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 - congregation stands.  - congregation sits.  - congregation kneel or sit as you are able.  
 - congregation sings. Congregation responds in **bold print**.

Please note:

- Everything needed to follow today's order of service is included in this bulletin. Copies of our hymnal, *Lutheran Service Book*, are now available for use on a table in the narthex for those who would like access to the more complete settings of the liturgy and hymns. Please return them to the table at the end of the service.
- You may choose to kneel where indicated if you are comfortable doing so.

### Prelude

9:30 Catechism Handbells "O Morning Star" - arr. Michael Keller  
"Fairest Lord Jesus" - arr. M. L. Thompson

### Order of Service

 HYMN: "Glory Be to God the Father" - LSB #506



1. Glo - ry be to God the Fa - ther, Glo - ry be to  
2. Glo - ry be to Him who loved us, Washed us from each  
3. Glo - ry to the King of an - gels, Glo - ry to the  
4. Glo - ry, bless - ing, praise e - ter - nal! Thus the choir of



God the Son, Glo - ry be to God the Spir - it:  
spot and stain; Glo - ry be to Him who bought us,  
Chur - ch's King, Glo - ry to the King of na - tions;  
an - gels sings; Hon - or, rich - es, pow'r, do - min - ion!

Faith Lutheran Church  
Green Bay, Wisconsin



Great Je - ho - vah, Three in One! Glo - ry, glo - ry  
 Made us kings with Him to reign! Glo - ry, glo - ry  
 Heav'n and earth, your prais - es bring! Glo - ry, glo - ry  
 Thus its praise cre - a - tion brings. Glo - ry, glo - ry,



While e - ter - nal a - ges run!  
 To the Lamb that once was slain!  
 To the King of glo - ry sing!  
 Glo - ry to the King of kings!

**INVOCATION**

In the name of the Father and of the † Son and of the Holy Spirit.  
**Amen.**

**CONFESSION AND ABSOLUTION**

If we say we have no sin, we deceive ourselves, and the truth is not in us.  
**But if we confess our sins, God, who is faithful and just, will forgive our sins and cleanse us from all unrighteousness.**

 *(You may kneel as you are comfortable and able.)*

Let us then confess our sins to God our Father.

**Most merciful God, we confess that we are by nature sinful and unclean. We have sinned against You in thought, word and deed, by what we have done and by what we have left undone. We have not loved You with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. We justly deserve Your present and eternal punishment. For the sake of Your Son, Jesus Christ, have mercy on us. Forgive us, renew us, and lead us, so that we may delight in Your will and walk in your ways to the glory of Your holy name. Amen.**

Almighty God in His mercy has given His Son to die for you and for His sake forgives you all your sins. As a called and ordained servant of Christ, and by His authority, I therefore forgive you all your sins in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit.

**Amen.**

The Lord be with you.  
**And also with you.**

**PRAYER OF THE DAY**

Almighty God, You know we live in the midst of so many dangers that in our frailty we cannot stand upright. Grant strength and protection to support us in all dangers and carry us through all temptations; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

**Amen.**

**+ SCRIPTURES FOR THE DAY +**



**Old Testament**

**Deuteronomy 18:15-22**

The LORD your God will raise up for you a prophet like me from among you, from your brothers—it is to him you shall listen—just as you desired of the LORD your God at Horeb on the day of the assembly, when you said, “Let me not hear again the voice of the LORD my God or see this great fire any more, lest I die.”

And the LORD said to me, “They are right in what they have spoken. I will raise up for them a prophet like you from among their brothers. And I will put my words in his mouth, and he shall speak to them all that I command him. And whoever will not listen to my words that he shall speak in my name, I myself will require it of him. But the prophet who presumes to speak a word in my name that I have not commanded him to speak, or who speaks in the name of other gods, that same prophet shall die.” And if you say in your heart, ‘How may we know the word that the LORD has not spoken?’ — when a prophet speaks in the name of the LORD, if the word does not come to pass or come true, that is a word that the LORD has not spoken; the prophet has spoken it presumptuously. You need not be afraid of him.

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

## Epistle

### 1 Corinthians 8:1-13

Now concerning food offered to idols: we know that "all of us possess knowledge." This "knowledge" puffs up, but love builds up. If anyone imagines that he knows something, he does not yet know as he ought to know. But if anyone loves God, he is known by God.

Therefore, as to the eating of food offered to idols, we know that "an idol has no real existence," and that "there is no God but one." For although there may be so-called gods in heaven or on earth—as indeed there are many "gods" and many "lords"—yet for us there is one God, the Father, from whom are all things and for whom we exist, and one Lord, Jesus Christ, through whom are all things and through whom we exist.

