

Second Sunday after Epiphany January 16, 2022 | 8 a.m. and 10:30 a.m.

Evangelical Lutheran Worship, Setting 2



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Welcome to worship at Augustana! The Sundays in the Epiphany season give us time to unpack the meaning of the gift we have received at Christmas. Jesus' life and message of grace for all people is revealed in signs and wonders, and we are invited to follow him.

In compliance with the latest public health mandate from the City of Denver, face masks are required for everyone over two years old as we continue to promote safe worship at Augustana. We do not seek to verify vaccination status prior to worship services.

In Christ Chapel, please continue to social distance in the pews. In the sanctuary, you are invited to sit wherever there is a pew cushion.

Sign the worship slip and place it in the offering plate so that hospitality, prayer, and pastoral care may be kept up to date.

WiFi use: All the bandwidth possible is needed to livestream the 10:30 worship service. Please turn your cell phone off, turn off the WiFi, or put it in airplane mode while the service is going on. Thank you!

Prelude • "Ornament of Grace" –Bernard Wayne Sanders Rachel Padworski, flute

Welcome

The assembly stands.

Confession and Forgiveness

All may make the sign of the cross, the sign that is marked at baptism, as the presiding minister begins.

Blessed be the holy Trinity, ♣ one God, who creates us, redeems us, and calls us by name. Amen.

Let us confess our sin in the presence of God and of one another.

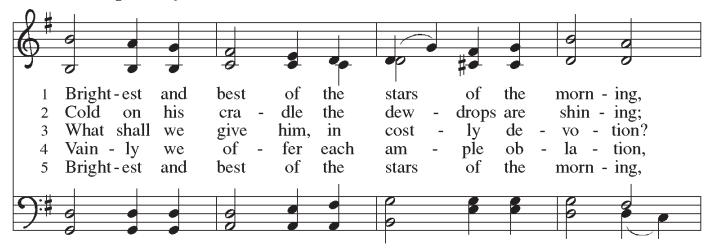
Silence is kept for reflection. The people may kneel.

Most merciful God, we confess that we have sinned against you and your beloved children. Accept our repentance for the things we have done and the things we have left undone. For the sake of Jesus Christ, have mercy on us. Forgive us and lead us, that we may see the glory of your Son born among us, and reflect your love for all creation. Amen.

Rejoice in this good news: In ♣ Christ Jesus, your sins are forgiven. Live as freed and forgiven children of God. **Amen.**

Gathering Hymn • ELW 303: Brightest and Best of the Stars

10:30 a.m. Please turn toward the back of the sanctuary as the processional cross enters, and turn toward the front of the sanctuary as the cross passes you.





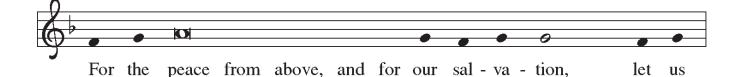
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Greeting

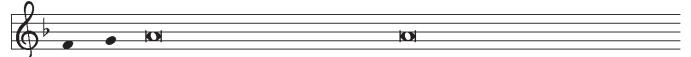
The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all. **And also with you.**

Kyrie

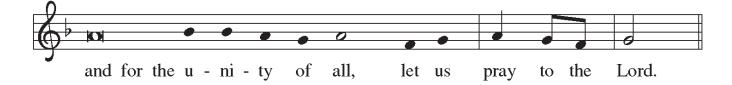


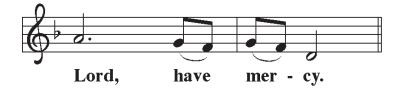


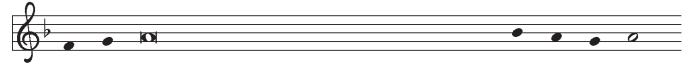




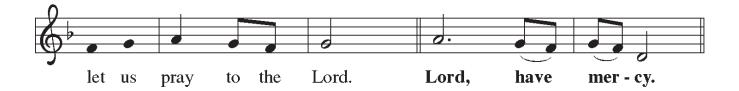
For the peace of the whole world, for the well-being of the church of God,







For this holy house, and for all who offer here their wor-ship and praise,





Help, save, comfort, and de - fend us, gra - cious Lord.



Canticle of Praise



Glo-ry to God in the high-est, and peace to God's peo-ple on earth.



