### **LOOKING AHEAD: - February 4 - February 10**

Tues. 5	6:00 pm	Women's Fellowship Dinner
		– Fellowship Hall
Wed. 6	9:30 am	Sunday Bulletin Announcements
		are Due – This includes flower
		announcements
	7:00 pm	Choir Practice – Sanctuary
Thurs. 7	2:00 pm	Silvercreek Market
	_	– Fellowship Hall
Fri. 8	10:00 am	GWSA Gathering
		– Fellowship Hall
Sun. 10	8:30 am	5 <sup>th</sup> Sunday after Epiphany
		– Sanctuary
		<ul><li>Holy Communion</li></ul>
	10:00 am	5 <sup>th</sup> Sunday after Epiphany
		– Sanctuary
		– Holy Communion
		– Sunday School

#### **Staff**

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#### **WELCOME**

We welcome you to our worship today.

### Hymnbooks:

Our community uses two hymnbooks.

**(ELW)** Evangelical Lutheran Worship has a cranberry cover.

**(CP)** Common Praise has a blue cover.

You will find either **(ELW)** or **(CP)** beside each hymn number to indicate which book we are singing from.

#### Communion: All are welcome.

We make available grape juice and gluten free bread. Please inform one of the Communion Servers that you wish to have one or both of these elements during the distribution of Communion.

**No Scents Makes Good Sense.** Members have indicated that they suffer discomfort from perfumes, hair spray, colognes and after-shave lotion. Please help us provide a scent-free environment

We welcome all children to our worship. We also have a child friendly space in the fellowship area at the back of the church. Drink boxes, activity bags and youth bulletins are in a basket near the entrance to the church. Please help yourself.

## Acknowledgement of Territory

We are on the traditional territory of the Attawandaron / Neutral People. We honour the original ancestors of this land and also offer respect to our Haudenosaunee, Anishinabe, Mississauga and Metis neighbours. We give thanks for the First Peoples and all who have cared for the land and made it possible for us to be here today.

# Sunday, February 3, 2019

# GATHERING The Holy Spirit calls us together as the people of God.

Prelude

Welcome

Gathering Song – # 507 ELW

## 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.

#### Canticle of Praise



Prayer of the Day

Almighty and ever-living God, increase in us the gifts of faith, hope, and love; and that we may obtain what you promise, make us love what you command, through your Son, Jesus Christ, our Saviour and Lord.

#### Amen.

Children's Message

#### **WORD**

God speaks to us in scripture reading, preaching, and song.

First Reading – 1 Corinthians 13: 1 - 13

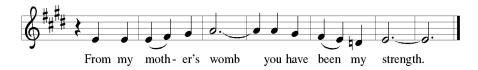
A reading from 1 Corinthians.

If I speak in the tongues of mortals and of angels, but do not have love, I am a noisy gong or a clanging cymbal. And if I have prophetic powers, and understand all mysteries and all knowledge, and if I have all faith, so as to remove mountains, but do not have love, I am nothing. If I give away all my possessions, and if I hand over my body so that I may boast, but do not have love, I gain nothing. Love is patient; love is kind; love is not envious or boastful or arrogant or rude. It does not insist on its own way; it is not irritable or resentful; it does not rejoice in wrongdoing, but rejoices in the truth.

It bears all things, believes all things, hopes all things, endures all things. Love never ends. But as for prophecies, they will come to an end; as for tongues, they will cease; as for knowledge, it will come to an end. For we know only in part, and we prophesy only in part; but when the complete comes, the partial will come to an end. When I was a child, I spoke like a child, I thought like a child, I reasoned like a child; when I became an adult, I put an end to childish ways. For now we see in a mirror, dimly, but then we will see face to face. Now I know only in part; then I will know fully, even as I have been fully known. And now faith, hope, and love abide, these three; and the greatest of these is love.

The word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.



Psalm 71:6
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<sup>1</sup>In you, O Lord, have I | taken refuge; let me never be | put to shame. <sup>2</sup>In your righteousness, deliver me and | set me free;

incline your ear to | me and save me.

3Be my strong rock, a castle to | keep me safe;
you are my crag | and my stronghold.

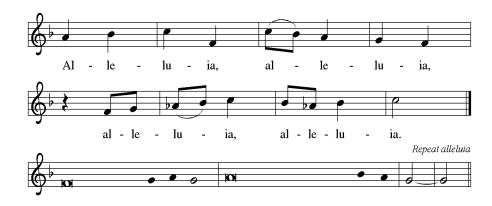
4Deliver me, my God, from the hand | of the
wicked,

from the clutches of the evildoer and  $\mid$  the oppressor.  $\boldsymbol{R}$ 

<sup>5</sup>For you are my hope, | O Lord God, my confidence since | I was young.
<sup>6</sup>I have been sustained by you ever since I was born; from my mother's womb you have | been my strength;

my praise shall be al- | ways of you. R

Psalm Prayer



# You shall go to all to | whom I send you.\* Do not be afraid, for | I am with you.

Gospel Reading – *Luke 4: 21 – 30* 

The holy gospel according to Luke.

Glory to you, O Lord.

or

Glory to you Lord Jesus Christ.

