Divine Service, Setting Three
The Fifth Sunday after the Epiphany
6 February 2022

PRE-SERVICE MUSIC

RINGING OF THE BELLS

CALL TO WORSHIP

K-4TH GRADE ANTHEM: ♫“HAVE NO FEAR, LITTLE FLOCK”

OPENING HYMN: ♫“HARK, THE VOICE OF JESUS CALLING”

1 Hark, the voice of Jesus calling,
   “Who will go and work today?
Fields are white and harvests waiting—
   Who will bear the sheaves away?”
Loud and long the Master calleth;
   Rich reward He offers thee.
Who will answer, gladly saying,
   “Here am I, send me, send me”?  

2 Some take up His task in morning,
   To their Lord responding soon;
Some are called in heat of midday,
   Others late in afternoon;
Even as the sun is setting,
   Some are sent into the fields,
There to gather in the bounty
   That God’s Word so richly yields.

3 For as rain and snow from heaven
   Water seeds in dusty soil,
Causing them to bud and flower,
   Giving bread to those who toil;
So the Lord sends forth His promise,
   Words of life and joy and peace—
Never void to Him returning,
   Bearing fruit with great increase.
Hearken to the Lord whose coming
Marks the time when grace shall end,
When with His angelic reapers
He in glory shall descend.
Soon the night, the final harvest;
Soon the time for work shall cease.
Then the souls His grace has garnered
Shall enjoy His Sabbath peace.

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Stand

P In the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit.
C Amen.
P Beloved in the Lord! Let us draw near with a true heart and confess our sins unto God our Father, beseeching Him in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ to grant us forgiveness.
P Our help is in the name of the Lord,
C who made heaven and earth.
P I said, I will confess my transgressions unto the Lord,
C and You forgave the iniquity of my sin.

Silence for reflection on God’s Word and for self-examination.

P O almighty God, merciful Father,
C I, a poor, miserable sinner, confess unto You all my sins and iniquities with which I have ever offended You and justly deserved Your temporal and eternal punishment. But I am heartily sorry for them and sincerely repent of them, and I pray You of Your boundless mercy and for the sake of the holy, innocent, bitter sufferings and death of Your beloved Son, Jesus Christ, to be gracious and merciful to me, a poor, sinful being.
P Upon this your confession, I, by virtue of my office, as a called and ordained servant of the Word, announce the grace of God unto all of you, and in the stead and by the command of my Lord Jesus Christ I forgive you all your sins in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit.
C Amen.

INTROIT

PSALM 71:15–18

O God, be not far from me; O my God, make haste to help me! My mouth will tell of your righteous acts, of your deeds of salvation all the day, for their number is past my knowledge. With the mighty deeds of the Lord God I will come; I will remind them of your righteousness, yours alone. O God, from my youth you have taught me, and I still proclaim your wondrous deeds. So even to old age and gray hairs, O God, do not forsake me, until I proclaim your might to another generation, your power to all those to come.

GLORIA PATRI

♫ Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost; as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen.

KYRIE

♫ Lord, have mercy upon us. Christ, have mercy upon us. Lord, have mercy upon us.
GLORIA IN EXCELSIS

♫ Glory be to God on high and on earth peace, goodwill toward men. We praise Thee, we bless Thee, we worship Thee, we glorify Thee, we give thanks to Thee, for Thy great glory. O Lord God, heav’nly King, God the Father Almighty. O Lord, the only-begotten Son, Jesus Christ; O Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father, that takest away the sin of the world, have mercy upon us. Thou that takest away the sin of the world, receive our prayer. Thou that sittest at the right hand of God the Father, have mercy upon us. For Thou only art holy; Thou only art the Lord. Thou only, O Christ, with the Holy Ghost, art most high in the glory of God the Father. Amen.

SALUTATION AND COLLECT OF THE DAY

P The Lord be with you.
♫ And with thy spirit.
P Let us pray.
   O Lord, keep Your family the Church continually in the true faith that, relying on the hope of Your heavenly grace, we may ever be defended by Your mighty power; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.
♫ Amen.

Sit

OLD TESTAMENT READING

ISAIAH 6:1–13

In the year that King Uzziah died I saw the Lord sitting upon a throne, high and lifted up; and the train of his robe filled the temple. Above him stood the seraphim. Each had six wings: with two he covered his face, and with two he covered his feet, and with two he flew. And one called to another and said: “Holy, holy, holy is the LORD of hosts; the whole earth is full of his glory!” And the foundations of the thresholds shook at the voice of him who called, and the house was filled with smoke. And I said: “Woe is me! For I am lost; for I am a man of unclean lips, and I dwell in the midst of a people of unclean lips; for my eyes have seen the King, the LORD of hosts!”

