



February 8, 2026

A Special Message to First-Time Visitors

We are delighted to have you with us today! Here are a few things you might want to know as you prepare for worship.

We love to see children at worship and welcome them in the sanctuary. There are activity bags available in the hallway for them should they become restless. We also have a nursery located in the wing opposite the sanctuary staffed by two capable, loving people.

The restrooms are located just outside the hallway leading to the sanctuary, with a wheelchair/handicap accessible restroom down the hall. If you need help finding any of these, please ask an usher.

Each row has a red pad with a form for all in attendance to complete. Please complete the form so we can provide a more personal ministry.

Prayer request cards are included for you to fill out and place in the plate when the offering is taken. The pastor will then, with your permission, share the concern and pray for your need during the prayer time.

We celebrate Holy Communion every Sunday to all who believe in Jesus Christ as their Lord and Savior. You are invited to commune with us. The dark red liquid is wine and the lighter colored liquid is grape juice.

Thank you for worshipping with us this morning! We are blessed by your presence, and God is glorified. Please join us for coffee following the service.

February 8, 2026

Usher

Toni Sherman

Acolyte

Grace Reichl

Nursery

Legacy Lundberg/Grace Reichl

Security

Ron Johnson

Sound System

Troy Turner

Lector

Cheryl Hedlund

Communion Assistant

Nancy Martin

Communion Set-up/clean-up

Nancy Martin/Ardie Kilber

Coffee Hour

Lorraine Stargel/Sarah DeBord

Flowers

Phil and Sharon Hurd

Tellers

Toni Sherman/Sharon Johnson

Julian Estates / Bonaventure

Ron Heilman

February 15, 2026

Usher

Valerie Claiborne

Acolyte

Delilah Harvey

Nursery

Legacy and Harmony Lundberg

Security

Dennis Krumwiede

Sound System

Ron Johnson

Lector

Feliz Lundberg

Communion Assistant

Carol Brennan

Communion Set-up/clean-up

Carol Brennan/Nancy Martin

Coffee Hour

Sharlene Parker/Sharon Hurd

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Order of Worship

February 8, 2026 Fifth Sunday after Epiphany

Pastor Eric Lundberg

LBW-Green Hymnal, HWC-Light Blue Hymnal, WOV-Dark Blue Hymnal

Please remember to silence all electronic devices upon entering the sanctuary.

Before the service we talk to God. During the service God talks to us.

After the service, we talk to each other.

MISSION STATEMENT

"We, God's people of Living Word Lutheran Church, grounded in Holy Scripture are called to follow and share the inspired Word of God in Christ, to live as faithful and obedient servants, reaching out to all people with the love of Jesus Christ."

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Flowers today are given to the glory of God by
Phil and Sharon Hurd thanking the congregation for their kindness and welcome.

Welcome and Opening Prayer

Prelude

“Something Worth Living For”

William Gaither
arr. Fred Bock

Praise Song

“Let’s Just Praise the Lord”

HWC 107
Gaither

Chorus 1

Let’s just praise the Lord!
Praise the Lord!
Let’s just lift our **hearts** to heaven and praise the Lord;
Let’s just praise the Lord, Praise the Lord,
Let’s just lift our **hearts** to heaven and praise the Lord!

Chorus 2

Let’s just praise the Lord!
Praise the Lord!
Let’s just lift our **hands** to heaven and praise the Lord;
Let’s just praise the Lord, Praise the Lord,
Let’s just lift our **hands** to heaven and praise the Lord!

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(please stand)

We Worship by Confessing Our Faith in the Words of the Apostles’ Creed

I BELIEVE in God, the Father Almighty, Creator of heaven and earth.

I BELIEVE in Jesus Christ, His only Son, our LORD. He was conceived by the power of the Holy Spirit and born of the Virgin Mary.

He suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried.

He descended into hell. On the third day He rose again. He ascended into heaven, and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again to judge the living and the dead.

I BELIEVE in the Holy Spirit, the Holy Christian Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

Opening Hymn

“Jesus Is Lord of All”

HWC 359
Gaither

Verse 1

All my tomorrows, all my past,
Jesus is Lord of all.
I’ve quit my struggles, contentment at last,
Jesus is Lord of all. **(Refrain)**

Verse 2

All of my conflicts, all my thoughts,
Jesus is Lord of all.
His love wins the battles I could not have fought,
Jesus is Lord of all. **(Refrain)**

Refrain

King of kings; Lord of lords,
Jesus is Lord of all;
All my possessions and all my life,
Jesus is Lord of all.

