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*Walk in love, as Christ loved us and gave Himself up for us,
a fragrant offering and sacrifice to God.*

Ephesians 5:2

DIVINE SERVICE Setting One

Hymn of Invocation # 605

Holy Baptism p. 268

Introit

The Lord has made known his salvation;

he has revealed his righteousness in the sight of the nations.

Let the sea roar, and all that fills it;

the world and those who dwell in it!

Let the rivers clap their hands; let the hills sing for joy together before the Lord,

for he comes to judge the earth.

He will judge the world with righteousness,

and the peoples with equity.

Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit;

as it was in the beginning, is now, and will be forever. Amen.

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O Lord, graciously hear the prayers of Your people that we who justly suffer the consequence of our sin may be mercifully delivered by Your goodness to the glory of Your name; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

Old Testament: Deuteronomy 30:15-20 (ESV)

"See, I have set before you today life and good, death and evil. If you obey the commandments of the Lord your God that I command you today, by loving the Lord your God, by walking in his ways, and by keeping his commandments and his statutes and his rules, then you shall live and multiply, and the Lord your God will bless you in the land that you are entering to take possession of it. But if your heart turns away, and you will not hear, but are drawn away to worship other gods and serve them, I declare to you today, that you shall surely perish. You shall not live long in the land that you are going over the Jordan to enter and possess. I call heaven and earth to witness against you today, that I have set before you life and death, blessing and curse. Therefore choose life, that you and your offspring may live, loving the Lord your God, obeying his voice and holding fast to him, for he is your life and length of days, that you may dwell in the land that the Lord swore to your fathers, to Abraham, to Isaac, and to Jacob, to give them."

Gradual

Praise the Lord, all nations!

Extol him, all peoples!

For great is his steadfast love toward us,

and the faithfulness of the Lord endures forever.

Ascribe to the Lord the glory due his name;

bring an offering, and come into his courts!

Epistle Reading: 1 Corinthians 3:1-9 (ESV)

But I, brothers, could not address you as spiritual people, but as people of the flesh, as infants in Christ. I fed you with milk, not solid food, for you were not ready for it. And even now you are not yet ready, for you are still of the flesh. For while there is jealousy and strife among you, are you not of the flesh and behaving only in a human way? For when one says, "I follow Paul," and another, "I follow Apollos," are you not being merely human?

What then is Apollos? What is Paul? Servants through whom you believed, as the Lord assigned to each. I planted, Apollos watered, but God gave the growth. So neither he who plants nor he who waters is anything, but only God who gives the growth. He who plants and he who waters are one, and each will receive his wages according to his labor. For we are God's fellow workers. You are God's field, God's building.

Holy Gospel: St. Matthew 5:21-37 (ESV)

"You have heard that it was said to those of old, 'You shall not murder; and whoever murders will be liable to judgment.' But I say to you that everyone who is angry with his brother will be liable to judgment; whoever insults his brother will be liable to the council; and whoever says, 'You fool!' will be liable to the hell of fire. So if you are offering your gift at the altar and there remember that your brother has something against you, leave your gift there before the altar and go. First be reconciled to your brother, and then come and offer your gift. Come to terms quickly with your accuser while you are going with him to court, lest your accuser hand you over to the judge, and the judge to the guard, and you be put in prison. Truly, I say to you, you will never get out until you have paid the last penny.

"You have heard that it was said, 'You shall not commit adultery.' But I say to you that everyone who looks at a woman with lustful intent has already committed adultery with her in his heart. If your right eye causes you to sin, tear it out and throw it away. For it is better that you lose one of your members than that your whole body be thrown into hell. And if your right hand causes you to sin, cut it off and throw it away. For it is better that you lose one of your members than that your whole body go into hell.

"It was also said, 'Whoever divorces his wife, let him give her a certificate of divorce.' But I say to you that everyone who divorces his wife, except on the ground of sexual immorality, makes her commit adultery. And whoever marries a divorced woman commits adultery.

"Again you have heard that it was said to those of old, 'You shall not swear falsely, but shall perform to the Lord what you have sworn.' But I say to you, Do not take an oath at all, either by heaven, for it is the throne of God, or by the earth, for it is his footstool, or by Jerusalem, for it is the city of the great King. And do not take an oath by your head, for you cannot make one hair white or black. Let what you say be simply 'Yes' or 'No'; anything more than this comes from evil.

