

# The Second Sunday after Epiphany



***January 19, 2025***  
*Cross of Glory Lutheran Church*  
*Brooklyn Center, MN*



We are **CALLED**



We are called to **LIFE**



We are called to life **TOGETHER**

*Welcome to Cross of Glory, where we work to share in the joy of life **together!** If you're visiting, we invite you to fill out a Welcome Card in your pew and put it in the offering plates so we can further extend a welcome.*

## Gathering

### PRELUDE

### WELCOME

### CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS

Pastor: Blessed be the holy Trinity, † one God, our light, our love, our wellspring of life.

**All: Amen.**

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

*\*\*Silence for reflection and repentance\*\**

P: Merciful God,

**A: We confess that we are captive 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.**

P: 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. May Almighty God strengthen you with power through the Holy Spirit, that Christ may live in your hearts through faith.

**A: Amen.**

## COMMUNITY ANNOUNCEMENTS

•**Coffee Fellowship** - All are welcome to a time of food and fellowship in the Fellowship Hall following worship.

•**Annual Meeting and Potluck Lunch** - Next Sunday, Jan 26 after worship, all CoG members are invited and encouraged to take part in our annual congregational meeting. Stay afterwards for a potluck lunch as we break bread and celebrate the gift of being the church together. A sign-up for the lunch is at the Welcome Desk. Annual reports will be sent out via email, and hard copies are available at the Welcome Desk.

•**Sock Drive**—Archer and Renee Dahl are collecting new socks now through the month of February to distribute to the North Memorial Care Cart. A donation box is at the Welcome desk. All sizes welcomed.

•**Synod Youth Choir**- The Minneapolis Synod is excited to share a new opportunity for kids to connect by making music together. The synod youth choir will gather once a month between Jan and June to learn songs, meet other young people from local congregations, and prepare to sing with a larger youth choir at the Synod Assembly (May 2-3). All young people ages 5-18 are invited to take part, regardless of musical experience. If interested, let Pastor Ali know ASAP.

•**Art Gallery Talk** - Keith Williams will be leading an additional art talk about the new exhibit in our art gallery after worship on Feb 2. The new exhibition in the gallery is a collection of prints produced by the Concordia University Art Department made over the last 35 years. Cross of Glory is now the owner of a collection of about 20 fine art prints due to a donation from a member.

•**Wildfire Youth Trip** - Wildfire churches are joining together for a high school youth summer trip to Lutheridge Camp in Asheville, NC July 20-25. Lutheridge is partnering with Lutheran Disaster Response to help with recovery efforts from Hurricane Helene. If you are interested, please let Pastor Ali know by the end of the month.

•**Pastoral Care & Visitation** - If you're in need of care, prayer, or conversation, reach out to the office to be connected with the pastor or our Care & Visitation Team. We also invite you to stop by our Community Prayer Wall located just outside the sanctuary.

## MUSIC CREDITS

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## WORSHIP LEADERSHIP

Pastor: Rev. Ali Tranvik

Guest Preacher: Rev. Peter Schattauer

Director of Choirs: Keith J. Williams

Worship & Tech Director: Mark Trease

Vocalists: Becca Floyd, Kim Jacobson,

Laura McClanahan

Guitar: Josh Smith

Technical Team: Dawn, Ryan & Bill Bailey

Greeters: John and Kim Schoffstall

Reader: Carol Stejskal

Communion: Sherry Weko, John and Kim Schoffstall

Ushers: Don Halverson, Cheryl

Anderson, Josh Day, Gayle Merritt

Fellowship: Dave Hengel, Dan Jacobson

Ministers: The People of Cross of Glory



Please join us in lifting up these brothers and sisters in prayer:

*Mavis Wold  
Norma Gilbertson  
Audrey Swanberg  
Jeannie Kuzmich*

*Eric Thompson & family  
Luella Hinnenkamp  
Sue Birch and Sharon Quick  
Claudia Reitan*

*To be added or removed from the weekly prayer list, please contact the church office ([office@crossofglory.us](mailto:office@crossofglory.us)) or call 763-533-8602.*

You are welcome to stop at our community prayer wall just outside the sanctuary to place a written prayer in the wall. Further instructions are at the prayer wall.

## MUSIC

## Living Waters

## Getty/Cash

*\*\* Please stand as you are able \*\**

### Verse 1

Are you thirsty?

Are you empty?

Come and drink these living waters.

Tired and broken,

Peace unspoken,

Rest beside these living waters

### Verse 2

Christ is calling,

Find refreshing

At the cross of living waters.

Lay your life down,

All the old gone,

Rise up in these living waters.

### Chorus

There's a river that flows

With mercy and love,

Bringing joy to the city of our God.

There our hope is secure.

Do not fear anymore.

Praise the Lord of living waters.

### Verse 3

Spirit moving,

Mercy washing,

Healing in these living waters.

