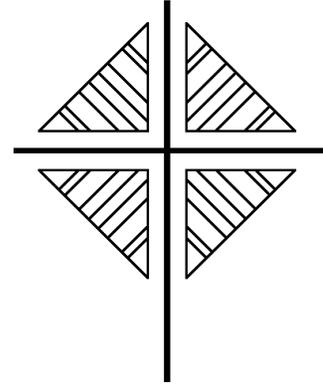


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The Fifth Sunday after Epiphany

Sunday, February 4, 2018 8:00 AM

PRELUDE

HYMN TO OPEN

“Hail to the Lord’s Anointed”

LSB 398

Please stand



L O Lord, o - pen my lips,



C and my mouth will de - clare Your praise.



L Make haste, O God, to de - liv - er me;



C make haste to help me, O Lord.



C Glo - ry be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spir - it;



as it was in the be - gin - ning, is now, and will be for - ev - er. A - men.



Common: Praise to You, O Christ. Al - le - lu - ia.

ANTIPHON

P Blessed be God, the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit.

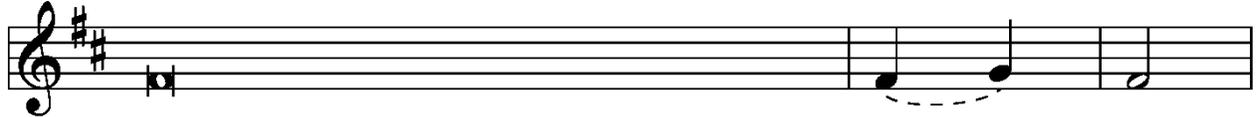


C O come, let us wor - ship Him.

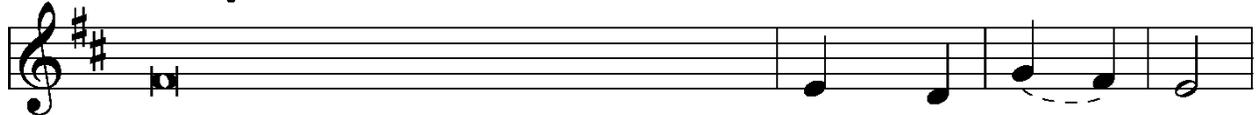
VENITE HYMN

“O Come, Let Us Sing”

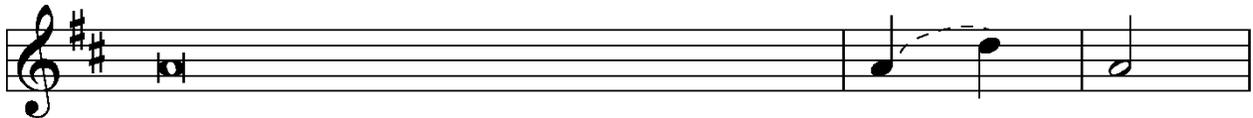
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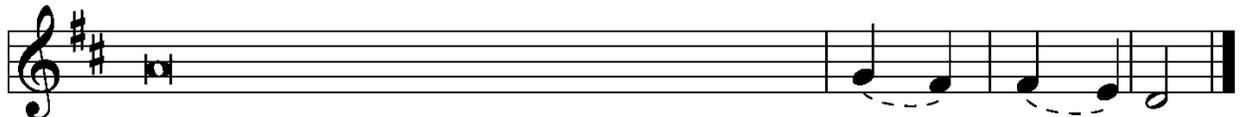
C 1	O come, let us sing	to the Lord,
2	For the Lord is a	great — God
3	The sea is His, for He	made it,
5	Glory be to the Father and	to the Son



1	let us make a joyful noise to the rock of	our sal - va - tion.
2	and a great	king a - bove all gods.
3	and His hand	formed the dry — land.
5	and to the	Ho - ly Spir - it;



1	Let us come into His presence with thanks -	giv - ing,
2	The deep places of the earth are	in His hand;
3	O come, let us worship and	bow — down,
4	For He	is our God,
5	as it was in the be - -	gin - ning,



1	let us make a joyful noise to	Him with songs of praise.
2	the strength of the hills is	His — al - so.
3	let us kneel before the	Lord, our mak - er.
4	and we are the people of His pasture and the	sheep — of His hand.
5	is now, and will be for - -	ev - er. A - men.