Then one of the seraphim flew to me, having in his hand a burning coal that he had taken with tongs from the altar. And he touched my mouth and said: “Behold, this has touched your lips; your guilt is taken away, and your sin atoned for.”

And I heard the voice of the Lord saying, “Whom shall I send, and who will go for us?” Then I said, “Here am I! Send me.”

And he said, “Go, and say to this people: ‘Keep on hearing, but do not understand; keep on seeing but do not perceive.’ Make the heart of this people dull, and their ears heavy, and blind their eyes; lest they see with their eyes, and hear with their ears, and understand with their hearts, and turn and be healed.” Then I said, “How long, O Lord?” And he said: “Until cities lie waste without inhabitant, and houses without people, and the land is a desolate waste, and the LORD removes people far away, and the forsaken places are many in the midst of the land. And though a tenth remain in it, it will be burned again, like a terebinth or an oak, whose stump remains when it is felled.” The holy seed is its stump.

P This is the Word of the Lord.
♫ Thanks be to God.

GRADUAL

Praise the LORD, all nations! Exalt him, all peoples! For great is his steadfast love toward us, and the faithfulness of the LORD endures forever. Ascribe to the LORD the glory due his name, bring an offering, and come into his courts!
EPISTLE

Since you are eager for manifestations of the Spirit, strive to excel in building up the church.
Therefore, one who speaks in a tongue should pray for the power to interpret. For if I pray in a tongue, my spirit prays but my mind is unfruitful. What am I to do? I will pray with my spirit, but I will pray with my mind also; I will sing praise with my spirit, but I will sing with my mind also. Otherwise, if you give thanks with your spirit, how can anyone in the position of an outsider say “Amen” to your thanksgiving when he does not know what you are saying? For you may be giving thanks well enough, but the other person is not being built up. I thank God that I speak in tongues more than all of you. Nevertheless, in church I would rather speak five words with my mind in order to instruct others, than ten thousand words in a tongue.

Brothers, do not be children in your thinking. Be infants in evil, but in your thinking be mature.

This is the Word of the Lord.
Thanks be to God.

Stand

ALLELUIA


HOLY GOSPEL

The Holy Gospel according to St. Luke, the fifth chapter.

Glory be to Thee, O Lord.

On one occasion, while the crowd was pressing in on [Jesus] to hear the word of God, he was standing by the lake of Gennesaret, and he saw two boats by the lake, but the fishermen had gone out of them and were washing their nets. Getting into one of the boats, which was Simon’s, he asked him to put out a little from the land. And he sat down and taught the people from the boat. And when he had finished speaking, he said to Simon, “Put out into the deep and let down your nets for a catch.” And Simon answered, “Master, we toiled all night and took nothing! But at your word I will let down the nets.” And when they had done this, they enclosed a large number of fish, and their nets were breaking. They signaled to their partners in the other boat to come and help them. And they came and filled both the boats, so that they began to sink. But when Simon Peter saw it, he fell down at Jesus’ knees, saying, “Depart from me, for I am a sinful man, O Lord.” For he and all who were with him were astonished at the catch of fish that they had taken, and so also were James and John, sons of Zebedee, who were partners with Simon. And Jesus said to Simon, “Do not be afraid; from now on you will be catching men.” And when they had brought their boats to land, they left everything and followed him.

This is the Gospel of the Lord.

♫ Praise be to Thee, O Christ.

NICENE CREED

I believe in one God, the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth and of all things visible and invisible.

And in one Lord Jesus Christ, the only-begotten Son of God, begotten of His Father before all worlds, God of God, Light of Light, very God of very God, begotten, not made, being of one substance with the Father, by whom all things were made; who for us men and for our salvation came down from heaven and was incarnate by the Holy Spirit of the virgin Mary and was made man; and was crucified also for us under Pontius Pilate. He suffered and was buried. And the third day He rose again according to the Scriptures and ascended into heaven and sits at the right hand of the Father. And He will come again with glory to judge both the living and the dead, whose kingdom will have no end.
And I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord and giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son, who with the Father and the Son together is worshiped and glorified, who spoke by the prophets.
And I believe in one holy Christian and apostolic Church, I acknowledge one Baptism for the remission of sins, and I look for the resurrection of the dead and the life of the world to come. Amen.

