OUR SAVIOR'S LUTHERAN CHURCH

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Sunday, February 2, 2025 Fourth Sunday of Epiphany 10:30 AM

PRELUDE

THE FIRE

WELCOME and ANNOUNCEMENTS

OPENING SONG: "Lord, I Need You"

Lord, I come, I confess, bowing here, I find my rest. And without You, I fall apart, You're the one that guides my heart.

Chorus: Lord, I need You, oh, I need You, ev'ry hour I need You. My one defense, my righteousness; Oh, God, how I need You.

Where sin runs deep, Your grace is more. Where grace is found is where You are. And where You are, Lord, I am free. Holiness is Christ in me. Where You are, Lord, I am free. Holiness is Christ in me. (Chorus 2X)

My one defense, my righteousness; Oh, God, how I need You.

BRIEF ORDER FOR CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS L (Leader); C (Congregation) L: In the name of the Father, and of the ⊕Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

C: Amen

L: Almighty God, to whom all hearts are open, all desires known, and from whom no secrets are hid: cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love you and worthily magnify your holy name, through Jesus Christ our Lord.

C: Amen

L: Let us confess our sin in the presence of God and of one another.

L: Most merciful God,

C: we confess that 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 heart; 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 L: God, who is rich in mercy, loved us even when we were dead in sin, and made

us alive together with Christ. By grace you have been saved. In the name of Jesus Christ, your sins are forgiven. Almighty God strengthen you with power through the Holy Spirit that Christ may live in your hearts through faith.

C: Amen

GREETING

- L: The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all.
- C: And also with you.

SONG OF PRAISE: "Jesus"

There is a truth older than the ages, There is a promise of things yet to come, There is one, born for our salvation, Jesus. There is a light that overwhelms the darkness, There is a kingdom that forever reigns, There is freedom from the chains that bind us, Jesus, Jesus

Chorus: Who walks on the waters, Who speaks to the sea, Who stands in the fire beside me? He roars like a lion, He bled as the lamb, He carries my healing in his hands, Jesus

There is a name I call in times of trouble, There is a song that comforts in the night, There is a voice that calms the storm that rages, He is Jesus, Jesus (Chorus)

Messiah, my Saviour, There is power in Your name, You're my rock and, my redeemer, There is power in Your name, In Your name. You walk on the waters, You speak to the sea, You stand in the fire beside me, You roar like a lion, You bled as the lamb, You carry my healing in Your hands

God, you walk on the waters, You speak to the sea, You stand in the fire beside me, You roar like a lion, You bled as the lamb, You carry my healing in Your hands, Jesus. There is no one like you, Jesus, There is no one like you

PRAYER OF THE DAY

L: Lord of the Sabbath,

C: Your followers were told not to work on the Sabbath, and yet they boldly plucked grain to show that you are Lord of all. The world tells us not to rest on the Sabbath. Show us how to rest boldly,

rejecting conventions that go against your will, and instead praying and resting as you did up on the mountain, for the glory of your word and work, Lord Jesus Christ. Amen.

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

SONG for the WORD: "Holy Spirit" (Chorus)

Holy Spirit, You are welcome here. Come flood this place and fill the atmosphere, Your glory, God, is what our hearts long for. To be overcome by Your presence, Lord, Your presence, Lord

GOSPEL READING: Luke 6:1-16

One Sabbath while Jesus was going through some grain fields, his disciples plucked some heads of grain, rubbed them in their hands, and ate them. ² But some of the Pharisees said, "Why are you doing what is not lawful on the Sabbath?" ³ Jesus answered, "Have you not read what David did when he and his companions were hungry? ⁴ How he entered the house of God and took and ate the bread of the Presence, which it is not lawful for any but the priests to eat, and gave some to his companions?" ⁵ Then he said to them, "The Son of Man is lord of the Sabbath."

⁶ On another Sabbath he entered the synagogue and taught, and there was a man there whose right hand was withered. ⁷ The scribes and the Pharisees were watching him to see whether he would cure on the Sabbath, so that they might find grounds to bring an accusation against him. ⁸ But he knew what they were thinking, and he said to the man who had the withered hand, "Come and stand in the middle." He got up and stood there. ⁹ Then Jesus said to them, "I ask you, is it lawful to do good or to do harm on the Sabbath, to save life or to destroy it?" ¹⁰ After looking around at all of them, he said to him, "Stretch out your hand." He did so, and his hand was restored. ¹¹ But they were filled with fury and began discussing with one another what they might do to Jesus.

¹² Now during those days he went out to the mountain to pray, and he spent the night in prayer to God. ¹³ And when day came, he called his disciples and chose twelve of them, whom he also named apostles: ¹⁴ Simon, whom he named Peter, and his brother Andrew, and James, and John, and Philip, and Bartholomew, ¹⁵ and Matthew, and Thomas, and James son of Alphaeus, and Simon, who was called the Zealot, ¹⁶ and Judas son of James, and Judas Iscariot, who became a traitor.

