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**PRELUDES:** *“Children of the Heavenly Father”* by Robert Lau  
*“See Amid the Winter’s Snow”* by John Goss/Douglas E. Wagner

**WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**INSTALLATION OF COUNCIL MEMBERS AND OFFICERS**

**GATHERING**

*(Please stand.)*

**CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS**

*All may make the sign of the cross, the sign that is marked at baptism, as the presiding minister begins.*

In the name of the Father, and of the ✝ Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

**Amen.**

God of all mercy and consolation, come to the help of your people, turning us from our sin to live for you alone. Give us the power of your Holy Spirit that we may confess our sin, receive your forgiveness, and grow into the fullness of Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

**Amen.**

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

*(Please kneel or stand. Silence is kept for reflection.)*

Most merciful God,

**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.**

I bring you good news of great joy for all the people: To you is born a Savior; Christ the Lord. Your sins are forgiven in † Jesus' name.

**Amen.**

*(Please stand.)*

**GATHERING SONG:** *This Is the Spirit's Entry Now* (ELW 448)

**GREETING**

The true light that enlightens everyone has come into the world!  
God be with you. **And also with you.**

**HYMN OF PRAISE:** *Angels We Have Heard On High* (ELW 289)



1 An - gels we have heard on high, sweet - ly sing - ing o'er the plains,  
2 Shep-herds, why this ju - bi-lee? Why your joy - ous strains pro - long?  
3 Come to Beth - le - hem and see him whose birth the an - gels sing;

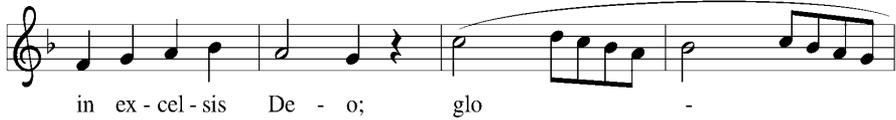


and the moun-tains in re - ply, ech - o - ing their joy - ous strains.  
What the glad - some tid - ings be which in - spire your heav'n - ly song?  
come, a - dore on bend - ed knee Christ the Lord, the new - born king.

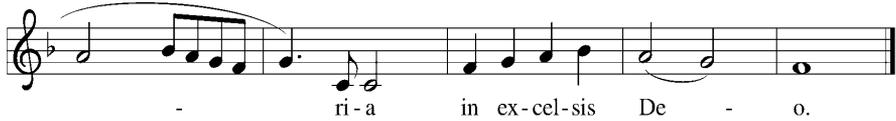
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## **PRAYER OF THE DAY**

Let us pray.

Almighty God, you anointed Jesus at his baptism with the Holy Spirit and revealed him as your beloved Son. Keep all who are born of water and the Spirit faithful in your service, that we may rejoice to be called children of God, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

**Amen.**

*(Please be seated.)*

## **WORD**

### **FIRST READING** *(Isaiah 43:1-7)*

A reading from Isaiah.

<sup>1</sup>But now thus says the LORD,  
he who created you, O Jacob,  
he who formed you, O Israel:

Do not fear, for I have redeemed you;  
I have called you by name, you are mine.

<sup>2</sup>When you pass through the waters, I will be with you;  
and through the rivers, they shall not overwhelm you;  
when you walk through fire you shall not be burned,  
and the flame shall not consume you.

<sup>3</sup>For I am the LORD your God,  
the Holy One of Israel, your Savior.  
I give Egypt as your ransom,  
Ethiopia and Seba in exchange for you.

<sup>4</sup>Because you are precious in my sight,  
and honored, and I love you,  
I give people in return for you,  
nations in exchange for your life.

<sup>5</sup>Do not fear, for I am with you;  
I will bring your offspring from the east,

and from the west I will gather you;  
<sup>6</sup>I will say to the north, "Give them up,"  
and to the south, "Do not withhold;  
bring my sons from far away  
and my daughters from the end of the earth—  
<sup>7</sup>everyone who is called by my name,  
whom I created for my glory,  
whom I formed and made."