Verse 3

All of my longings, all my dreams,
Jesus is Lord of all.
All of my failures His power redeems,
Jesus is Lord of all. **(Refrain)**

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Prayer of the Day (all pray): **Almighty God, you sent your only Son as the Word of life for our eyes to see and our ears to hear. Help us to believe with joy what the Scriptures proclaim, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.**

Special Music

“Amazing Grace”

Toni Sherman

Confession and Forgiveness of Sins (based on Psalm 19)

P: The law of the LORD is perfect, reviving the soul.

C: The decrees of the LORD are sure, making wise the simple.

P: The precepts of the LORD are right, rejoicing the heart.

C: The commandment of the LORD is clear, enlightening the eyes.

P: The fear of the LORD is pure, enduring forever.

C: The ordinances of the LORD are true and righteous altogether.

P: They are more precious than gold,

C: Than much pure gold;

P: They are sweeter than honey,

C: Than honey from the comb.

P: But who can detect their errors? Forgive our hidden faults, Oh Lord.

C: Keep Your servant also from willful sins; may they not rule over us. Then we shall be blameless, and innocent of great transgression.

P: Oh Lord hear our prayer and our confession and cries to You...

<A moment of silent prayer and reflection>

P: Most merciful God,

C: We confess we are in bondage to sin and cannot free ourselves. 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 hearts; we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. 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

P: In the mercy of almighty God, Jesus Christ was given to die for you, and for his sake God forgives you all your sins. To those who believe in Jesus Christ he gives the power to become children of God and bestows on them the Holy Spirit.

C: Amen

We Hear and Read God's Word

The first reading is from 1 Corinthians 2:1-12 (ESV)

¹ And I, when I came to you, brothers, did not come proclaiming to you the testimony of God with lofty speech or wisdom. ² For I decided to know nothing among you except Jesus Christ and him crucified. ³ And I was with you in weakness and in fear and much trembling, ⁴ and my speech and my message were not in plausible words of wisdom, but in demonstration of the Spirit and of power,

⁵ so that your faith might not rest in the wisdom of men but in the power of God.

⁶ Yet among the mature we do impart wisdom, although it is not a wisdom of this age or of the rulers of this age, who are doomed to pass away. ⁷ But we impart a secret and hidden wisdom of God, which God decreed before the ages for our glory. ⁸ None of the rulers of this age

understood this, for if they had, they would not have crucified the Lord of glory. ⁹ But, as it is written, "What no eye has seen, nor ear heard, nor the heart of man imagined, what God has prepared for those who love him"—¹⁰ these things God has revealed to us through the Spirit. For the Spirit searches everything, even the depths of God.

¹¹ For who knows a person's thoughts except the spirit of that person, which is in him? So also no one comprehends the thoughts of God except the Spirit of God. ¹² Now we have received not the spirit of the world, but the Spirit who is from God, that we might understand the things freely given us by God.

(The Word of the Lord) **C: Thanks be to God**

This reading is from Psalm 112:1-9 (ESV) (responsive)

Reader: ¹ Praise the Lord! Blessed is the man who fears the Lord, who greatly delights in his commandments!

Congregation: ² **His offspring will be mighty in the land; the generation of the upright will be blessed.**

R: ³ Wealth and riches are in his house, and his righteousness endures forever.

C: ⁴ **Light dawns in the darkness for the upright; he is gracious, merciful, and righteous.**

R: ⁵ It is well with the man who deals generously and lends; who conducts his affairs with justice.

C: ⁶ **For the righteous will never be moved; he will be remembered forever.**

R: ⁷ He is not afraid of bad news; his heart is firm, trusting in the Lord.

C: ⁸ **His heart is steady; he will not be afraid, until he looks in triumph on his adversaries.**

R: ⁹ He has distributed freely; he has given to the poor; his righteousness endures forever; his horn is exalted in honor.

(**R:** Here ends this reading)

Children's Message

Announcements

The Preaching Text

(Please stand for the reading of the epistle lesson)

This reading is from letter of Jude 14-25 (ESV)

¹⁴ It was also about these that Enoch, the seventh from Adam, prophesied, saying, "Behold, the Lord comes with ten thousands of his holy ones, ¹⁵ to execute judgment on all and to convict all the ungodly of all their deeds of ungodliness that they have committed in such an ungodly way, and of all the harsh things that ungodly sinners have spoken against him." ¹⁶ These are grumblers, malcontents, following their own sinful desires; they are loud-mouthed boasters, showing favoritism to gain advantage. ¹⁷ But you must remember, beloved, the predictions of the apostles of our Lord Jesus Christ. ¹⁸ They said to you, "In the last time there will be scoffers, following their own ungodly passions." ¹⁹ It is these who cause divisions,

worldly people, devoid of the Spirit. ²⁰ But you, beloved, building yourselves up in your most holy faith and praying in the Holy Spirit, ²¹ keep yourselves in the love of God, waiting for the mercy of our Lord Jesus Christ that leads to eternal life. ²² And have mercy on those who doubt; ²³ save others by snatching them out of the fire; to others show mercy with fear, hating even the garment stained by the flesh.