L: The gospel of the Lord. C: Praise to you, O Christ.

MESSAGE

SONG OF THE DAY: "Amazing Grace"

Amazing Grace, how sweet the sound, that saved a wretch like me. I once was lost, but now am found, was blind but now I see. 'Twas Grace that taught my heart to fear, and Grace my fears relieved. How precious did that Grace appear, the hour I first believed.

Refrain: My chains are gone, I've been set free, my God, my Savior has ransomed me, And like a flood His mercy reigns, unending love, Amazing Grace.

The Lord has promised good to me, His word my hope secures. He will my shield and portion be, as long as life endures. (Refrain 2X)

APOSTLES' CREED

I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth.

I believe in Jesus Christ, God's only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the virgin Mary, 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, he is seated at the right hand of the Father, and he will come to judge the living and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit,

the holy catholic church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

PRAYER SONG: "In Jesus' Name"

I speak the name of Jesus over you. In your hurting, in your sorrow I will ask my God to move. I speak the name 'cause it's all that I can do. In desperation, I'll seek heaven, and pray this for you. I pray for your healing, that circumstances would change. I pray that the fear inside would flee in Jesus' name. I pray that a breakthrough would happen today. I pray miracles over your life in Jesus' name, in Jesus' name.

PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION

- L: Lord, in your mercy,
- C: hear our prayer.

PRAYER SONG: "In Jesus' Name" continued

I speak the name of all authority, Declaring blessings, ev'ry promise He is faithful to keep. I speak the name no grave could ever hold. He is greater, He is stronger, He's the God of possible.

Refrain: I pray for your healing, that circumstances would change. I pray that the fear inside would flee in Jesus' name. I pray that a breakthrough would happen today. I pray miracles over your life in Jesus' name, in Jesus' name.

Come believe it, come receive it. Oh, the power of His Spirit is now forever yours. Come believe it, come receive it. In the mighty name of Jesus, all things are possible. (Refrain)

I pray for revival, for restoration of faith. I pray that the dead will come to life in Jesus' name, in Jesus' name.

PASSING OF THE PEACE

OFFERING

"Brother" by THE FIRE

OFFERTORY: "Multiplied" Chorus God of mercy, sweet love of mine, I have surrendered to Your design. May this offering stretch across the skies, and these hallelujahs be multiplied.

WORDS OF INSTITUTION

THE LORD'S PRAYER ELW p. 154

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.

HOLY COMMUNION All are Welcome at the Lord's table. Note that all the communion wine is alcohol-free and the communion bread is gluten-free.

DISTRIBUTION SONG: "Jesus Messiah"

(words on screen)

POST-COMMUNION PRAYER

SENDING SONG: "Build Your Kingdom Here"

Come set Your rule and reign, in our hearts again, increase in us we pray, unveil why we're made, come set our hearts ablaze with hope like wildfire in our very souls, Holy Spirit come invade us now, We are Your Church, We need Your power in us

We seek Your kingdom first, we hunger and we thirst, refuse to waste our lives for You're our joy and prize, to see the captive hearts released the hurt, the sick, the poor at peace, we lay down our lives for Heaven's cause, We are Your Church, We pray revive this earth

Refrain: Build Your kingdom here, let the darkness fear, show Your mighty hand, heal our streets and land, set Your church on fire, win this nation back, change the atmosphere, build Your kingdom here we pray.

Unleash Your kingdom's power, reaching the near and far, no force of hell can stop Your beauty changing hearts, You made us for much more than this, awake the kingdom seed in us, fill us with the strength and love of Christ, We are Your Church, We are the hope of earth (**Refrain 2X**) We are Your church, We are the hope on earth

BLESSING / THREE BELLS

DISMISSAL / POSTLUDE

- L: Go in peace. Serve the Lord.
- C: Helping people experience the Love of God.

O Lord, Hear Our Prayers

Praise & Thanksgiving to God for...

The people of Our Savior's. Those celebrating birthdays today: Bud Skogen, Clarice Satrom, Llewellyn Rauser, Matava Arends, Claire Tarvestad

God's Healing Presence for...

	Tim Klocke (Mike Tweten's friend)
Clarice Satrom	Robert Thompson (Isaac, Ava, Mia's grandpa)
Vicki Dahlstrom	Dennis Sollid (Anne Kittelson's dad)
Sonja Diehl	Steve Rinke (Stacy Dickhoff's step-dad)
Larry (Butch) Lovas	Todd Donner (Tanya Buethner's brother)
Patrick Flanagan	Scott Berry (Benjamin Strand's uncle)
Carol Christianson	John (Veronika Pawlikowski's dad)
Kenna Kappes	Dennis Taus (Phyllis Leraas' brother-in-law)
Becky Foss	Elaina Mueller (Bonnie Mueller's granddaughter)
Peggy Gilbertson	Lindsey Gilbertson (Kathy Duval's brother)
Deb Kritzberger	Kim Olson (Pastor Joe's cousin)
Liz Hanson	Hunter Gordon (Eunice Morlock's grandson-in-law)
Karen Paulson	Asher Madsen (Vicki Madsen's great grandson)
Susie Anderson	Tom Wait (friend of Jon Bertsch)
Charlie Anderson	Barry Sailor (Tara Fandrich's uncle)
Dr. Rich Martin (Cheri and famil	y) Marta Datsik (McSparron's Exchange Student-Ukraine)