CATECHETICAL VERSE
The Third Article
Sanctification
C I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy Christian Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

What does this mean?
C I believe that I cannot by my own reason or strength believe in Jesus Christ, my Lord, or come to Him; but the Holy Spirit has called me by the Gospel, enlightened me with His gifts, sanctified and kept me in the true faith. In the same way He calls, gathers, enlightens, and sanctifies the whole Christian Church on earth, and keeps it with Jesus Christ in the one true faith. In this Christian Church He daily and richly forgives all my sins and the sins of all believers. On the Last Day He will raise me and all the dead, and give eternal life to me and all believers in Christ. This is most certainly true.

Sit

SERMON HYMN: ♫“HAIL TO THE LORD’S ANOINTED” ♩ LSB 398

1 Hail to the Lord’s anointed, 
   Great David’s greater Son! 
Hail, in the time appointed, 
   His reign on earth begun! 
He comes to break oppression, 
   To set the captive free, 
To take away transgression 
   And rule in equity.

2 He comes with rescue speedy 
   To those who suffer wrong, 
To help the poor and needy 
   And bid the weak be strong; 
To give them songs for sighing, 
   Their darkness turn to light, 
Whose souls, condemned and dying, 
   Were precious in His sight.
3 He shall come down like showers
   Upon the fruitful earth;
Love, joy, and hope, like flowers,
   Spring in His path to birth.
Before Him on the mountains
   Shall peace, the herald, go;
And righteousness in fountains
   From hill to valley flow.

4 Kings shall fall down before Him
   And gold and incense bring;
All nations shall adore Him,
   His praise all people sing.
To Him shall prayer unceasing
   And daily vows ascend;
His kingdom still increasing,
   A kingdom without end.

5 O’er ev’ry foe victorious,
   He on His throne shall rest,
From age to age more glorious,
   All blessing and all-blest.
The tide of time shall never
   His covenant remove;
His name shall stand forever—
   That name to us is Love.

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SERMON: “ARE YOU LISTENING?”  

By Pastor John Schmidt

Stand

P The peace of God, which passes all understanding, keep your hearts and minds in Christ Jesus.
C Amen.

OFFERTORY

♫ Create in me a clean heart, O God, and renew a right spirit within me. Cast me not away from Thy presence, and take not Thy Holy Spirit from me. Restore unto me the joy of Thy salvation, and uphold me with Thy free spirit. Amen.

PRAYER OF THE CHURCH

PREFACE

P The Lord be with you.
♫ And with thy spirit.
P Lift up your hearts.
♫ We lift them up unto the Lord.
Let us give thanks unto the Lord, our God.

It is meet and right so to do.

It is truly meet, right, and salutary that we should at all times and in all places give thanks to You, holy Lord, almighty Father, everlasting God, through Jesus Christ, our Lord; for what had been hidden from before the foundation of the world You have made known to the nations in Your Son. In Him, being found in the substance of our mortal nature, You have manifested the fullness of Your glory. Therefore with angels and archangels and with all the company of heaven we laud and magnify Your glorious name, evermore praising You and saying:

SANCTUS

Holy, holy, holy Lord God of Sabaoth; heav’n and earth are full of Thy glory. Hosanna, hosanna, hosanna in the highest. Blessed is He, blessed is He, blessed is He that cometh in the name of the Lord. Hosanna, hosanna, hosanna in the highest.

LORD’S PRAYER

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 WORDS OF OUR LORD

PAX DOMINI

The peace of the Lord be with you always.

Amen.

AGNUS DEI

O Christ, Thou Lamb of God, that takest away the sin of the world, have mercy upon us. O Christ, Thou Lamb of God, that takest away the sin of the world, have mercy upon us. O Christ, Thou Lamb of God, that takest away the sin of the world, grant us Thy peace. Amen.

SIT

DISTRIBUTION

DISTRIBUTION HYMN: “HOLY, HOLY, HOLY” LSB 507

1 Holy, holy, holy! Lord God Almighty!
   Early in the morning our song shall rise to Thee;
   Holy, holy, holy, merciful and mighty!
   God in three persons, blessèd Trinity!

2 Holy, holy, holy! All the saints adore Thee,
   Casting down their golden crowns around the glassy sea;
   Cherubim and seraphim falling down before Thee,
   Which wert and art and evermore shalt be.
3 Holy, holy, holy! Though the darkness hide Thee,
   Though the eye of sinful man Thy glory may not see,
Only Thou art holy; there is none beside Thee,
   Perfect in pow’r, in love, and purity.

