



January 19, 2025

*Second Sunday
After Epiphany*

Welcome to OSLC

TODAY

10 am

Youth Led Service
Sunday Worship/
Communion

11am Annual Meeting

Pot Luck

THIS WEEK

Thursday

6pm Food Pantry

NEXT WEEK

Sunday

10am

Sunday Worship

10am

Sunday School

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

Today is Pastor Kayla's last day, after today, please refer all pastoral emergencies to Pastor Brooke at Zion. (419) 233-3234

Annual Meeting Today!

Please stay after the service for our annual meeting followed by a pot luck.

Offering Envelopes 2025 Offering Envelopes are ready to be picked up.

Giving reports for 2024 will be generated in January and in mailboxes by February 1st.

A **blood drive** will be held Tuesday, January 21st 12:00 – 6:00 P.M. at the Park River American Legion Main Room. To register, call Vitalant 877-258-4825 or online at www.vitalant.org

Order of Service

Welcome and Announcements

Song: *Your Mercy Flows*

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Confession and Forgiveness

Blessed be the holy Trinity, one God, our creator, our protector, our wellspring of life.

Amen.

Trusting that God receives our words and the meditations of our hearts, let us confess our sin..

Silence is kept for reflection

Merciful God,

you speak blessing and compassion into the world. Forgive us for the ways we act with judgment, cruelty, or indifference. We ignore the needs of our neighbors; we resist your call to oppose injustice; we give in to scarcity and fear; we assume the worst about one another. Cleanse us from our faults and release us from their grasp. Show us your lovingkindness. Restore our hearts and repair your world, that we may live in Christ's ways.

Amen.

God proclaims these words of assurance: "Do not fear, for I have redeemed you. I have called you by name. You are mine." In Christ, you are forgiven. In the Spirit, you are made free. Refreshed by the waters of mercy, live anew as beloved children of God.

Amen.

Prayer of the Day

Lord God, source of every blessing, you showed forth your glory and led many to faith by the works of your Son, who brought gladness and salvation to his people. Transform us by the Spirit of his love, that we may find our life together in him, Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. Amen.

First Reading: Isaiah 62:1-3

For Zion's sake I won't keep silent,
and for Jerusalem's sake I won't sit still
until her righteousness shines out like a light,
and her salvation blazes like a torch.

² Nations will see your righteousness,
all kings your glory.

You will be called by a new name,
which the Lord's own mouth will determine.

³ You will be a splendid garland in the Lord's hand,
a royal turban in the palm of God's hand

Word of God, Word of Life...**Thanks be to God**

Psalm: Psalm 36:5-10

⁵ Your love, O LORD, reaches to the heavens, and your faithfulness to the clouds.

⁶ **Your righteousness is like the strong mountains, your justice like the great deep; you save humankind and animals, O LORD.**

⁷ How priceless is your love, O God! All people take refuge under the shadow of your wings.

⁸ **They feast upon the abundance of your house; you give them drink from the river of your delights.**

⁹ For with you is the well of life, and in your light we see light.

¹⁰ **Continue your lovingkindness to those who know you, and your favor to those who are true of heart.**

Second Reading: 1 Corinthians 11:4-11

⁴There are different spiritual gifts but the same Spirit; ⁵and there are different ministries and the same Lord; ⁶and there are different activities but the same God who produces all of them in everyone. ⁷A demonstration of the Spirit is given to each person for the common good. ⁸A word of wisdom is given by the Spirit to one person, a word of knowledge to another according to the same Spirit, ⁹faith to still another by the same Spirit, gifts of healing to another in the one Spirit, ¹⁰performance of miracles to another, prophecy to another, the ability to tell spirits apart to another, different kinds of tongues to another, and the interpretation of the tongues to another. ¹¹All these things are produced by the one and same Spirit who gives what he wants to each person.

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*The Holy Gospel according to John, **Glory to You, O' Lord.***

Gospel: John 2:1-11

¹On the third day there was a wedding in Cana of Galilee, and the mother of Jesus was there. ²Jesus and his disciples had also been invited to the wedding. ³When the wine gave out, the mother of Jesus said to him, "They have no wine." ⁴And Jesus said to her, "Woman, what concern is that to you and to me? My hour has not yet come." ⁵His mother said to the servants, "Do whatever he tells you." ⁶Now standing there were six stone water jars for the Jewish rites of purification, each holding twenty or thirty gallons. ⁷Jesus said to them, "Fill the jars with water." And they filled them up to the brim. ⁸He said to them, "Now draw some out, and take it to the chief steward." So they took it. ⁹When the steward tasted the water that had become wine, and did not know where it came from (though the servants who had drawn the water knew), the steward called the bridegroom ¹⁰and said to him, "Everyone serves the good wine first, and then the inferior wine after the guests have become drunk. But you have kept the good wine until now." ¹¹Jesus did this, the first of his signs, in Cana of Galilee, and revealed his glory; and his disciples believed in him.

This is the Gospel of our Lord. Praise to you, O' Christ.

Sermon

Pastor Kayla

Hymn of the Day: *Our God Reigns*

P&W 64

Apostles Creed

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Prayers of the Church: *God, of grace, hear our prayer.*

Offertory Song: *More Precious Than Silver*

P&W 99

Offering Prayer: God of field and forest, sea and sky, you are the giver of all good things. Sustain us with these gifts of your creation, and multiply your graciousness in us, that the world may be fed with your love, through Jesus Christ, our Savior 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.

Words of Institution

Lord's Prayer

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Communion Songs: P&W #76, 80, 87, 97

Prayer after Communion:

Nourishing God, at this table you have refreshed us with holy gifts of food and drink. Strengthen us for service, and send us out to embody your good news of liberation and healing for the sake of the world.

In the name of Christ we pray,

Amen.

Blessing

The Spirit of the triune God

 bless you with joy,
 anoint you with compassion,
 and send you in love.

Amen.

Song:

He is Exhaulted

P&W 66

Dismissal: Go in peace, Live in hope.

Thanks be to God!

VISITOR INFORMATION

Welcome! We are so glad you are here!

Restrooms are on the first level, as you entered the building. A diaper changing table can be found in the nursery and in one of the main floor restrooms.

Communion: We welcome all people at the Lord's supper, regardless of age, background, or church tradition. If you would like to receive communion, simply extend your hands to receive. Grape juice and gluten free communion elements are available.

Little Lutherans:

- **Worship Bags** and age appropriate toys are available in the back to be used during worship.
- A **playground** is available at the front of the sanctuary for children needing more room to move and play during worship. Parents are required to sit with their children in this space.
- **Sunday School** is dismissed during the Joyful Noise song.

Thank you to those who assisted with worship today!

Greeters: Jaxon & Vance Sherlock

Usher: Jude Thompson, Blair Samdahl

Reader: Lily Freeman, Ellie Thompson, Myla Thompson

Communion Assistants: Orianna Samdahl

Song Leader: Bailee Seim & Clara Kjelland

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