Lead your children

To the shoreline,

Life is in these living waters.

*(Chorus)*

### Verse 4

Are you thirsty?

Are you empty?

Come and drink these living waters.

Love, forgiveness,

Vast and boundless,

Christ He is our living waters.

*(Chorus)*

### Ending

There our hope is secure,

Do not fear anymore.

Praise the Lord of living waters.

## PRAYER OF THE DAY

Pastor: The Lord be with you.

**All: And also with you.**

P: Let us pray together...

**A: Blessed God, the holy scriptures are written for the nourishment of your people. Grant that we may hear them, read, mark, learn, and inwardly digest them, that, comforted by your promises, we may embrace and forever hold fast to the hope of abundant life, through your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.**

*\*\* Please be seated \*\**

**FIRST READING**

**Isaiah 62:1-5**

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.

Leader: The word of the Lord.

**ALL: Thanks be to God.**

**SECOND READING**

**1 Corinthians 12:1-11**

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

**MUSIC**

**Arise, Your Light Has Come!**

**#314**

*\*\* Please rises as you are able. Kids are invited to grab a musical instrument from the basket in the back and make a joyful noise as we sing! \*\**

**Verse 1**

Arise, your light has come!  
 The Spirit's call obey;  
 show forth the glory of your God  
 which shines on you today.

**Verse 2**

Arise, your light has come!  
 Fling wide the prison door;  
 proclaim the captive's liberty,  
 good tidings to the poor.

**Verse 3**

Arise, your light has come!  
 All you in sorrow born,  
 bind up the brokenhearted ones  
 and comfort those who mourn.

**Verse 4**

Arise, your light has come!  
 The mountains burst in song!  
 Rise up like eagles on the wing,  
 God's pow'r will make us strong.

**PRAYER OF GOOD COURAGE**

*\*\*Please turn to face the back doors as we prepare to go into the world with good courage. You're also invited to join hands with or put your hand on a neighbor near you as a reminder that we do not go forth alone.\*\**

**ALL: O God, you have called us to ventures  
 of which we cannot see the ending,  
 By paths as yet untrodden,  
 Through perils unknown.  
 Give us faith to go out with good courage.  
 Not knowing where we go,  
 But only that your hand is leading us,  
 And your love supporting us,  
 Through Jesus Christ our Lord.  
 Amen!**

**DISMISSAL**

L: Go in peace. Serve the Lord.  
**A: Thanks be to God.**

**POSTLUDE**

## MUSIC

## How Beautiful

## Paris

### Verse 1

How beautiful  
the hands that served  
The wine and the bread  
and the sons of the earth.  
How beautiful the feet that walked  
The long dusty roads  
and the hill to the cross.

### Chorus

How beautiful, how beautiful,  
How beautiful is the body of Christ.

### Verse 2

How beautiful the heart that bled,  
That took all my sin  
and bore it instead.  
How beautiful the tender eyes  
That chose to forgive  
and never despise. (Chorus)

### Bridge

And as He laid down His life  
We offer this sacrifice  
That we will live just as He died,  
Willing to pay the price.  
Willing to pay the price.

### Verse 3

How beautiful the radiant Bride  
Who waits for her Groom  
with His light in her eyes.  
How beautiful  
when humble hearts give  
The fruit of pure lives  
so that others may live. (Chorus)

### Verse 4

How beautiful the feet that bring  
The sound of good news  
and the love of the King.  
How beautiful the hands that serve  
The wine and the bread  
and the sons of the earth. (Chorus)

## POST-COMMUNION PRAYER

P: Holy One, we thank you for the healing and the life that springs forth abundantly from this table. Renew our strength to do justice, love kindness, and journey humbly with you.

**All: Amen.**

*Sending*

## COMMUNITY ANNOUNCEMENTS

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.

Leader: The word of the Lord.

**ALL: Thanks be to God.**

## CHOIR ANTHEM

## At the Name of Jesus

**R. Vaughan Williams**

*At the name of Jesus every knee shall bow,  
Every tongue confess Him, King of glory now;  
'Tis the Father's pleasure we should call Him Lord,  
Who from the beginning was the mighty Word.  
At his voice creation sprang at once to sight,  
All the angel faces, all the hosts of light,  
Thrones and dominations, stars upon their way,  
All the heavenly orders, in their great array.  
Humbled for a season, to receive a name  
From the lips of sinners unto whom he came,  
Faithfully he bore it spotless to the last,  
Brought it back victorious when from death he passed.  
Name him, brothers, name him, with love as strong as death,  
But with awe and wonder, and with bated breath;  
He is God the Savior, He is Christ the Lord,  
Ever to be worshipped, trusted and adored.  
Brothers, this Lord Jesus shall return again,  
With His Father's glory, with his angel train;  
For all wreaths of empire meet upon his brow,  
And our hearts confess him, King of glory now!*

## GOSPEL READING

**John 2:1-11**

*\*\* Please stand as you are able \*\**

P: The Gospel according to John the second chapter.

