



8:30 a.m. ~ January 24, 2016

PRELUDE “Oh, That I Had a Thousand Voices”

arr. Michael Burkhardt

WELCOME and RELATIONSHIPS of PEACE

OPENING HYMN “God of Grace and God of Glory” [LW 398]

INVOCATION

P: In the name of the Father, and of the ☩ Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

C: Amen.

CONFESSION and FORGIVENESS

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.**

P: Let us then confess our sins to God, our Father:

“Lord Jesus, Think on Me” [LW 231, v. 1-3]

P: Almighty God, our heavenly Father, has had mercy upon us and has given His only Son to die for us and for His sake forgives us all our sins. To those who believe on His name He gives power to become the children of God and has promised them His Holy Spirit. He that believes and is baptized shall be saved. Grant this, Lord, unto us all.

C: Amen.

ANTHEM

“I See the Morning Breaking”

Allen Pote

Nathan Hildebrandt & Jessica Hudson; Kaylan Eastepp, flute

OLD TESTAMENT LESSON Psalm 91:9-16 [NIV 84]

If you make the Most High your dwelling—even the LORD, who is my refuge—¹⁰then no harm will befall you, no disaster will come near your tent. ¹¹For he will command his angels concerning you to guard you in all your ways; ¹²they will lift you up in their hands, so that you

will not strike your foot against a stone.¹³ You will tread upon the lion and the cobra; you will trample the great lion and the serpent. ¹⁴“Because he loves me,” says the LORD, “I will rescue him; I will protect him, for he acknowledges my name. ¹⁵He will call upon me, and I will answer him; I will be with him in trouble, I will deliver him and honor him. ¹⁶With long life will I satisfy him and show him my salvation.”

R: This is the Word of the Lord.

C: Thanks be to God!

GOSPEL VERSE “Alleluia” [*LSB p. 190*]

HOLY GOSPEL Luke 4:1-13 [*NIV 84*]

¹Jesus, full of the Holy Spirit, returned from the Jordan and was led by the Spirit in the desert, ²where for forty days he was tempted by the devil. He ate nothing during those days, and at the end of them he was hungry.

³The devil said to him, “If you are the Son of God, tell this stone to become bread.”

⁴Jesus answered, “It is written: ‘Man does not live on bread alone.’”

⁵The devil led him up to a high place and showed him in an instant all the kingdoms of the world. ⁶And he said to him, “I will give you all their authority and splendor, for it has been given to me, and I can give it to anyone I want to. ⁷So if you worship me, it will all be yours.”

⁸Jesus answered, “It is written: ‘Worship the Lord your God and serve him only.’”

⁹The devil led him to Jerusalem and had him stand on the highest point of the temple. “If you are the Son of God,” he said, “throw yourself down from here. ¹⁰For it is written: ‘He will command his angels concerning you to guard you carefully; ¹¹they will lift you up in their hands, so that you will not strike your foot against a stone.’”

¹²Jesus answered, “It says: ‘Do not put the Lord your God to the test.’”

¹³When the devil had finished all this tempting, he left him until an opportune time.

P: This is the Gospel of the Lord.

C: Thanks be to God!

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CHILDREN’S MESSAGE -*Jennifer McDaniel -Childcare Director*

SERMON HYMN “If You But Trust in God to Guide You” [*LW 420, v. 1-2*]

SERMON “UNCLE SCREWTAPE”

SERMON RESPONSE “If You But Trust in God to Guide You” [LW 420, v. 3-4]

PEOPLE of PEACE in PRAYER

Father in Heaven:

•**Peace, comfort and healing** for Mahealani Trepinski – as she awaits surgery Feb. 4; Jerry Still (Scott Trepinski’s father) – continued prayers of healing; Alisa Horn (daughter of Larry and Sue Govero) – undergoing thyroid surgery for possible cancer.

•**Praise and Thanksgiving** for Christopher Vires-Venable (son of Mallory and Will; great-grandson of the Nesseths) – born Tuesday, Jan. 19; Zona Pearl Bishop (daughter of Joshua and Candice Bishop) - baptized Sunday, Jan. 24; Charles and Rosie Letz – celebrating 52 years of marriage Sunday, Jan. 24; Horace Phillips and his Men’s Bible study group – starting their 17th year of God’s blessings as a group.

•**Wisdom** and **courage** to our DCE Youth Call Committee and our Military.

•**Mission of the Month** – Gideon’s International

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

WORDS of INSTITUTION

THE PEACE

SANCTUS

AGNUS DEI

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 Lamb” [LSB 547]

“Beautiful Savior” [LW 507]

CLOSING HYMN “Go, My Children, With My Blessing” [LSB 922, v. 1 & 3]

CONNECT

- **Whirly Ball Youth Event | Sunday, January 31 | Register Online**
- **Kindergarten Info Night | Monday, February 1 @ 6:30pm | Childcare provided**
- **Father/Daughter Sweetheart Dance | Saturday, February 6 | Register Online**
- **End of Year Contribution Statements Available Now**

BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE “Rejoice, Rejoice Believers”

arr. Jeffrey Blersch

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