Safety for those serving in the Military... especially those serving in combat areas:

Our Sympathy to... Those in our church family who have experienced the death of a family member or friend:

EDUCATION PASTOR: Pastor Amanda Johnson, 218.556.8895 **VISITATION MINISTER:** Joy McSparron, 701.361.9990

HEAD USHERS: (8:30) Peter Lovas (10:30) Randy and Janelle Habeck family **ACOLYTES:** (8:30) Ava Hjelmstad, Bridger Longthorne (10:30) Cayden Olson, Mason Ouellette

ATTENDANCE: January 26, 2025 – (8:30) 58 and (10:30) 75 **STEWARDSHIP REPORT:** January 26, 2025: \$2,578.09; January to date: \$14,627.07; Income through December 31, 2024: \$418,094.00; Expenses through December 31, 2024: \$418,094.00. Income less Expense: 0

ANNOUNCEMENTS: (Due in the church office by 9am Thursdays)

MONDAY QUILTING GROUP

Monday Quilting has resumed at Our Savior's and YOU are invited to come and check it out! Making Quilts and LWR Kits are some of our most needed and worthwhile projects. If you are available on <u>any</u> part of Mondays, January through March, from 9AM-4PM, consider joining in the fellowship! No experience necessary. Bring a friend. We hope to see you there!

TEEN TALK for 6th grade students!

- A four-week class Wednesdays, February 5th, 12th, 19th, and 26th from 3:30-5:00pm at OSLC.
- All 6th graders are welcome to attend! We will explore important subjects, discuss how faith can help them navigate these subjects, and, hopefully, create an open channel of communication as they transition from elementary school to middle school.
- · Questions? Contact Pastor Amanda at 218.556.8895

W.O.W. (Women of the Word) BIBLE STUDY will complete "The Tender Warrior - The Life of David" Study on Monday, February 10th.

Beginning on Monday, February 17 they will embark on a new study entitled "JESUS: The God Who Knows Your Name" by Max Lucado. This study has 6 sessions, has a DVD, and you will need to purchase a \$5 study guide, which will be available that Monday.

W.O.W. meets on Mondays at 9 AM in the 2nd floor lounge at Our Savior's. ALL ARE WELCOME! ~Senora Almquist, Leader

BIO Girls! is coming to Hillsboro!

BIO Girls is on a mission to improve the self-esteem in adolescent girls grades 2-6 through empowerment of self and service to others. BIO Girls will meet **Tuesdays from March 4th - May 20th** at the community center in Hillsboro from 6-7:30pm. Register by texting Dera @ 701.793.5183 and she will send you the link.

HILLSBORO KIWANIS FOOD PANTRY: Place your items in the wood crate located inside and to the west of the front door of the church. ITEMS NEEDED INCLUDE: Chicken Noodle Soup, Tomato Soup, Peanut Butter, Jelly, Cooking Oil and Spray, Stuffing, Cake and Cookie Mixes, Coffee, Mac & Cheese, Laundry Soap, Dish Soap, Paper Products: bath tissue, paper towels, Kleenex

The Hillsboro Kiwanis Food Pantry is located at the Hillsboro Armory. Open the 1st and 3rd Mondays of the month from 4-6 pm. THANK YOU for your generous donations for those in need. If you have any questions please contact Rich G. at 701-436-5777 or Dan C. at 701-430-1595.

WEEKLY SCHEDULE:

Sunday, February 2

Food Pantry donations Communion Sunday 8:30am Traditional Worship 9:30am Coffee/Fellowship 9:30am Sunday school 10:30am Contemporary Worship 7:00pm AA Meeting

Monday, February 3

9:00am W.O.W. Bible Study 9am-4pm Quilting

Tuesday, February 4

7:00am Text Bible Study at Hillsboro Café

Wednesday, February 5

7:00am Men's Bible Study at Hillsboro Café
3:30pm Teen Talk – 6th gr.
5:30pm Meal
6:00pm Confirmation (7-9 gr)
7:30pm Youth Group (9-12 gr)

Thursday, February 6

9:30am WELCA Exec. meet 10:00am WELCA Meeting 10:45am Worship service at HMC 2:00pm Kiwanis Bldgs communion

Sunday, February 9

Communion Sunday 8:30am Traditional Worship 9:30am Coffee/Fellowship

- 9:30am Sunday school
- 10:30am Contemporary Worship with Council Installation
- 11:30am Council Meeting 7:00pm AA Meeting

Pastor Joe: 701.430.3787