The word of the Lord.

**Thanks be to God.**

**PSALM** (*Psalm 29*) (*Please read responsively.*)

<sup>1</sup>Ascribe to the LORD, you gods,  
ascribe to the LORD glory and strength.

<sup>2</sup>**Ascribe to the LORD the glory due God's name;  
worship the LORD in the beauty of holiness.**

<sup>3</sup>The voice of the LORD is upon the waters; the God of glory thunders;  
the LORD is upon the mighty waters.

<sup>4</sup>**The voice of the LORD is a powerful voice;  
the voice of the LORD is a voice of splendor.**

<sup>5</sup>The voice of the LORD breaks the cedar trees;  
the LORD breaks the cedars of Lebanon;

<sup>6</sup>**the LORD makes Lebanon skip like a calf,  
and Mount Hermon like a young wild ox.**

<sup>7</sup>The voice of the LORD  
bursts forth in lightning flashes.

<sup>8</sup>**The voice of the LORD shakes the wilderness;  
the LORD shakes the wilderness of Kadesh.**

<sup>9</sup>The voice of the LORD makes the oak trees writhe and strips the forests  
bare. And in the temple of the LORD all are crying, "Glory!"

<sup>10</sup>**The LORD sits enthroned above the flood;  
the LORD sits enthroned as king for evermore.**

<sup>11</sup>O LORD, give strength to your people;  
give them, O LORD, the blessings of peace.

**SECOND READING** (*Acts 8:14-17*)

A reading from Acts.

<sup>4</sup>Now when the apostles at Jerusalem heard that Samaria had accepted the word of God, they sent Peter and John to them. <sup>15</sup>The two went down and prayed for them that they might receive the Holy Spirit <sup>16</sup>(for as yet the Spirit had not come upon any of them; they had only been baptized in the name of the Lord Jesus). <sup>17</sup>Then Peter and John laid their hands on them, and they received the Holy Spirit.

The word of the Lord.

**Thanks be to God.**

*(Please stand.)*

**GOSPEL ACCLAMATION:** *Angels from the Realms of Glory, vs. 3* (ELW 283)



- 1 An - gels, from the realms of glo - ry, wing your flight o'er all the earth;
- 2 Shep-herds, in the fields a - bid - ing, watch - ing o'er your flocks by night,
- 3 Sa - ges, leave your con - tem - pla - tions, bright - er vi - sions beam a - far;
- 4 All cre - a - tion, join in prais - ing God, the Fa - ther, Spir - it, Son,



once you sang cre - a - tion's sto - ry, now pro - claim Mes - si - ah's birth:  
God with us is now re - sid - ing, yon - der shines the in - fant light.  
seek the great de - sire of na - tions, you have seen his na - tal star.  
ev - er - more your voic - es rais - ing to the e - ter - nal Three in One.

*Refrain*



Come and wor - ship, come and wor - ship, wor - ship Christ, the new - born king.

**GOSPEL** *(Luke 3:15-17, 21-22)*

The holy gospel according to Luke.

**Glory to you, O Lord.**

<sup>15</sup>As the people were filled with expectation, and all were questioning in their hearts concerning John, whether he might be the Messiah, <sup>16</sup>John answered all of them by saying, "I baptize you with water; but one who is more powerful than I is coming; I am not worthy to untie the thong of his sandals. He will baptize you with the Holy Spirit and fire. <sup>17</sup>His winnowing fork is in his hand, to clear his threshing floor and to gather the wheat into his granary; but the chaff he will burn with unquenchable fire."

<sup>21</sup>Now when all the people were baptized, and when Jesus also had been baptized and was praying, the heaven was opened, <sup>22</sup>and the Holy Spirit descended upon him in bodily form like a dove. And a voice came from heaven, "You are my Son, the Beloved; with you I am well pleased."

The gospel of the Lord.