However, not all possess this knowledge. But some, through former association with idols, eat food as really offered to an idol, and their conscience, being weak, is defiled. Food will not commend us to God. We are no worse off if we do not eat, and no better off if we do.

But take care that this right of yours does not somehow become a stumbling block to the weak. For if anyone sees you who have knowledge eating in an idol's temple, will he not be encouraged, if his conscience is weak, to eat food offered to idols? And so by your knowledge this weak person is destroyed, the brother for whom Christ died. Thus, sinning against your brothers and wounding their conscience when it is weak, you sin against Christ. Therefore, if food makes my brother stumble, I will never eat meat, lest I make my brother stumble.

This is the Word of the Lord.

**Thanks be to God.**

## GOSPEL VERSE

Alleluia. They were astonished at his teaching, for he taught them as one who had authority. *(Mark 1:22a)*

**Alleluia.**

The Holy Gospel according to St. Mark, the first chapter.

**Glory to You, O Lord.**

## HOLY GOSPEL

### Mark 1:21-28

And they went into Capernaum, and immediately on the Sabbath he entered the synagogue and was teaching. And they were astonished at his teaching, for he taught them as one who had authority, and not as the scribes. And immediately there was in their synagogue a man with an unclean spirit. And he cried out, "What have you to do with us, Jesus of Nazareth? Have you come to destroy us? I know who you are— the Holy One of God."

But Jesus rebuked him, saying, "Be silent, and come out of him!" And the unclean spirit, convulsing him and crying out with a loud voice, came out of him.

And they were all amazed, so that they questioned among themselves, saying, "What is this? A new teaching with authority! He commands even the unclean spirits, and they obey him." And at once his fame spread everywhere throughout all the surrounding region of Galilee.

This is the Gospel of the Lord

**Praise to You, O Christ.**

**Sunday Children's Message** Alex Wright - *Director of Christian Education*

## NICENE CREED

**I believe in one God,  
the Father Almighty,  
Maker of heaven and earth, and of all things visible and invisible.**

**And in one Lord Jesus Christ,  
the only-begotten Son of God, begotten of His Father before all worlds,  
God of God, Light of Light, very God of very God,  
begotten, not made,  
being of one substance with the Father, by whom all things were made;  
who for us men and for our salvation came down from heaven  
and was incarnate by the Holy Spirit of the Virgin Mary, and was made man;  
and was crucified also for us under Pontius Pilate.  
He suffered and was buried.  
And the third day He rose again according to the Scriptures;  
and ascended into heaven,  
and sits at the right hand of the Father.  
And He will come again with glory to judge both the living and the dead,  
whose kingdom will have no end.**

**And I believe in the Holy Spirit,  
the Lord and Giver of Life,  
who proceeds from the Father and the Son,  
who with the Father and the Son together is worshiped and glorified,  
who spoke by the Prophets.**

**And I believe in one holy Christian and apostolic Church,  
I acknowledge one Baptism for the remission of sins,  
and I look for the resurrection of the dead,  
and the life of the world to come. Amen.**

**THE MESSAGE:** Vicar Eric Souer

**HYMN:** "May We Thy Precepts, Lord, Fulfill" - LSB #698



1 May we Thy pre - cepts, Lord, ful - fill And do on  
2 So may we join Thy name to bless, Thy grace a -  
3 Spir - it of Life, of Love, and Peace, U - nite our



earth our Fa - ther's will As an - gels do a - bove; Still  
dore, Thy pow'r con - fess, From sin and strife to flee. One  
hearts, our joy in - crease, Thy gra - cious help sup - ply. To



walk in Christ, the liv - ing Way, With all Thy chil - dren  
is our call - ing, one our name, The end of all our  
each of us the bless - ing give In Chris - tian fel - low -



and o - bey The law of Chris - tian love.  
hopes the same, A crown of life with Thee.  
ship to live, In joy - ful hope to die.

**PRAYERS**

**+ SACRAMENT +**  
(adapted from Divine Service, Setting Two in *Lutheran Service Book*, p. 177)

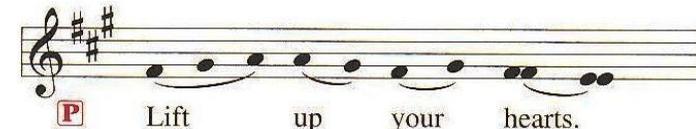
**PREFACE**



**P** The Lord be with you.



**C** And al - so with you.



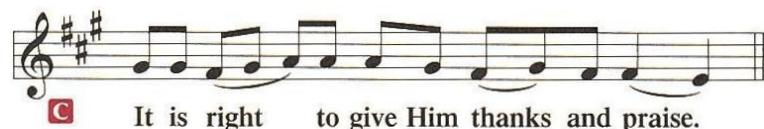
**P** Lift up your hearts.