²⁴ Now to him who is able to keep you from stumbling and to present you blameless before the presence of his glory with great joy, ²⁵ to the only God, our Savior, through Jesus Christ our Lord, be glory, majesty, dominion, and authority, before all time and now and forever. Amen.

(**R:** The Word of the Lord)

C: Praise to you O Christ

Message

Offertory

“The Family of God”

Gaithers
arr. C. Tornquist
HWC 564
Gaithers/Nelson

Offering Hymn

“We Are So Blessed”

Verse 1

We are so blessed
By the gifts from Your hand,
I just can't understand
Why You've loved us so much.

Bridge

When we're empty You fill us
'Til we overflow,
When we're hungry You feed us
And cause us to know;

Verse 2

We are so blessed,
We just can't find a way
Or the words that can say,
Thank You Lord, for Your touch.

Verse 3

We are so blessed,
Take what we have to bring;
Take it all, everything,
Lord, we love You so much.

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The Words of Institution

Holy Communion

Communion Hymns

Communion Hymns

“Lamb of God”

Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world.
Have mercy on us.
Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world;
Have mercy on us.
Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world;
Grant us peace, grant us peace.

“In the Name of the Lord” (2X)

HWC 90
Gaither, McHugh, Patti

Chorus

There is strength in the name of the Lord
There is power in the name of the Lord
There is hope in the name of the Lord
Blessed is He who comes
In the name of the Lord

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“I Will Serve Thee” (2X)

**HWC 446
Gaither**

I will serve Thee because I love Thee,
You have given life to me;
I was nothing before You found me,
You have given life to me.
Heartaches, broken pieces,
Ruined lives are why You died on Calvary;
Your touch was what I longed for,
You have given life to me.

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“Something Beautiful” (2X)

**HWC 519
Gaither**

Something beautiful,
Something good;
All my confusion
He understood;
All I had to offer Him
Was brokenness and strife,
But He made something
Beautiful of my life.

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Prayers of the Church

The Lord's Prayer

The Lord's Prayer (spoken)

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.

Response

“There's Something About That Name”

**HWC 102
Gaither**

Jesus, Jesus, Jesus; there's just something about that name.
Master, Savior, Jesus, like the fragrance after the rain;
Jesus, Jesus, Jesus, let all Heaven and earth proclaim
Kings and kingdoms will all pass away,
But there's something about that name.

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Benediction *(please stand)*

Doxology

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;
Praise him, all creatures here below.
Praise him above, ye heav'nly host,
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

On Our Way Rejoicing

Closing Hymn

"Because He Lives"

HWC 213
Gaither

Verse 1

God sent His Son, they called Him Jesus,
He came to love, heal, and forgive;
He lived and died to buy my pardon,
An empty grave is there to prove
My Savior lives. **(Refrain)**

Refrain

Because He lives I can face tomorrow,
Because He lives all fear is gone;
Because I know He holds the future,
And life is worth the living
Just because He lives.

Verse 2

How sweet to hold a newborn baby,
And feel the pride, and joy he gives;
But greater still the calm assurance,
This child can face uncertain days
Because He lives. **(Refrain)**

Verse 3

And then one day I'll cross the river,
I'll fight life's final war with pain;
And then as death gives way to victory,
I'll see the lights of glory
And I'll know He lives. **(Refrain)**

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P: Go in Peace! Serve the LORD!

C: Thanks be to God!

Postlude

Pianist: Mary Kaye Owen

Choir Director: Dan Owen

***Thank you for worshiping with us this morning! Please join us for
Coffee Hour and Sunday School following the worship service.***

10:45 – Refreshment Time (Coffee Hour) in the Fellowship Hall

11:05 – 11:15 – Gather in the sanctuary for Sunday School Opening Exercises

11:15 – 12:00 – Kindergarten to 2nd grade meet in the Youth Room

11:15 – 12:00 – 3rd grade – 5th grade meet in the Conference Room

11:15 – 11:55 – Youth meet in the Library

11:15 – 11:55 – Adults meet in the Sanctuary for Adult Sunday School

12:15 – 1:00 – Choir Rehearsal