1 Lord God, heav-en - ly King, al - might-y God and Fa - ther, we



wor-ship you, we give you thanks, we praise you for your glo-ry.



Glo-ry to God in the high-est, and peace to God's peo-ple on earth.



2 Lord Je - sus Christ, on-ly Son of the Fa - ther, Lord God, Lamb of



Prayer of the Day

Let us pray.

Lord God, source of every blessing, you showed forth your glory and led many to faith by the works of your Son, who brought gladness and salvation to his people. Transform us by the Spirit of his love, that we may find our life together in him, Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. Amen.

The assembly is seated.

First Reading • Isaiah 62:1-5

A reading from Isaiah.

¹For 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. ²The 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. ³You shall be a crown of beauty in the hand of the LORD, and a royal diadem in the hand of your God. ⁴You 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. ⁵For as a young man marries a young woman, so shall your builder marry you, and as the bridegroom rejoices over the bride,

The word of the Lord. **Thanks be to God.**

so shall your God rejoice over you.

Psalm • Psalm 36:5–10

The refrain will be sung first by the cantor, then by the assembly, and again by the assembly after the verses as indicated.

Refrain:



We feast up - on the a-bun-dance of your house, O LORD.

Psalm 36:8
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⁵Your love, O LORD, reaches | to the heavens, and your faithfulness | to the clouds.

⁶Your righteousness is like the strong mountains, your justice like | the great deep;

you save humankind and ani- | mals, O LORD. Refrain

⁷How priceless is your | love, O God!

All people take refuge under the shadow | of your wings.

⁸They feast upon the abundance | of your house; you give them drink from the river of | your delights.

⁹For with you is the | well of life, and in your light | we see light.

¹⁰Continue your lovingkindness to | those who know you, and your favor to those who are | true of heart. *Refrain*

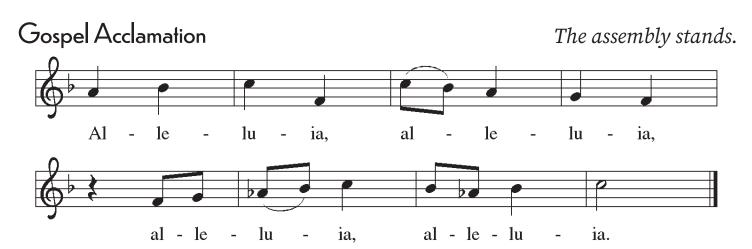
Second Reading • 1 Corinthians 12:1-11

A reading from First Corinthians.

¹Now concerning spiritual gifts, brothers and sisters, I do not want you to be uninformed. ²You know that when you were pagans, you were enticed and led astray to idols that could not speak. ³Therefore 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.

⁴Now there are varieties of gifts, but the same Spirit; ⁵and there are varieties of services, but the same Lord; ⁶and there are varieties of activities, but it is the same God who activates all of them in everyone. ⁷To each is given the manifestation of the Spirit for the common good. ⁸To one is given through the Spirit the utterance of wisdom, and to another the utterance of knowledge according to the same Spirit, ⁹to another faith by the same Spirit, to another gifts of healing by the one Spirit, ¹⁰to another the working of miracles, to another prophecy, to another the discernment of spirits, to another various kinds of tongues, to another the interpretation of tongues. ¹¹All these are activated by one and the same Spirit, who allots to each one individually just as the Spirit chooses.

The word of the Lord. Thanks be to God.



Cantor: Jesus re- | vealed his glory,* and his disciples be- | lieved in him. (John. 2:11)

The assembly sings the gospel acclamation again.

Gospel • John 2:1-11

The holy gospel according to John. Glory to you, O Lord.

¹On the third day there was a wedding in Cana of Galilee, and the mother of Jesus was there. ²Jesus and his disciples had also been invited to the wedding. ³When the wine gave out, the mother of Jesus said to him, "They have no wine." ⁴And Jesus said to her, "Woman, what concern is that to you and to me? My hour has not yet come." ⁵His mother said to the servants, "Do whatever he tells you." ⁶Now standing there were six stone water jars for the Jewish rites of purification, each holding twenty or thirty gallons. ⁷Jesus said to them, "Fill the jars with water." And they filled them up to the brim. 8He said to them, "Now draw some out, and take it to the chief steward." So they took it. 9When the steward tasted the water that had become wine, and did not know where it came from (though the servants who had drawn the water knew), the steward called the bridegroom ¹⁰ and said to him, "Everyone serves the good wine first, and then the inferior wine after the guests have become drunk. But you have kept the good wine until now." 11 Jesus did this, the first of his signs, in Cana of Galilee, and revealed his glory; and his disciples believed in him.