**C** We lift them to the Lord.



**P** Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.



**C** It is right to give Him thanks and praise.

**PROPER PREFACE**

## SANCTUS



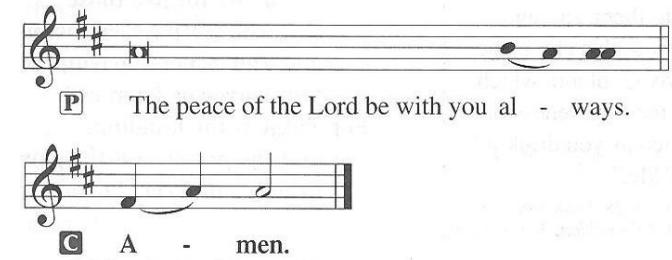
Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord, Lord God of  
pow'r and might: Heav'n and earth are full of Your  
glo - ry. Ho - san - na in the high - est.  
Bless - ed is He who comes in the name  
of the Lord. Ho - san - na in the high - est.

## 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.

## WORDS OF INSTITUTION

## PAX DOMINI



The peace of the Lord be with you al - ways.  
A - men.

## AGNUS DEI



Lamb of God, You take a - way the sin of the world;  
have mer - cy on us. Lamb of God, You take a - way the  
sin of the world; have mer - cy on us. Lamb of  
God, You take a - way the sin of the world;  
grant us peace, grant us peace.

COMMUNION HYMNS:

“Draw Near and Take the Body of the Lord” - LSB #637



1 Draw near and take the bod - y of the Lord,  
 2 He who His saints in this world rules and shields,  
 3 Come for - ward then with faith - ful hearts sin - cere,



And drink the ho - ly blood for you out - poured;  
 To all be - liev - ers life e - ter - nal yields;  
 And take the pledg - es of sal - va - tion here.



Of - fered was He for great - est and for least,  
 With heav'n - ly bread He makes the hun - gry whole,  
 O Lord, our hearts with grate - ful thanks en - dow

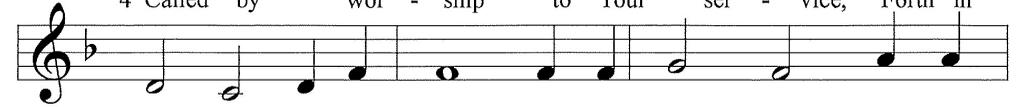


Him - self the vic - tim and Him - self the priest.  
 Gives liv - ing wa - ters to the thirst - ing soul.  
 As in this feast of love You bless us now.

“Lord, Whose Love Through Humble Service” - LSB #848



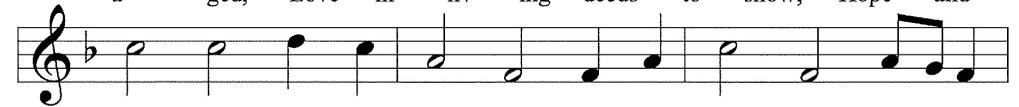
1 Lord, whose love through hum - ble serv - ice Bore the  
 2 Still Your chil - dren wan - der home - less; Still the  
 3 As we wor - ship, grant us vi - sion, Till Your  
 4 Called by wor - ship to Your ser - vice, Forth in



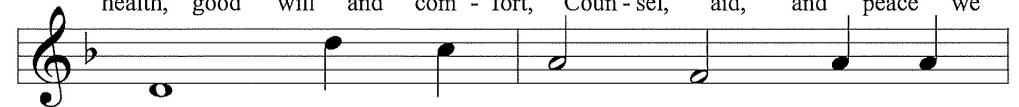
weight of hu - man need, Who up - on the cross, for -  
 hun - gry cry for bread; Still the cap - tives long for  
 love's re - veal - ing light In its height and depth and  
 Your dear name we go, To the child, the youth, the



