

# TRINITY

## LUTHERAN CHURCH

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### THE OFFICE OF MATINS

### THE SECOND SUNDAY AFTER CHRISTMAS

Sunday, January 2, 2022  
8:00 AM

#### PRELUDE

#### WELCOME AND WORDS OF PEACE

#### MATTERS OF IMPORTANCE / TITHES & OFFERING

**P** Let us now say together our memory verse:

**All. The people who walked in darkness have seen a great light; those who dwelt in a land of deep darkness, on them has light shined. (Isaiah 9:2)**

#### HYMN TO OPEN

“O Sing of Christ”

LSB 362

#### INVOCATION

**P** We begin our service in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

**G** Amen

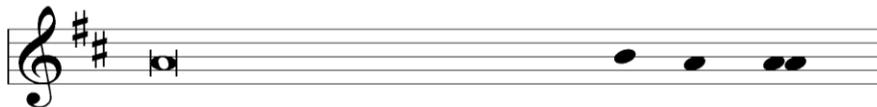
**Please stand**



**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



**L** Blessed be God, the Fa - ther, the Son, and the Ho - ly Spir - it.



**C** O come, let us wor - ship Him.



**PSALM 119:97-104** (*chanted*)

<sup>97</sup>Oh how I | love your law!\*

It is my meditation | all the day.

<sup>98</sup>**Your commandment makes me wiser than my | enemies,\***  
**for it is ever | with me.**

<sup>99</sup>I have more understanding than all my | teachers,\*  
 for your testimonies are my medi- | tation.

<sup>100</sup>**I understand more than the | aged,\***  
**for I keep your | precepts.**

<sup>101</sup>I hold back my feet from every | evil way,\*  
 in order to | keep your word.

<sup>102</sup>**I do not turn aside from your | just decrees,\***  
**for you have | taught me.**

<sup>103</sup>How sweet are your words | to my taste,\*  
 sweeter than honey | to my mouth!

<sup>104</sup>**Through your precepts I get under- | standing;\***   
**therefore I hate every | false way.**

**GLORY BE TO THE FATHER AND | TO THE SON\***  
**AND TO THE HOLY | SPIRIT.**  
**AS IT WAS IN THE BE – GINNING,\***  
**IS NOW, AND WILL BE FOREVER. | AMEN.**

**FIRST READING Numbers 6:22-27**

<sup>22</sup>The LORD spoke to Moses, saying,  
<sup>23</sup>“Speak to Aaron and his sons, saying,  
 Thus you shall bless the people of  
 Israel: you shall say to them,  
<sup>24</sup>The LORD bless you and keep you;  
<sup>25</sup>the LORD make his face to shine upon  
 you and be gracious to you;

<sup>26</sup>the LORD lift up his countenance upon  
 you and give you peace.

<sup>27</sup>So shall they put my name upon the  
 people of Israel, and I will bless them.”

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

**TRINITY HANDBELLS “I Wonder as I Wander”****SECOND READING Galatians 3:23-29**

<sup>23</sup>Now before faith came, we were held captive under the law, imprisoned until the coming faith would be revealed. <sup>24</sup>So then, the law was our guardian until Christ came, in order that we might be justified by faith. <sup>25</sup>But now that faith has come, we are no longer under a guardian, <sup>26</sup>for in Christ Jesus you are all sons of God, through faith. <sup>27</sup>For as many of you as were baptized into Christ have put on Christ. <sup>28</sup>There is

neither Jew nor Greek, there is neither slave nor free, there is neither male nor female, for you are all one in Christ Jesus. <sup>29</sup>And if you are Christ's, then you are Abraham's offspring, heirs according to promise.

**P** This is the Word of the Lord  
**G** **Thanks be to God.**

**Please stand**

**GOSPEL READING Luke 2:40-52**

P. The Holy Gospel according to St. Luke from the second chapter.

<sup>40</sup>And the child grew and became strong, filled with wisdom. And the favor of God was upon him.

<sup>41</sup>Now his parents went to Jerusalem every year at the Feast of the Passover.

<sup>42</sup>And when he was twelve years old, they went up according to custom. <sup>43</sup>And when the feast was ended, as they were returning, the boy Jesus stayed behind in Jerusalem. His parents did not know it,

<sup>44</sup>but supposing him to be in the group they went a day's journey, but then they began to search for him among their relatives and acquaintances, <sup>45</sup>and when they did not find him, they returned to Jerusalem, searching for him. <sup>46</sup>After three days they found him in the temple, sitting among the teachers, listening to them and asking them questions. <sup>47</sup>And all who heard him were amazed at his

understanding and his answers. <sup>48</sup>And when his parents saw him, they were astonished. And his mother said to him, "Son, why have you treated us so? Behold, your father and I have been searching for you in great distress." <sup>49</sup>And he said to them, "Why were you looking for me? Did you not know that I must be in my Father's house?" <sup>50</sup>And they did not understand the saying that he spoke to them. <sup>51</sup>And he went down with them and came to Nazareth and was submissive to them. And his mother treasured up all these things in her heart.

<sup>52</sup>And Jesus increased in wisdom and in stature and in favor with God and man.

**P** O Lord, have mercy on us.  
**G** **Thanks be to God.**

**COMMON RESPONSORY**

- L** 1 Forever, O Lord, Your Word is firmly set in the heavens.  
 2 Blessed are those who hear the Word of God and keep— it.  
 3 Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spir - it.



- C** Lord, I love the habitation of Your house and the place where Your glo-ry dwells.

*Please be seated*

**CHILDREN'S MESSAGE**

**OFFICE HYMN** "Jesus! Name of Wondrous Love" *LSB 900, vv. 1,2,3,6*

**SERMON** "CHILDREN OF GOD" *The Rev. Paul Rieger*

**CANTICLE HYMN** "My Soul Rejoices" *LSB 933*

**KYRIE**

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

**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

**SALUTATION****P** The Lord be with you.**C** And also with you.**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.

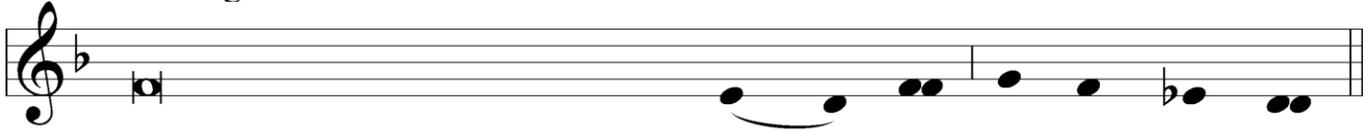
**MEMORY VERSE**

And he said to them, “Why were you looking for me?  
 Did you not know that I must be in my Father’s house?”  
 (Luke 2:49)

**BENEDICAMUS****L** Let us bless the Lord.**C** Thanks be to God.

**BENEDICTION**

**P** The grace of our Lord ✠ Je - sus Christ and the love of God



and the communion of the Holy Spir - it be with you all.



**C** A - men.

**HYMN TO DEPART****“O God, Our Help in Ages Past”****LSB 733**

**P** Go in God's peace; love and serve your neighbor!

**C** Thanks be to God!

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

**Leading Worship**

**Pastor** The Rev. Paul Rieger

**Organist** Barbara Mrosko

**Special Music** Trinity Handbells

**Elder** Brian Fuchs

**Worship Assistants** Brent Peterson, Dave Simonson

**Radio Club** Todd Voge

**Soundboard** Kevin Kreger

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