How precious is your steadfast love, O God! All people may take refuge in the shadow of your wings.

C: They feast on the abundance of your house, and you give them drink from the river of your delights.

P: For with you is the fountain of life; in your light we see light.

C: O continue your steadfast love to those who know you, and your salvation to the upright of heart!

Prayer of the Day

P: Let us pray.

C: O God of steadfast love, at the wedding in Cana your Son Jesus turned water into wine, delighting all who were there. Transform our hearts by your Spirit, that we may use our varied gifts to show forth the light of your love as one body in Christ. Amen.

Hymn: *Give Me Jesus* ELW #770

First Reading: Isaiah 62:1-5 Janet Andersen

¹ For Zion's sake I will not keep silent, and for Jerusalem's sake I will not rest, until her vindication shines out like the dawn and her salvation like a burning torch. ² The nations shall see your vindication and all the kings your glory, and you shall be called by a new name that the mouth of the Lord will give. ³ You shall be a beautiful crown in the hand of the Lord and a royal diadem in the hand of your God. ⁴ You shall no more be termed Forsaken, and your land shall no more be termed Desolate,

but you shall be called My Delight Is in Her and your land Married, for the Lord delights in you, and your land shall be married. ⁵ For as a young man marries a young woman, so shall your builder marry you, and as the bridegroom rejoices over the bride, so shall your God rejoice over you.

Second Reading: 1 Corinthians 12:1-11

¹ Now concerning spiritual gifts, brothers and sisters, I do not want you to be ignorant. ² You know that when you were gentiles you were enticed and led astray to idols that could not speak. ³ Therefore I want you to understand that no one speaking by the Spirit of God ever says "Let Jesus be cursed!" and no one can say "Jesus is Lord" except by the Holy Spirit. ⁴ Now there are varieties of gifts but the same Spirit, ⁵ and there are varieties of services but the same Lord, ⁶ and there are varieties of activities, but it is the same God who activates all of them in everyone. ⁷ To each is given the manifestation of the Spirit for the common good. ⁸ To one is given through the Spirit the utterance of wisdom and to another the utterance of knowledge according to the same Spirit, ⁹ to another faith by the same Spirit, to another gifts of healing by the one Spirit, ¹⁰ to another the working of powerful deeds, to another prophecy, to another the discernment of spirits, to another various kinds of tongues, to another the interpretation of tongues. ¹¹ All these are activated by one and the same Spirit, who allots to each one individually just as the Spirit chooses.

Gospel Acclamation: *Alleluia (I Am the Light of the World)* Dakota Road p. 128

Gospel Reading John 2:1-11

Children's Message Pastor Josh Schunk

Sermon Pastor Josh Schunk

Hymn of the Day: *Songs of Thankfulness and Praise* ELW #310

Prayers of Intercession

Passing of Peace

Offering

Offering Hymn: *For the Fruit of All Creation* ELW #679