**Praise to you, O Christ.**

*(Please be seated.)*

**SERMON** Pastor Carolyn DeStephano

*(Please stand.)*

**HYMN OF THE DAY:** *When Jesus Came to Jordan* (ELW 305)

## **APOSTLES' CREED**

Together with the whole church we confess our faith:

**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.**

## **PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION**

As heaven and earth rejoice, let us pray for the needs of the church and all the world.

*A brief silence.*

*After each petition the pastor ends with... "God of grace,"  
and the congregation responds with... "Hear our prayer."*

Into your hands we commend all for whom we pray, trusting in your mercy; through Christ our Lord.

**Amen.**

## **PEACE**

The peace of Christ be with you always. **And also with you.**

*Christ's peace may be shared with a handshake or verbal greeting, and individuals may say, "**Peace be with you,**" and/or reply, "**And also with you**".*

*(Please be seated.)*

## **MEAL**

**OFFERTORY SPECIAL MUSIC: "Come to the Water"** (Chancel Choir)

Words by Jeremy Blackwood, Arr. by Anna Laura Page

*(Please stand as the offering is brought forward.)*

**OFFERTORY HYMN: *What Child Is This?* (ELW 296)**



1 What child is this, who, laid to rest, on Mar - y's lap is sleep - ing?  
2 Why lies he in such mean es - tate where ox and ass are feed - ing?  
3 So bring him in - cense, gold, and myrrh; come, peas - ant, king, to own him.



Whom an - gels greet with an - thems sweet while shep - herds are keep - ing?  
Good Chris - tian, fear; for sin - ners here the si - lent Word is plead - ing.  
The King of kings sal - va - tion brings; let lov - ing hearts en - throne him.



This, this is Christ the king, whom shep - herds guard and an - gels sing;  
Nails, spear shall pierce him through, the cross be borne for me, for you;  
Raise, raise the song on high, the vir - gin sings her lul - la - by;



haste, haste to bring him laud, the babe, the son of Mar - y!  
hail, hail the Word made flesh, the babe, the son of Mar - y!  
joy, joy, for Christ is born, the babe, the son of Mar - y!

## **OFFERING PRAYER**

Let us pray.

God with us:

You came as a baby to a manger.

You slept on straw and greeted shepherds.

You come again in bread and wine.

Remind us how good you are at blessing ordinary things.

And then, through these gifts,  
help us to bless the lives of others  
in the strength of your holy name.

**Amen.**

## **GREAT THANKSGIVING**

The Lord be with you. **And also with you.**

Lift up your hearts. **We lift them to the Lord.**

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

**It is right to give our thanks and praise.**

## **PROPER PREFACE**

It is indeed right, our duty and our joy,  
that we should at all times and in all places  
give thanks and praise to you, almighty and merciful God,  
through our Savior Jesus Christ.

In the wonder and mystery of the Word made flesh  
you have opened the eyes of faith  
to a new and radiant vision of your glory,  
that, beholding the God made visible,  
we may be drawn to love the God whom we cannot see.  
And so, with all the choirs of angels,  
with the church on earth and the hosts of heaven,  
we praise your name and join their unending hymn:

## **HOLY, HOLY, HOLY**

**Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of power and might,  
Heav'n and earth are full of your glory. Hosanna in the highest.  
Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.  
Hosanna in the highest, hosanna in the highest.**

## **THANKSGIVING AT THE TABLE**

You are the Light of the World!

In the beginning you created light to break into the darkness.

You breathed life into your creation.

We bless you for the ways you have shone your light into our world-  
through the words of the prophets, the willingness of Mary, and the faith of  
the disciples.

On this holy day we remember your Word made flesh in Jesus Christ, who  
on the night in which he was betrayed, our Lord Jesus took bread, and 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.

With these gifts of your presence, we remember your life and acts of grace.

Send now your Holy Spirit, bless this meal,  
and strengthen us to shine with the light of your love.

To you, O God, Father, Son, and Holy Spirit,  
Be all honor and glory, now and forever.