4 Holy, holy, holy! Lord God Almighty!
   All Thy works shall praise Thy name in earth and sky and sea.
Holy, holy, holy, merciful and mighty!
   God in three persons, blessèd Trinity!

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**DISTRIBUTION HYMN: ♫”GOD OF GRACE AND GOD OF GLORY”**

1 God of grace and God of glory,
   On Your people pour Your pow’r;
Crown Your ancient Church’s story;
   Bring its bud to glorious flow’r.
Grant us wisdom, grant us courage
   For the facing of this hour,
   For the facing of this hour.

2 Lo, the hosts of evil round us
   Scorn the Christ, assail His ways!
From the fears that long have bound us
   Free our hearts to faith and praise.
Grant us wisdom, grant us courage
   For the living of these days,
   For the living of these days.

3 Cure Your children’s warring madness;
   Bend our pride to Your control;
Shame our wanton, selfish gladness,
   Rich in things and poor in soul.
Grant us wisdom, grant us courage
   Lest we miss Your kingdom’s goal,
   Lest we miss Your kingdom’s goal.

4 Save us from weak resignation
   To the evils we deplore;
Let the gift of Your salvation
   Be our glory evermore.
Grant us wisdom, grant us courage,
   Serving You whom we adore,
   Serving You whom we adore.

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1 Holy God, we praise Thy name;
   Lord of all, we bow before Thee.
All on earth Thy scepter claim,
   All in heav’n above adore Thee.
Infinite Thy vast domain,
   Everlasting is Thy reign.

2 Hark! The glad celestial hymn
   Angel choirs above are raising;
Cherubim and seraphim,
   In unceasing chorus praising,
Fill the heav’ns with sweet accord:
Holy, holy, holy Lord!

3 Lo, the apostles’ holy train
   Join Thy sacred name to hallow;
Prophets swell the glad refrain,
   And the white-robed martyrs follow,
And from morn to set of sun
Through the Church the song goes on.

4 Thou art King of Glory, Christ;
   Son of God, yet born of Mary.
For us sinners sacrificed,
   As to death a Tributary,
First to break the bars of death,
Thou hast opened heav’n to faith.

5 Holy Father, holy Son,
   Holy Spirit, three we name Thee;
Though in essence only one,
   Undivided God we claim Thee
And, adoring, bend the knee
While we own the mystery.

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Stand

NUNC DIMITTIS

Lord, now lettest Thou Thy servant depart in peace according to Thy word, for mine eyes have seen Thy salvation, which Thou hast prepared before the face of all people, a light to lighten the Gentiles and the glory of Thy people Israel. Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost; as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen.
THANKSGIVING

P O give thanks unto the Lord, for He is good,
♫ and His mercy endureth forever.
P Let us pray.
We give thanks to You, almighty God, that You have refreshed us through this salutary gift, and we implore You that of Your mercy You would strengthen us through the same in faith toward You and in fervent love toward one another; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.
♫ Amen.

SALUTATION AND BENEDICAMUS

P The Lord be with you.
♫ And with thy spirit.
P Bless we the Lord.
♫ Thanks be to God.

BENEDICTION

P The Lord bless you and keep you. The Lord make His face shine upon you and be gracious unto you. The Lord lift up His countenance upon you and give you peace.
♫ Amen, amen, amen.

CLOSING HYMN: "GOD HIMSELF IS PRESENT"  \[LSB 907\]

1 God Himself is present:
   Let us now adore Him
   And with awe appear before Him.
   God is in His temple;
   All within keep silence;
   Humbly kneel in deepest rev’rence.
   He alone
   On His throne
   Is our God and Savior;
   Praise His name forever!

2 God Himself is present:
   Hear the harps resounding;
   See the hosts the throne surrounding.
   “Holy, holy, holy!”
   Hear the hymn ascending,
   Songs of saints and angels blending.
   Bow Your ear
   To us here:
   Hear, O Christ, the praises
   That Your Church now raises.
3 Fount of ev’ry blessing,
    Purify my spirit,
    Trusting only in Your merit.
Like the holy angels,
    Worshiping before You,
    May I ceaselessly adore You.
Let Your will
    Ever still
    Rule Your Church terrestrial
    As the hosts celestial.

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Silent Prayer

Announcements

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