The gospel of the Lord. Praise to you, O Christ.

The assembly is seated.

Children's Sermon • 10:30 a.m.

Sermon • Pastor Ann Hultquist

Hymn of the Day • ELW 312: Jesus, Come! For We Invite You



Text: Christopher Idle, b. 1938

Music: UNION SEMINARY, Harold Friedell, 1905–1958

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Apostles' Creed

I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth.

I believe in Jesus Christ, God's only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried; he descended to the dead. On the third day he rose again; he ascended into heaven, he is seated at the right hand of the Father, and he will come to judge the living and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

Prayers of Intercession

After each petition: God of grace, hear our prayer.

Peace

The peace of Christ be with you always. **And also with you.** You may share a sign of peace with the peace sign or a wave or a hand over your heart.

The assembly is seated.

Offering

Did you know that 1 out of every 50 Americans are touched by a Lutheran Service Agency? Care for children, families and older adults by these agencies are supported through our offering.

"Tribus miraculis" –Luca Marenzio Augustana Vocal Ensemble

Tribus miraculis ornatum, diem sanctum colimus: We observe this holy day, ornamented with three miracles:

Hodie stella Magos duxit ad praesepium:

Today a star led the Magi to the manger;

Hodie vinum ex aqua factum est ad nuptias: Today wine was made from water at the wedding;

Hodie in Jordane a Joanne Christus baptizari voluit, *Today in the Jordan Christ desired to be baptised by John,* ut salvaret nos, Alleluia.

so that He might save us, Alleluia.

The assembly stands.

Offering Response • ELW 302: As with Gladness Men of Old



- 1 As with glad-ness men of old did the guid-ing star be hold;
- 3 As they of fered gifts most rare at thy cra dle, rude and bare,



as with joy they hailed its light, lead-ing on - ward, beam-ing bright; so may we with ho - ly joy, pure and free from sin's al - loy,



so, most gra-cious Lord, may we ev - er - more be led by thee. all our cost-liest trea - sures bring, Christ, to thee, our heav'n-ly king.

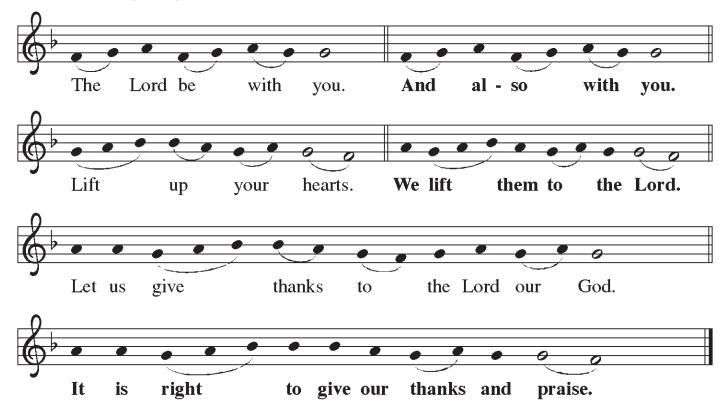
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Offering Prayer

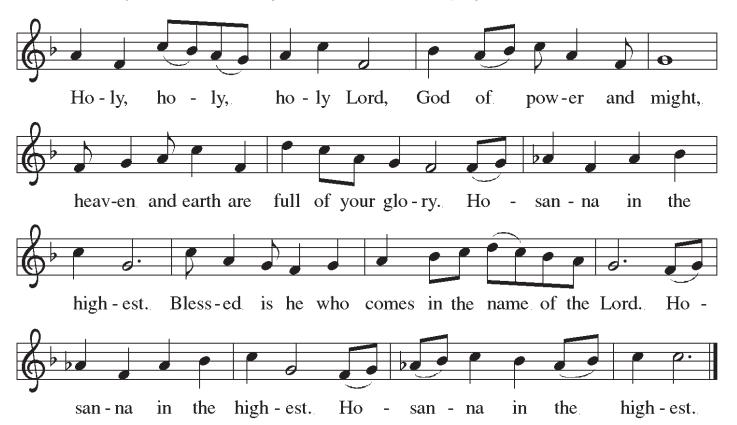
Blessed are you, O God. You offer us new beginnings and guide us on our journey.