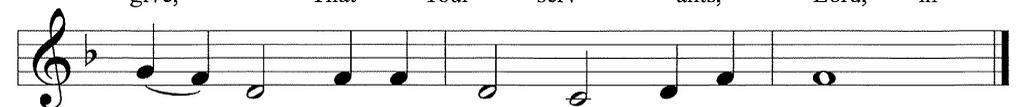
sak - en, Of - fered mer - cy's per - fect deed, We, Your  
 free - dom; Still in grief we mourn our dead. As, O  
 great - ness, Dawns up - on our quick - ened sight, Mak - ing  
 a - ged, Love in liv - ing deeds to show; Hope and



serv - ants, bring the wor - ship Not of voice a - lone, but  
 Lord, Your deep com - pas - sion Healed the sick and freed the  
 known the needs and bur - dens Your com - pass - ion bids us  
 health, good will and com - fort, Coun - sel, aid, and peace we



heart, Con - se - crat - ing to Your  
 soul, Use the love Your Spir - it  
 bear, Stir - ring us to tire - less  
 give, That Your serv - ants, Lord, in



pur - pose Ev - 'ry gift that You im - part.  
 kind - les Still to save and make us whole.  
 striv - ing, Your a - bun - dant life to share.  
 free - dom May Your mer - cy know and live.

# PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

## BENEDICTION



**P** The Lord bless you and keep you.  
 The Lord make His face shine on you  
 and be gracious to you.  
 The Lord look upon you with favor and ✠ give you peace.



## Welcome and Announcements

(Closing hymn on next page)

## Postlude "In Thee is Gladness" - J. S. Bach

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## HYMN: "In Thee is Gladness" - LSB #818



1 In Thee is glad - ness A - mid all sad - ness, Je - sus,  
 2 If He is ours, . . . . We fear no pow - ers, Not of



sun - shine of my heart. By Thee are giv - en The gifts of  
 earth or sin or death. He sees and bless - es In worst dis -



heav - en, Thou the true Re - deem - er art. Our souls Thou  
 tress - es; He can change them with a breath. Where - fore the



wak - est; Our bonds Thou break - est. Who trusts Thee sure - ly Has built se -  
 sto - ry Tell of His glo - ry With heart and voic - es; All heav'n re -



cure - ly And stands for - ev - er: Al - le - lu - ia! Our hearts are  
 joic - es In Him for - ev - er: Al - le - lu - ia! We shout for



pin - ing To see Thy shin - ing, Dy - ing or liv - ing, To Thee are  
 glad - ness, Win o - ver sad - ness, Love Him and praise Him And still shall



cleav - ing; Naught us can sev - er: Al - le - lu - ia!  
 raise Him Glad hymns for - ev - er: Al - le - lu - ia!



**FAITH NEWS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS**  
Faith Lutheran Church, 2335 S. Webster Ave.,  
Green Bay, WI 54301



**DOLLAR SUNDAY**

Dollar Sunday is Sunday, January 31. Any cash placed in this weekend's offering (not in an offering envelope) will go towards St. John's Homeless Shelter in Green Bay. On any given night, over 500 individuals are residing in Brown County's homeless shelters. Of these, 60% have a diagnosed disability. Nearly one in three are children. To learn more about St. John's Homeless Shelter visit:  
[www.stjohnhomelessshelter.org](http://www.stjohnhomelessshelter.org)



**NEW LUTHERAN HIGH**  
New Lutheran High is now enrolling for the 2021-2022 school year. With an

increased demand from the community, seats are filling fast for the coming school year. WPCP vouchers, tuition aid and additional scholarships are available for all families. Apply today to reserve a spot for full service, live, face-to-face Christian education for your student. Blaze On!

**REMINDER**

Book Group is meeting Feb. 3 at church near the Welcome Center. For a list of books or more information, please visit [flcgb.com](http://flcgb.com).

**HEARTFELT THANK YOU**

Thank you for all the support as we enter into this new phase of life together. We have been blessed by everyone in this congregation and are overwhelmed by all the love we have received.

-Alex and Karin Wright

**HELP FOR THE HOMELESS HYGIENE DRIVE**

Donate Personal Care Items for the Help for the Homeless Hygiene Drive. The Drive is taking place from Feb 14-March 7. The drive stocks the shelves of 90+ homeless & crisis centers in WI. Drop off your donations in the boxes around church.



**NOW ENROLLING**

Open enrollment for the 2021-2022 school year at Faith Christian Preschool is here! If you or someone you know is looking for a Christian based 3 year old or 4 year old preschool program for the upcoming fall, please visit [faithpreschoolgb.com](http://faithpreschoolgb.com) for more information or to register. We believe in offering a Christian, quality, and hands on experience that will build a solid foundation in the child's Social, Intellectual, Emotional, Physical, and Spiritual areas. Please email [faithpreschoolgb@gmail.com](mailto:faithpreschoolgb@gmail.com) or call (920) 965-0795 ext. 216 for more information or to set up a tour.

\*\*\*Just a reminder, Faith Lutheran Church members receive a 10% tuition discount!