ANTIPHON

P Blessed be God, the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit.



C O come, let us wor - ship Him.

PSALM *(spoken responsively)*

¹Praise the LORD! For it is good to sing praises to our God; for it is pleasant, and a song of praise is fitting.

²**The LORD builds up Jerusalem; he gathers the outcasts of Israel.**

³He heals the brokenhearted and binds up their wounds.

⁴**He determines the number of the stars; he gives to all of them their names.**

⁵Great is our Lord, and abundant in power; his understanding is beyond measure.

⁶**The LORD lifts up the humble; he casts the wicked to the ground.**

⁷Sing to the LORD with thanksgiving; make melody to our God on the lyre!

FIRST READING

(The Lord reminds His people that He is willing and able to defend them.)

²¹Do you not know? Do you not hear? Has it not been told you from the beginning? Have you not understood from the foundations of the earth?

²²It is he who sits above the circle of the earth, and its inhabitants are like grasshoppers; who stretches out the heavens like a curtain, and spreads them like a tent to dwell in; ²³who brings princes to nothing, and makes the rulers of the earth as emptiness. ²⁴Scarcely are they planted, scarcely sown, scarcely has their stem taken root in the earth, when he blows on them, and they

Psalm 147:1-11

⁸**He covers the heavens with clouds; he prepares rain for the earth; he makes grass grow on the hills.**

⁹He gives to the beasts their food, and to the young ravens that cry.

¹⁰**His delight is not in the strength of the horse, nor his pleasure in the legs of a man,**

¹¹but the LORD takes pleasure in those who fear him, in those who hope in his steadfast love.

**GLORY BE TO THE FATHER AND TO THE SON
AND TO THE HOLY SPIRIT.
AS IT WAS IN THE BEGINNING;
IS NOW, AND WILL BE FOREVER. AMEN.**

Please be seated

Isaiah 40:21-31

wither, and the tempest carries them off like stubble. ²⁵To whom then will you compare me, that I should be like him? says the Holy One. ²⁶Lift up your eyes on high and see: who created these? He who brings out their host by number, calling them all by name, by the greatness of his might, and because he is strong in power not one is missing. ²⁷Why do you say, O Jacob, and speak, O Israel, "My way is hidden from the LORD, and my right is disregarded by my God"?

(continued...)

²⁸Have you not known? Have you not heard? The LORD is the everlasting God, the Creator of the ends of the earth. He does not faint or grow weary; his understanding is unsearchable. ²⁹He gives power to the faint, and to him who has no might he increases strength. ³⁰Even youths shall faint and be weary, and young men shall fall exhausted;

³¹but they who wait for the LORD shall renew their strength; they shall mount up with wings like eagles; they shall run and not be weary; they shall walk and not faint.

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

SECOND READING

1 Corinthians 9:16-27

(Paul changes his approach to win different people.)

¹⁶For if I preach the gospel, that gives me no ground for boasting. For necessity is laid upon me. Woe to me if I do not preach the gospel! ¹⁷For if I do this of my own will, I have a reward, but not of my own will, I am still entrusted with a stewardship. ¹⁸What then is my reward? That in my preaching I may present the gospel free of charge, so as not to make full use of my right in the gospel.

¹⁹For though I am free from all, I have made myself a servant to all, that I might win more of them. ²⁰To the Jews I became as a Jew, in order to win Jews. To those under the law I became as one under the law (though not being myself under the law) that I might win those under the law. ²¹To those outside the law I became as one outside the law (not being outside the law of God but under the law of Christ) that I might win

those outside the law. ²²To the weak I became weak, that I might win the weak. I have become all things to all people, that by all means I might save some. ²³I do it all for the sake of the gospel, that I may share with them in its blessings.