Lead us to your table, nourish us with this heavenly food, and prepare us to carry your love to a hungry world, in the name of Christ our light. Amen.

Great Thanksgiving



It is indeed right, our duty and our joy, that we should at all times and in all places give thanks and praise . . . we praise your name and join their unending hymn:



Eucharistic Prayer

Holy God, you alone are holy, you alone are God.

The universe declares your praise: beyond the stars; beneath the sea; within each cell; with every breath.

Generations bless your faithfulness: through the water; by night and day; across the wilderness; out of exile; into the future.

We give you thanks for your dear Son: at the heart of human life; near to those who suffer; beside the sinner; among the poor; with us now.

In the night in which he was betrayed, our Lord Jesus took bread, and gave thanks; broke it, and gave it to his disciples, saying: Take and eat; this is my body, given for you. Do this for the remembrance of me.

Again, after supper, he took the cup, gave thanks, and gave it for all to drink, saying:
This cup is the new covenant in my blood, shed for you and for all people for the forgiveness of sin.
Do this for the remembrance of me.

Remembering his love for us on the way, at the table, and to the end,

we proclaim the mystery of faith:

Christ has died. Christ is risen. Christ will come again.

We pray for the gift of your Spirit: in our gathering; within this meal; among your people; throughout the world.

Blessing, praise, and thanks to you, holy God, through Christ Jesus,

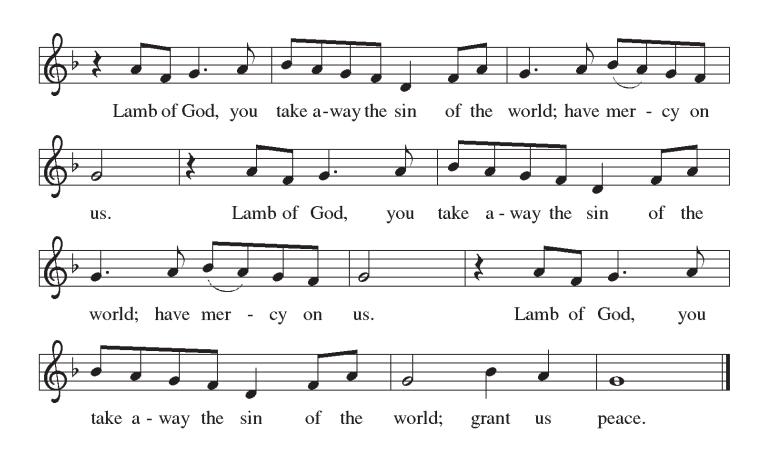
by your Spirit, in your church, without end. Amen.

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.

We are connected by the Holy Spirit to God and to each other across time and place through our baptisms. In this same Spirit, we share bread and wine with confidence in Christ's real presence with us in the sacrament of Holy Communion. If you are worshiping with us on livestream, you may use bread or crackers and wine or juice from your home. We invite you to share this bread of life and cup of blessing as we all are one in Christ. We will receive Communion together after the singing of the Lamb of God.

Gluten-free wafers are available from the pastors. If you have difficulty coming forward, please tell an usher, and Communion will be brought to you.



8 a.m. "Peace I Leave with You" –Walter L. Pelz Augustana Vocal Ensemble

Peace I leave with you, my peace I give unto you: not as the world giveth give I unto you. Let not your heart be troubled, neither let it be afraid. 10:30 a.m. "Come to Us, Creative Spirit" -Robert Hobby Chancel Choir

> Come to us, creative Spirit, come to this holy house; every human talent hallow, hidden skills arouse, that within your earthly temple, wise and simple may rejoice.

Poet, painter, music-maker, all your treasures bring; craftsman, actor, graceful dancer, make your offering; join your hands in celebration: let creation shout and sing!

Word from God eternal springing, fill our minds, we pray: and in all artistic vision give integrity: may the flame within us burning kindle yearning day by day.