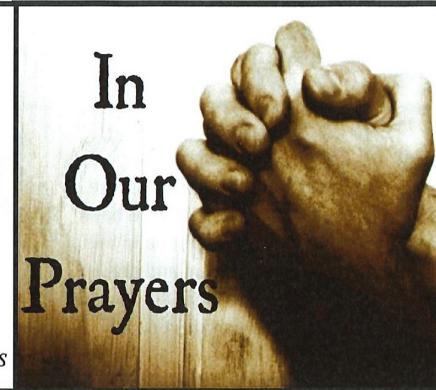


**PRESCHOOL RUMMAGE SALE**

Preschool's Annual Rummage Sale will be on Saturday, Feb. 27, from 8 am -12 pm. Items can be dropped off in the Fellowship Hall starting Sunday, Feb. 21. The proceeds from the Rummage Sale help keep tuition costs reduced, so essentially, your donated items help reduce the Preschool tuition. If you have questions or you have items that you need to be picked up, please contact Scott Stiles at 920-606-0306 or via email at [scottstiles724@gmail.com](mailto:scottstiles724@gmail.com)



**We pray for:**  
Joy Anderson  
Ron Falkenhagen  
Nicole Gretzinger  
Al Juza  
Sharon Kussow  
Lil LaRue  
Cheryl Mitchell  
Lucas Raby  
Lois Stirdivant  
Milt Stirdivant  
Debbie Welnetz  
Jean Zimmerman  
Rick Zimmerman  
Faith's Inactive Members



**pray for our shut-ins:**  
Janice Clevon  
Dan Fels  
Geraldine Feld  
Eugene Feldhausen  
Mary Ann Hermsen  
Toni Nelson  
Carol Walker  
Ken Vieth

**Also pray for our extended family and friends of Faith:**

Pastor Pett (Redeemer Lutheran Church)  
Kurt, Sue, & Heidi Schwedler (family of Kay Hanna)  
Harold Wilson (brother of Sandy Olson)  
Doug Behl (student of Green Bay Trinity Lutheran)  
Susanne Hoehneke (friend of Birgit Harms)  
Marjorie Wallenfang (mother of Karen Mielke)  
Jill (friend of Karin Barth)  
Mary Jo Walch (wife of Jeff Walch and daughter-in-law of Bob Walch)  
Ken Muehlberger (uncle of Alex Wright)  
Nadine & Luca Korab (friends of Janice Luhrs)  
Mike Walschinski (grandson of Angie Dobratz)  
Ellyn Baril (aunt of Scott Stiles)  
Sydney Miracle (niece of Robin and Brian Paul)  
Ted Schwenker (father of Molly Krueger)  
Jim Shearer (brother-in-law of Andrew & Sue Mansfield)  
Isaiah Phillips (grandson of Allan and Eleanore Juza)  
Derek Kosmicki (nephew-in-law of Louisa Schauer)  
Rose Walschinski (grand-daughter of Angie Dobratz)

Delores Kinne (grandmother of Angela Stiles)  
Barb Wotruba (friend of Paul & Lori Reynolds)  
Charlie Cheslock (grandson of Keith & Jolene Cheslock)  
Jeanne Fellenz (mother of Tiffany Hoffman)  
Mike Knapp (coworker of Paul Reynolds)  
Jackson Kieth (infant relative of Mary Kovach)  
Bob Falkenhagen (brother-in-law of Pat Falkenhagen)  
Kevin Klover (brother of Kathy Ebert)  
Amy Kellerman (cousin of Linda Just)  
The Williamson Family (friends of Kelly Bagneski)  
Pastor Jeff Dobratz (son of Angela Dobratz)  
Jean Newkirk (friend of Marian Kovach)  
Melody Vollmer (granddaughter of Kelly & Mike Tollar)  
Andrea Laroque (friend of Toni Nelson)

**FAITH'S ACTIVE MILITARY MEMBERS**

Nick Grygleski | Rachel Messerschmidt | Riley Dryer



Altar Bouquet 1	Altar Bouquet 2	Center Altar Bouquet
In Memory of Lois Harms -by Birgit Harms	In Celebration of Sarah Solomon's and Nicholas Reynold's Birthdays	In Celebration of Hans and Edith Barth's Anniversary -by Karin Barth



**2021 ALTAR FLOWER SIGN UP**

The sign up for 2021 altar flowers is available at the Welcome Center. The cost is \$15.00 per bouquet. Flowers are available to take home after the Monday night service. You may also sign up by calling the church office at 920-435-5524.

If you would like to add someone to the prayer list, please email [flcgb.office@gmail.com](mailto:flcgb.office@gmail.com).