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Today we celebrate the Sacrament of Holy Communion in which we joyfully receive Christ’s Body and Blood, under bread and wine, for the forgiveness of our sins. As we celebrate the Sacrament, we also give public witness that we are in complete agreement with the denomination’s doctrinal teachings at whose altar we commune. Therefore, we ask that only communicant members of the Lutheran Church-Missouri Synod commune with us. All guests are asked to talk to Rev. Heller before coming to the altar to receive the Sacrament.

In our thoughts and prayers,

† Our sick and recovering: Carolyn Johnson (Julie Dschaak’s mother),
Eileen Keller, Henry Kuhn, Art Mueller (Leeta Aanderud’s father),
& Carolyn Riegel;
† Jasper Walters, baptized today.

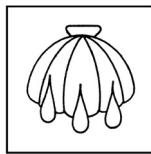
Welcome to worship in this season of Epiphany, In this season, we rejoice that God has appeared to us in Jesus of Nazareth. Visitors, please sign our guest book and worship with us again soon.



Special Music: The Handbell Choir will ring "*Praise the Name of Jesus*" during the offering.

Today in Sunday school, the children continue to work through the Sermon on the Mount. The theme is anger and the Bible story for today is the Book of Philemon, which is about a slave owner whose slave has run away and Paul's counsel to them both. Talk with your children about anger towards others and Jesus' words about anger. Ask them to consider why God should be angry with us and help them to see that He answers us not with anger but with His love.

This morning, we rejoice that Jasper Lee Walters, the son of Steven & Angie Walters, is born again for all eternity in the Sacrament of Holy Baptism. In



obedience to our Lord's most gracious promise, Jasper is baptized so that, by the power of the Holy Spirit in the water and the Word, his sins are forgiven, he is delivered from death and the devil, and given the gift of eternal life. To God alone be the glory for this most precious washing of new life!

Facing Disaster Like A Man: "Why" and "Why me?" are never far from our lips when disaster strikes. Though disasters, even those of our own making, can turn our lives upside down, God is still in command. Please join us as we continue this Bible study this morning.

The LYF will hold their monthly meeting today, 1:30—3:00 p.m. at the Church.

The Handbell Choir invite you to a "Meet Jack Rivers Party" today at 4:00 p.m. Jack is the new grandson on Keith and Cindy Peterson. If you have any questions please visit with any member of the Handbell Choir.

Council Members, please remember our meeting Wednesday, 7:00 p.m.



An 80th birthday open house will be held on Sunday, February 20th, 1-4 p.m. for Lenora Hafner at Marian Manor Estates, Glen Ullin. Everyone is welcome!

The Church Library has been updated. There are many books available on Parenting, Self-Help, Marriage, Youth, Christian Education, Aging, Individual Bible Studies, Religions and Leaders, Fiction, Family, Martin Luther, Devotions, Cookbooks, and Children's Books.



There are many additional books and Christian videos for children of all ages in the education wing as well as numerous Bible studies for groups. Take the time to see if there is something that would interest **you** in the library!

When the library was updated several books were duplicated or out of date, and are available for anyone to have. The box will be in the fellowship hall. Please feel free to take any of these items home. Thank you.

Stamp Collection: LWML will continue to collect stamps as we now have a location to mail the stamps collected. Stamps are sold to a stamp collector and any dollars received are sent to LCMS Missions. It is recommended that a one-fourth inch border be left around each stamp. Please leave your stamps on the LWML table in the fellowship hall.



LYF Spring Retreat: Grades 8 and up are invited to attend the ND District LYF Retreat at the Chieftain Conference Center, Carrington, ND, March 4-5. Brochures are on the table in the social hall. Registration deadline in February 27th. Please talk to Steve and Nona Blaisdell for more information, 873-5426.



Our Stewardship of Offerings and Attendance

Worship: 85 Offerings: \$2,192.25

St Paul considered himself and his fellow missionaries to be servants who helped other people to believe in the one and only Savior, Jesus Christ, and to serve Him with pure hearts and motives. During this season of Epiphany (when Christ demonstrated His divine nature) we can also demonstrate that we really are God's people who love to give and live as His sons and daughters.

This Week at Concordia +

Sunday	8:30 am	Divine Service
	9:30 am	Sunday School/Bible Class
	<i>11:00 am</i>	<i>Worship @ Glen Ullin</i>
	1:30 pm	LYF Meeting
	4:00 pm	Meet Jack Rivers Party
Monday	7:00 pm	Young Women's Guild @ Church
Tuesday	2:00 pm	Bible Class
Wednesday	4:00 pm	Catechism
	5:30 pm	Chime Practice
	6:00 pm	Bell Practice
	7:00 pm	Council Meeting
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*Please use a pew card to record your Church and/or Communion attendance this morning.
Thank you.*