

2nd Sunday after the Epiphany

January 16, 2022

Opening Hymn: Gather #386 "I will Sing, I will Sing" v. 1 & 2

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Verses 1, 2, 3, 6



1. I will sing, I will sing a song un - to the Lord.
2. We will come, we will come as one be - fore the Lord.
3. If the Son, if the Son shall make you free,
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Al - le - lu - ia, glo - ry to the Lord.
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You shall be free in - deed.
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Refrain



Al - le - lu, al - le - lu - ia, glo - ry to the Lord. Al - le -



lu, al-le-lu - ia, glo - ry to the Lord. Al-le - lu, al-le-lu - ia, glo -

ry to the Lord. Al-le - lu - ia, glo - ry to the Lord. *To verses*

The Collect

Leader: The Lord be with you.

All: *And also with you.*

Leader: Let us pray:

Almighty God, whose Son our Savior Jesus Christ is the light of the world: Grant that your people, illumined by your Word and Sacraments, may shine with the radiance of Christ's glory, that he may be known, worshipped, and obeyed to the ends of the earth; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who with you and the Holy Spirit lives and reigns, one God, now and for ever. Amen.

1st Lesson/Old Testament *Isiah 62:1-5*

Reader: A reading from the prophet Isiah:

For Zion's sake I will not keep silent,
and for Jerusalem's sake I will not rest,

until her vindication shines out like the dawn,
and her salvation like a burning torch.

The nations shall see your vindication,
and all the kings your glory;

and you shall be called by a new name
that the mouth of the Lord will give.

You shall be a crown of beauty in the hand of the Lord,
and a royal diadem in the hand of your God.

You shall no more be termed Forsaken,
and your land shall no more be termed Desolate;

but you shall be called My Delight Is in Her,
and your land Married;

for the Lord delights in you,
and your land shall be married.

For as a young man marries a young woman,
so shall your builder marry you,

and as the bridegroom rejoices over the bride,
so shall your God rejoice over you.

Reader: Hear what the Spirit is saying to God's people

All: Thanks be to God.

Psalm 36:5-10 *Dixit injustus*

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 both man and beast, O Lord.

- 7 How priceless is your love, O God! *
your 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 loving-kindness to those who know you, *
and your favor to those who are true of heart.

2nd Lesson/New Testament *1 Corinthians 12:1-11*

Reader: A reading from the Letter of Paul to the Corinthians

Now concerning spiritual gifts, brothers and sisters, I do not want you to be uninformed. You know that when you were pagans, you were enticed and led astray to idols that could not speak. Therefore I want you to understand that no one speaking by the Spirit of God ever says "Let Jesus be cursed!" and no one can say "Jesus is Lord" except by the Holy Spirit.

Now there are varieties of gifts, but the same Spirit; and there are varieties of services, but the same Lord; and there are varieties of activities, but it is the same God who activates all of them in everyone. To each is given the manifestation of the Spirit for the common good. To one is given through the Spirit the utterance of wisdom, and to another the utterance of knowledge according to the same Spirit, to another faith by the same Spirit, to another gifts of healing by the one Spirit, to another the working of miracles, to another prophecy, to another the discernment of spirits, to another various kinds of tongues, to another the interpretation of tongues. All these are activated by one and the same Spirit, who allots to each one individually just as the Spirit chooses.

Reader: Hear what the Spirit is saying to God's people.

All: ***Thanks be to God.***

Gradual hymn - "I want to Walk as a Child of the Light"

[see p. 2 of the Epiphany worship booklet for music & lyrics]

The Gospel Reading *John 2:1-11*

Celebrant: The Holy Gospel of our Savior Jesus Christ according to John

All: *Glory to you, O Christ.*

On the third day there was a wedding in Cana of Galilee, and the mother of Jesus was there. Jesus and his disciples had also been invited to the wedding. When the wine gave out, the mother of Jesus said to him, "They have no wine." And Jesus said to her, "Woman, what concern is that to you and to me? My hour has not yet come." His mother said to the servants, "Do whatever he tells you." Now standing there were six stone water jars for the Jewish rites of purification, each holding twenty or thirty gallons. Jesus said to them, "Fill the jars with water." And they filled them up to the brim. He said to them, "Now draw some out, and take it to the chief steward." So they took it. When 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 and 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." Jesus did this, the first of his signs, in Cana of Galilee, and revealed his glory; and his disciples believed in him.

Celebrant: The Gospel of our Savior.

All: *Praise to you, O Christ.*

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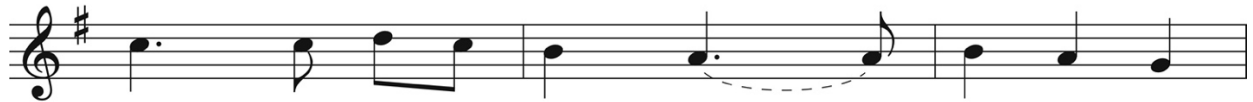
Communion Hymn Gather #534 "Many are the Light Beams," v. 1,3,5



1. Man - y are the light - beams from the one light.
 2. Man - y are the branch - es of the one tree.
 3. Man - y are the gifts giv'n, love is all one.
 4. Man - y ways to serve God, the Spir - it is one;
 5. Man - y are the mem - bers, the bod - y is one;



Our one light is Je - sus.
 Our one tree is Je - sus.
 Love's the gift of Je - sus.
 ser - vant spir - it of Je - sus.
 mem - bers all of Je - sus.



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light; we are one in Christ.
 tree; we are one in Christ.
 one; we are one in Christ.
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Closing Hymn - Gather #472 "Church of God," v. 1, 2, 7

Refrain:

Church of God, chosen people,
sing your praise to God
He has called you out of darkness
into his marvelous light.

Verse 1:

Come, people of God, with joyful song,
Praise God the Father of all.
Baptized in Christ, reborn in him,
our hearts are filled with joy.
He cleanses our sin, renewing our lives.
(to Refrain)

Verse 2:

The church is built with living stones.
With Christ as cornerstone.
In him we trust who makes us one,
uniting us in love.
We build on the rock, of faith in Christ.
(to Refrain)

Verse 7:

The light of Christ has come to us,
dispelling all our fears.
His light reveals the path of life.
We follow him with joy.
The glory of God the Light of the world.
(to Refrain)

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