In all places and forever glory be expressed to the Son, with God the Father and the Spirit blest: in our worship and our living keep us striving for the best. Come, Spirit, come.

-David Mowbray

The assembly stands.

Blessing after Communion

May the body and blood of Jesus Christ strengthen you and keep you in God's grace. **Amen.**

Prayer after Communion

We give you thanks, gracious God, for we have feasted on the abundance of your house. Send us to bring good news and to proclaim your love to all, strengthened with the richness of your grace in your Son, Jesus Christ. **Amen.**

Blessing

God, who leads you in pathways of righteousness, who rejoices over you, and who calls you by name, ♣ bless your going out and your coming in, today and forever. **Amen.**

Sending Hymn • ELW 310: Songs of Thankfulness and Praise

10:30 a.m. Please turn and face the processional cross as it leaves the sanctuary, facing the back of the sanctuary for the dismissal.



- 1 Songs of thank-ful ness and praise, Je sus, Lord, to thee we raise;
- 2 Man i fest at Jor dan's stream, proph et, priest, and king su preme;
- 3 Man i fest in mak ing whole weak-ened bod y, faint ing soul;
- 4 Grant us grace to see thee, Lord, pres ent in thy ho ly word;



and at Ca - na wed - ding guest in thy God-head man - i - fest; man - i - fest in val - iant fight, quell-ing all the dev - il's might; grace to im - i - tate thee now and be pure, as pure art thou;



branch of roy - al Da - vid's stem man - i - fest in pow'r di - vine, man - i - fest in gra - cious will, that we might be - come like thee in thy birth at Beth - le - hem: chang-ing wa - ter in - to wine; ev - er bring-ing good from ill: at thy great e - piph - a - ny,



an - thems be to thee ad-dressed, an - thems be to thee ad-dressed,

an - thems be to thee ad-dressed, and may praise thee, ev - er blest, God in flesh made man-i-fest.

Text: Christopher Wordsworth, 1807–1885, alt. Music: SALZBURG, Jakob Hintze, 1622–1702

Dismissal Go with Christ into the world. Share the good news. **Thanks be to God.**

Postlude • Tango No. 1 -Pamela Decker



Welcome!

- How good to have you here! Thanks for signing the worship registration slip and placing it in the offering plate.
- Large-print copies of the service bulletin are available from Augustana's ushers.
- Children are welcome in worship!
 Children's bulletins and crayons are available on Augustana's entrance tables. Just outside of Christ Chapel and on either side of the sanctuary there are activity bags for children. Please return the bags when worship is finished.
 Childcare is available in the nursery for newborns through children age 5.
- For a copy of this morning's sermon, inquire in Augustana's office.
- Secure online gifts may be made through the <u>Giving page at Augustana's website</u>, <u>www.augustanadenver.org</u>. You can also text message your offering to 303-653-9592.
- Faith Formation for all children and youth is available Sundays, 9–10 a.m., in the education building. Adult Forum is offered 9:15–10:15 a.m.
- Welcome to coffee and cookies, 9–10:30 a.m., in Fellowship Hall.
- Restrooms are located downstairs beneath the west entrance; handicapped accessible restrooms are on the east side of the sanctuary in the hallway behind the chancel.

- An elevator is available at the Fairfax Street entrance.
- Handicapped parking and entrances are available at the Fairfax Street and Elm Street entrances. Additional parking is available on the south side of the building.
- The Ammerman Library is open and staffed every Sunday.
- Please make sure your cell phones are silenced during worship.
- Parents, for the safety and well-being of all our children, we ask that you attend your children at all times.
- If you would like to leave your bulletin for recycling, please place it at the end of the pew.

Worship

- Worship in person at 8 a.m. in Christ Chapel or at 10:30 a.m. in the sanctuary.
- Join Augustana on our Facebook page or YouTube channel for worship livestreamed every Sunday at 10:30 a.m. Visit Augustana's website (www. augustanadenver.org) for links, downloadable worship resources, and past worship recordings.

Mission Statement

Celebrating God's grace, we welcome everyone to worship Jesus, grow in faith, and go serve in the world.

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Prayers:

Mark Caldwell

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8 a.m. Kara Epperson 10:30 a.m. Kari Kusek

Ushers:

10:30 a.m. Emmett Cruson Orvid Olson

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