²⁴Do you not know that in a race all the runners compete, but only one receives the prize? So run that you may obtain it. ²⁵Every athlete exercises self-control in all things. They do it to receive a perishable wreath, but we an imperishable. ²⁶So I do not run aimlessly; I do not box as one beating the air. ²⁷But I discipline my body and keep it under control, lest after preaching to others I myself should be disqualified.

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

SCRIPTURE HYMN

“Praise the One Who Breaks the Darkness”

LSB 849

Please stand

HOLY GOSPEL**Mark 1:29-39***(Jesus heals Simon's mother-in-law and many others.)***P** The Holy Gospel according to St. Mark, the first chapter.

²⁹And immediately [Jesus] left the synagogue and entered the house of Simon and Andrew, with James and John. ³⁰Now Simon's mother-in-law lay ill with a fever, and immediately they told him about her. ³¹And he came and took her by the hand and lifted her up, and the fever left her, and she began to serve them.

³²That evening at sundown they brought to him all who were sick or oppressed by demons. ³³And the whole city was gathered together at the door. ³⁴And he healed many who were sick with various diseases, and cast out many demons.

And he would not permit the demons to speak, because they knew him.

³⁵And rising very early in the morning, while it was still dark, he departed and went out to a desolate place, and there he prayed. ³⁶And Simon and those who were with him searched for him, ³⁷and they found him and said to him, "Everyone is looking for you." ³⁸And he said to them, "Let us go on to the next towns, that I may preach there also, for that is why I came out." ³⁹And he went throughout all Galilee, preaching in their synagogues and casting out demons.

P O Lord, have mercy on us.**G** Thanks be to God.**COMMON RESPONSORY****P** Forever, O Lord, Your Word is firmly set in the heavens.**G** Lord, I love
the habitation of Your house and the place where Your glo-ry dwells.**P** Blessed are those who hear the Word of God and keep it.**G** Lord, I love
the habitation of Your house and the place where Your glo-ry dwells.**P** Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit.**G** Lord, I love
the habitation of Your house and the place where Your glo-ry dwells.

Please be seated**CHILDREN'S MESSAGE****OFFICE HYMN** "Your Hand, O Lord, in Days of Old" *LSB 846***SERMON** "**WILLING TO CHANGE FOR THE GOSPEL?**" (*Text: 1 Cor. 9:16-27*)
*The Rev. Paul Rieger***CANTICLE HYMN** "Te Deum – We Praise You, O God" *LSB 223***TITHES AND OFFERINGS** "Psalm 96" *~Trinity Choir*
(*Please fill out Friendship Pads - to be collected by Ushers following the Offering.*)**Please stand**

KYRIE 

C Lord, have mer-cy; Christ, have mer-cy; Lord, have mer-cy.

LORD'S PRAYER

- C** 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.

SALUTATION

- P** The Lord be with you.
C And with your spirit.

COLLECT OF THE DAY

- P** Together let us pray...
- C** O God, the source of all that is just and good, nourish in us every virtue and bring to completion every good intent that we may grow in grace and bring forth the fruit of good works; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.
Amen

ADDITIONAL COLLECTS OF INTERCESSION AND THANKSGIVING

Each intercession ends with the words **P** "Lord, in Your mercy,"
to which the congregation responds, **C** "hear our prayer."

COLLECT FOR GRACE

P O Lord, our heavenly Father, almighty and everlasting God, You have safely brought us to the beginning of this day. Defend us in the same with Your mighty power and grant that this day we fall into no sin, neither run into any kind of danger, but that all our doings, being ordered by Your governance, may be righteous in Your sight; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.



BENEDICAMUS

P Let us bless the Lord.



BENEDICTION

P The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ and the love of God and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all.



Please be seated

MATTERS OF IMPORTANCE

HYMN TO DEPART

“Fight the Good Fight”

LSB 664

*** * * To GOD BE THE GLORY * * ***

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