**ALL: Glory to you, O Lord.**

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.

Leader: The word of the Lord.

**ALL: Praise to you O Christ.**

## SERMON

**Rev. Peter Schattauer**

## MUSIC

**Goodness of God**

**Ingram/Johnson/  
Fielding/Johnson**

### Verse 1

I love You, Lord.  
Oh, Your mercy never fails me.  
All my days  
I've been held in Your hands.  
From the moment that I wake up  
Until I lay my head,  
I will sing of the goodness of God.

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### Verse 2

I love Your voice.  
You have led me through the fire.  
In darkest night,  
You are close like no other.  
I've known You as a parent,  
I've known You as a friend.  
I have lived in the goodness of God.  
(Chorus)

### Chorus

All my life You have been faithful.  
All my life You have been  
So, so good.  
With every breath that I am able

# Table

## WORDS OF INSTITUTION

On the night in which he was betrayed, our Lord Jesus took bread, gave thanks; broke it, and gave it to his disciples, saying: Take and eat; this is my body, given for you. Do this for the remembrance of me. Again, after supper, he took the cup, gave thanks, and gave it for all to drink, saying: This cup is the new covenant in my blood, shed for you and for all people for the forgiveness of sin. Do this for the remembrance of me.

## LORD'S PRAYER

P: God, remember us in your love, and teach us to pray...

**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

*Come to the table, where God's gifts of grace and love are poured out for all, and where all are welcome. If you're worshipping onsite, you're invited to come forward when an usher cues your row. You'll be offered bread from the first server (gluten-free options available upon request), and wine from the second server (grape juice available upon request). If you'd like to take communion in your seat, simply cue an usher and we'd be glad to bring it to you.*

L: The body of Christ is given for you.

The blood of Christ is shed for you.

**All: Amen.**

## MUSIC

**All Who are Thirsty**

**#981**

(All who are thirsty,) come to the waters.  
(All who are hungry,) come here and eat.  
(All who are thirsty,) come to the waters.  
There's enough for all. (repeat)

**MUSIC**                      **Songs of Thankfulness and Praise**                      **#310**

**Verse 1**  
Songs of thankfulness and praise,  
Jesus, Lord, to thee we raise;  
manifested by the star  
to the sages from afar,  
branch of royal David's stem  
in thy birth at Bethlehem:  
anthems be to thee addressed,  
God in flesh made manifest.

manifest in pow'r divine,  
changing water into wine;  
anthems be to thee addressed,  
God in flesh made manifest.

**Verse 2**  
Manifest at Jordan's stream,  
prophet, priest, and king supreme;  
and at Cana wedding guest  
in thy Godhead manifest;

**Verse 4**  
Grant us grace to see thee, Lord,  
present in thy holy word;  
grace to imitate thee now  
and be pure, as pure art thou;  
that we might become like thee  
at thy great epiphany,  
and may praise thee, ever blest,  
God in flesh made manifest.

**PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE**

*Throughout the season of Epiphany, we invite you to take part in the Prayers of the People:*

- 1. Take a paper star (in your bulletin) and write a prayer on it--a prayer for yourself, the church, the neighborhood, the world, creation, or those in need. You may sign your name or leave it anonymous.*
  - 2. As the Spirit moves you, come hang your star on the Epiphany tree, and before you return to your seat, take the prayer of someone else from the tree.*
  - 3. Spend the remaining prayer time offering a silent prayer to God about the prayer of your neighbor. You may also take the star home with you this week to continue praying.*
- (\*NOTE: If you need assistance hanging your star or retrieving someone else's, cue an usher and we'll be glad to assist you.*

P: Let us pray:  
God of light,  
P: As we journey, **A: guide us.**  
As we struggle, **accompany us.**  
As we stray, **lead us home by another way.**  
As we wonder where to find you, **surprise us.**  
Be our awakening. **Be our epiphany.**  
Form us as we pray. **Amen.**

**Bridge**  
Your goodness is running after,  
It's running after me.  
Your goodness is running after,  
It's running after me.

With my life laid down,  
I'm surrendered now;  
I give You everything.  
Your goodness is running after,  
It's running after me. (*Chorus*)

*\*\* Please stand as you are able \*\**

**CONFESSIO OF FAITH**

**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 to the dead.**  
**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**

**SHARING OF THE PEACE**

P: The peace of Christ be with you always.  
**A: And also with you.**  
P: Let's share a sign of God's peace with one another.  
*\*\* Please be seated \*\**

**OFFERING**

*This Epiphany, as we continue to celebrate the Word made flesh, we seek to make material the words and the work of this church, sharing our gifts for the sake of the church, the neighborhood, and the world. At this time, we invite you to share an offering via the offering plates, or by scanning this QR code that will take you to Cross of Glory's online giving page.*

