



8:30 a.m. ~ February 7, 2016

WELCOME and RELATIONSHIPS of PEACE

OPENING HYMN “Praise to the Lord, the Almighty” [LW 444, v. 1-3]

INVOCATION

P: Lord, fill us with Your life and breath this morning as we sing Your praises. Bring us into Your temple to ponder the wonders You have done. Encourage us through Your Spirit with Your goodness and mercy.

C: Amen.

PSALM 100

P: Shout for joy to the Lord, all the earth.

C: Worship the Lord with gladness; come before Him with joyful songs.

P: Know that the Lord is God.

C: It is He who made us, and we are His; we are His people, the sheep of His pasture.

P: Enter His gates with thanksgiving and His courts with praise; give thanks to Him and praise His name.

C: For the Lord is good and His love endures forever; His faithfulness continues through all generations.

CONFESSION and ABSOLUTION

P: Join with me as we confess our sins to God our Father:

C: Lord, You are our God and our Shepherd. You call us to follow You and serve our world. We come before You with thanksgiving and praise remembering the great things You have done. We confess we have strayed from Your word and will. We admit our hearts have not been filled with thanksgiving and praise.

Take a moment to privately confess your sins.

P: Lord God we give thanks because You are good and Your love endures forever; Your faithfulness continues through all generations. You sent Jesus to take our place, and because of His death and resurrection we are forgiven. We sing praise to You and adore Your name.

C: Amen.

RESPONSE “Praise the Lord, the Almighty” [LW 444, v. 4]

**Praise to the Lord!
Oh, let all that is in me adore Him!
All that has life and breath,
Come now with praises before Him!**

**Let the Amen
Sound from His people again.
Gladly forever adore Him!**

PRAYER of the DAY

P: The Lord be with you.

C: And also with you.

P: Let us pray...

C: Amen.

ANTHEM

“Fly Away to Glory”

arr. Don Hart

Voices of Peace

OLD TESTAMENT LESSON Isaiah 6:1-8 [NIV 84]

¹In the year that King Uzziah died, I saw the Lord seated on a throne, high and exalted, and the train of his robe filled the temple. ²Above him were seraphs, each with six wings: With two wings they covered their faces, with two they covered their feet, and with two they were flying. ³And they were calling to one another: “Holy, holy, holy is the LORD Almighty; the whole earth is full of his glory.” ⁴At the sound of their voices the doorposts and thresholds shook and the temple was filled with smoke. ⁵“Woe to me!” I cried. “I am ruined! For I am a man of unclean lips, and I live among a people of unclean lips, and my eyes have seen the King, the LORD Almighty.” ⁶Then one of the seraphs flew to me with a live coal in his hand, which he had taken with tongs from the altar. ⁷With it he touched my mouth and said, “See, this has touched your lips; our guilt is taken away and your sin atoned for.” ⁸Then I heard the voice of the Lord saying, “Whom shall I send? And who will go for us?” And I said, “Here am I. Send me!”

R: This is the Word of the Lord.

C: Thanks be to God!

GOSPEL VERSE “God, Whose Almighty Word” [LW 317, v. 1]

HOLY GOSPEL Luke 5:1-11 [NIV 84]

¹One day as Jesus was standing by the Lake of Gennesaret, with the people crowding around him and listening to the word of God, ²he saw at the water's edge two boats, left there by the fishermen, who were washing their nets. ³He got into one of the boats, the one belonging to Simon, and asked him to put out a little from shore. Then he sat down and taught the people from the boat.

⁴When he had finished speaking, he said to Simon, "Put out into deep water, and let down the nets for a catch."

⁵Simon answered, "Master, we've worked hard all night and haven't caught anything. But because you say so, I will let down the nets."

⁶When they had done so, they caught such a large number of fish that their nets began to break. ⁷So they signaled their partners in the other boat to come and help them, and they came and filled both boats so full that they began to sink.

⁸When Simon Peter saw this, he fell at Jesus' knees and said, "Go away from me, Lord; I am a sinful man!" ⁹For he and all his companions were astonished at the catch of fish they had taken, ¹⁰and so were James and John, the sons of Zebedee, Simon's partners.

Then Jesus said to Simon, "Don't be afraid; from now on you will catch men." ¹¹So they pulled their boats up on shore, left everything and followed him.

P: This is the Gospel of the Lord.

C: **Thanks be to God!**

APOSTLES' CREED

SERMON HYMN "Here I Am, Lord"

SERMON "BACK TO THE BOAT"

RESPONSE "O Lord, Hear My Prayer" [LSB 780]

PEOPLE of PEACE in PRAYER

Father in Heaven:

•***Peace, comfort and healing*** for Cindy Habeck-hospitalized Harris downtown; Alisia (young friend of Frank and Jackie Gillett)-suffering from Crohn's disease; Michael (nephew of the Nesseths)-in critical condition after kidney surgery; Earl (Adrien Pekurney's colleague's step-father)-suffered a stroke; Richard Guerra and family (neighbor of the Workmans)-passed away.

•***Praise and Thanksgiving*** for Dorothy Tietjen (mother of Duane)-celebrated her 97th birthday, Saturday, Feb. 6.

•***Wisdom*** and ***courage*** to our Church Leaders and Elected Officials.

THE LORD’S PRAYER *The Family Prayer of the People of God*

WORDS of INSTITUTION

THE PEACE

SANCTUS [p. 170]

AGNUS DEI [p. 172]

OFFERING

(Before Communing, please take time to read our statement of faith found in the pew rack in front of you; fill out and place your attendance card and offering in the basket as you come forward.)

DISTRIBUTION MUSIC

“The God of Abraham Praise” [LW 450, v. 1-4]

“Let All Mortal Flesh Keep Silence [LW 241]

POST-COMMUNION HYMN “Thank the Lord” [p. 173]

CONNECT

- **Voter’s Meeting | Today | Following 11 o’clock worship | Sign-in required**
- **Men’s Night | This Tuesday | 6:30-8:00p | Register Online**
- **Parent’s Night Out | This Saturday | 5:00-9:00p | Register Online**
- **RISEN Movie Screening | Sunday, February 21 | 2:00p | Registration opens 2/8**

Join us this Wednesday at 7:00p for Ash Wednesday Worship.

BENEDICTION

SERMON: *Rev. James R. Mueller*
LITURGIST: *Rev. Morgan Hamilton*