Then [Jesus] began to say to [all in the synagogue in Nazareth,] "Today this scripture has been fulfilled in your hearing." All spoke well of him and were amazed at the gracious words that came from his mouth. They said, "Is not this Joseph's son?" He said to them, "Doubtless you will quote to me this proverb, 'Doctor, cure yourself!' And you will say, 'Do here also in your hometown the things that we have heard you did at Capernaum.'" And he said, "Truly I tell you, no prophet is accepted in the prophet's hometown. But the truth is, there were many widows in Israel in the time of Elijah, when the heaven was shut up three years and six months, and there was a

severe famine over all the land; yet Elijah was sent to none of them except to a widow at Zarephath in Sidon. There were also many lepers in Israel in the time of the prophet Elisha, and none of them was cleansed except Naaman the Syrian." When they heard this, all in the synagogue were filled with rage. They got up, drove him out of the town, and led him to the brow of the hill on which their town was built, so that they might hurl him off the cliff. But he passed through the midst of them and went on his way.

The gospel of the Lord.

Praise to you, O Christ.

or

Praise to you Lord Jesus Christ.

Sermon

Hymn of the Day - # 737 ELW

Blessing of the Candles

Reading: Luke 2: 25 – 35

**Blessing** 

### Response

As Anna and Simeon recognized you in the temple

May we recognize you in those we meet.

As Brigit kept your light shining in times of darkness.

May we be light for those in need.

As Jesus grew and became strong and wise

May we grow in wisdom and wonder and joy. Amen.

**Prayers of Intercession** 

Lord, in your mercy,

hear our prayer.

Peace

The peace of Christ be with you always. **And also with you.** 

### **MEAL**

God feeds us with the presence of Jesus Christ.

Offering / Choir Anthem

Offering Hymn - # 312 ELW

and your love endures forever. You bring forth bread from the earth and fruit from the vine. Nourish us with these gifts, that we might be for the world signs of your gracious presence in Jesus Christ, our Saviour and Lord.

Amen.

**Great Thanksgiving** 

The Lord be with you.

And also with you.

Lift up your hearts.

We lift them to the Lord.

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

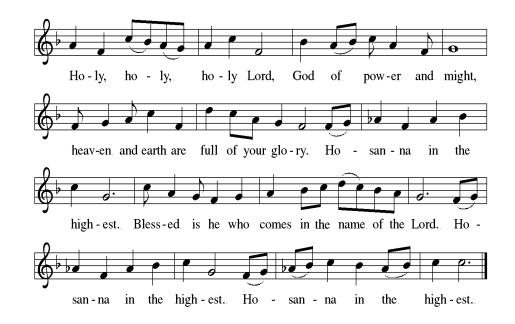
It is right to give our thanks and praise.

**Preface** 

Offering Prayer

God of all creation, all you have made is good,

Holy, Holy, Holy



Thanksgiving at the Table

...proclaim the mystery of faith:

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

... hope for his coming.

Come, Lord Jesus.

... peace on earth. **Come, Holy Spirit.** 

The Lord's Prayer



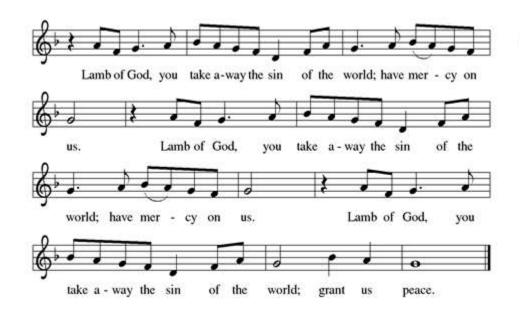
**Invitation to Communion** 

Come to the table.

Feast on God's abundant life for you.

Thanks be to God.

Lamb of God



Communion Hymns # 487 CP,



# 486 CP, # 553 CP

**Table Blessing** 

The body and blood of our Lord Jesus Christ strengthen you and keep you in his grace.

Amen.

**Prayer after Communion** 

We thank you, O God, that you have fed us at your banqueting table with bread and wine beyond compare, the very life of Christ for us. Send your Spirit with us now, that we may set the captive free, use your gifts to build one another up, and in everything reflect your glory revealed in Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

Amen.

### **SENDING**

God blesses us and sends us in mission to the world.

**Blessing** 

The blessing of the God of life be ours. The blessing of the loving Christ be ours. The blessing of the Holy Spirit be ours to cherish us, to help us, to make us holy. blessing of almighty God, the Father, and the (+) Son, and the Holy Spirit, be upon you and remain with you always.

Amen.

Announcements

Sending Song - # 796 ELW

Dismissal

Go in peace. Be the light of Christ.

Thanks be to God.

Postlude

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# **Announcements and Information**

**February Altar Guild:** Robin Smart, Michele Altermann & Marilyn Schranz

## Benediction

The God of glory dwell in you richly, name you beloved, and shine brightly on your path; and the

**Greeters:** Sunday School & Their Teachers

We pray for: Anglican Church of Canada – The Provincial Synod of the Ecclesiastical Province of Canada. Evangelical Lutheran Church in Canada – The dean, council, and congregations of the Ottawa, Ottawa Valley and Seaway Areas of the Eastern Synod.

**Coffee hour** today is hosted by Dorothy, Marilyn and Pearl. We offer them thanks for supporting this important ministry.

**2018 Donation Receipts:** Your 2018 donation receipts are now in your mailboxes ready for pickup. As CRA has not yet recognized our new name the 2018 donation receipts will show as being from St Paul's Lutheran Church.

*Thank you to Rev. Joan Lee* for leading us in worship today.