

Offertory Prayer

Let us pray: Merciful God, **in the mystery of the Word made flesh, you embrace our lives with your great love for humanity. With joy and gladness we ask that these gifts may be for many a sign of that love, and that we may continue to share in your divine life, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.**

Great Thanksgiving WOV, pg. 36

Words of Institution

Lord's Prayer WOV, pg. 39

Distribution Hymns:
WOV 710, 775 (2 timers)

Blessing WOV, pg. 40

Post-Communion Canticle WOV, pg. 40

Post-Communion Prayer WOV, pg. 41

Blessing WOV, pg. 41

Hymn WOV # 798 (2 times)
"Bless the Lord, O M<y Soul"

Bells

Dismissal WOV, pg. 41
Go in peace. Serve the Lord.
Thanks be to God.

Postlude

Ushers: Tom Hollingsworth, Jerome Lysen, Daren Schuerman, Al Grussing
Acolytes: Zoe Halvorson, Chaden Carroll
Lector: Zoe Halvorson
Altar Guild: Kathy Tweten, Cindy Steffen
Assisting Deacon: Daren Schuerman

Prayer concerns: Jane Dehne, Elle Miller, Rose Wogan

WELCA will have their February meeting next Sunday Feb 11 during the coffee hour. The March meeting will be on Sunday March 11 during coffee hour.

ROCK group will be meeting on Wednesday, February 14, from 3-4:30 p.m. at Marlene's house. We have a good movie to watch. Bring a friend.

This Week's Schedule

- Sun. 9:00-Communion Worship
- 2/04 10:00-Coffee Hour - Education Committee
- 10:00-Council meeting
- 10:15-Sunday School
- . Wed. 5:15-Confirmation
- 2/7 6:30-Mentor meeting
- 6:30-Bell Choir
- Thurs 8:00-quilting
- Sun. 9:00-Worship
- 2/11 10:00-Coffee Hour - Taylor Duncan, Emma Heinzig, Cameron & Kyra Gronseth, Sara Larson, Nick Molden, Chaden Carroll
- 10:15-Sunday School
- 10:15-WELCA meeting



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Prelude Miriam Lindblad

Bells

Welcome & Announcements

Brief Order for Confession & Forgiveness
We confess our sins before God and one another.

Pause for silence and reflection.

Merciful Lord, **we come before you with heavy hearts. We do not always follow our Savior's lead. We insist on our own way, putting worldly things before you. We doubt, we discriminate; we scatter—preferring darkness to the brilliance of your truth. For all this we ask your mercy and forgiveness, that our hearts may be made clean again. Amen.**

As a loving shepherd gathers his sheep, so our Lord protects and cares for us. As patient as a parent for a wayward child, so is God's mercy for us. Let us rejoice that we have received forgiveness, and that every day our Lord seeks to renew us in the image of our Creator, in the name of the Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.

Amen.

Hymn WOV #690
"Shall We Gather at the River"

Greeting WOV, pg. 28

Prayer of the Day

Let us pray: God of life, **shower us in your living water, bringing us to new life, fresh and clean. Walk with us as we share the knowledge of your living water with others, so that all might live. Amen.**

Senior Choir Shelly Mikkelson, dir
"Great Jehovah"

First Reading: 1 John 5:6-12

⁶This is the one who came by water and blood, Jesus Christ, not with the water only but with the water and the blood. And the Spirit is the one that testifies, for the Spirit is the truth. ⁷There are three that testify: ⁸the Spirit and the water and the blood, and these three agree. ⁹If we receive human testimony, the testimony of God is greater; for this is the testimony of God that he has testified to his Son.

¹⁰Those who believe in the Son of God have the testimony in their hearts. Those who do not believe in God have made him a liar by not believing in the testimony that God has given concerning his Son. ¹¹And this is the testimony: God gave us eternal life, and this life is in his Son. ¹²Whoever has the Son has life; whoever does not have the Son of God does not have life.

The Word of the Lord.
Thanks be to God.