**Amen.**

## **LORD'S PRAYER**

Lord, remember us in your kingdom 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.**

## **INVITATION TO COMMUNION**

This is Christ's table, and he is the host of this meal.

So come, you who have much faith and you who would like to have more;  
you who have been here often and you who have not been here for a while;  
you who have tried to follow Jesus, and you who have failed.

Come! Christ promises to meet us here.

# LAMB OF GOD



Lamb of God, the world's Re - dee-mer, Mer - cy to your peo - ple give. Lamb of

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God, the world's Re - dee-mer, May we in your mer - cy live. Lamb of God, we all im -

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plere: Grant us peace for - ev - er more.

*(Please be seated.)*

## COMMUNION

*All baptized Christians who wish to receive Christ's presence in bread and wine are invited to the Lord's Table.*

*When giving the bread and cup, the communion ministers say*

The body of Christ, given for you.

The blood of Christ, shed for you.

*and each person may respond*

**Amen.**

**COMMUNION MUSIC:** *Baptized in Water (ELW 456)*  
*Spirit of Gentleness (ELW 396)*

**TABLE BLESSING**

*(After all have returned to their places, please stand for a table blessing.)*

The body and blood of our Lord Jesus Christ  
strengthen you and keep you in his grace.

**Amen.**

**PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION**

Let us pray.

On this day, O God, you gave us  
Christ the Son to save us.  
As you sent the one foretold,  
send us now with good news for all people.  
Let the gladness of this feast have no end  
as we share with others the joy that fills us;  
through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

**Amen.**

## SENDING

### **BLESSING**

May Christ, who by his coming  
has filled us with grace and truth,  
give you peace this Christmas and always.  
Almighty God, Father, ☩ Son, and the Holy Spirit,  
bless you now and forever.

**Amen.**

**SENDING SONG:** *Christ, When For Us You Were Baptized* (ELW 304)

### **DISMISSAL**

Go in peace. Share the gift of Jesus.

**Thanks be to God.**

**POSTLUDE:** *"The Rejoicing"* by G.F. Handel/H.H. Hopson

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## PRAYERS 1/9/2022

Gerald Forry  
Brenda Wood  
Bob Stailey  
Tammy Snyder  
Angie Hummel  
Lynne Neibert  
Ruth Eppley  
Beth Basehore  
Megan Talton  
Bob Lowstuter  
Lawrence Rider  
Gale Seaman  
Bill Brodisch  
Greg Hummel

Lonny Koons (Father of Glenn Koons)  
Butch Pines (Brother of Janice Book)  
Noah Spangler (Family friend of the Erdley's)  
Scott James (Friend of Betsy Grigor)  
Pam Banwell (Sister of Michelle Stauffer)  
Ed Edwards (Friend of Mark & Dallas Eppley)  
Merle Bair (Friend of Forrest Myers)  
Lia Furlas (Friend of Lynne Neibert)  
Julie (Niece of Lynda Farner)  
Deborah Durnin (Sister of Carlotta Strohl)  
Jackie Heimbach (Mother of Karl Heimbach)  
Mark Britton  
Stephanie Acker (Friend of Lorraine Westby)  
Debbie King (Daughter of Lois King)  
Ruth Neubold (Sister of Jean Brackbill)  
Marge (Friend of Michael & Heather Sopp-Cleans our church)

## ***Welcome to Trindle Spring!***

*We are glad you're here to worship with us in person and online today!  
If you are new to Trindle Spring, we encourage you to email the church office and let us know you worshipped with us today!  
office@trindlespringlutheran.org.*

*If you have any questions or pastoral needs, please contact Pastor Aaron Erdley at pastoraaron@trindlespringlutheran.org.*

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### **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**TODAY'S ALTAR FLOWERS SPONSORED** - To the Glory of God.

**TODAY'S BASKET FLOWERS SPONSORED** - To the Glory of God and in celebration of the marriage of Alison Liebel to Shane Byard on Dec. 11, 2021, by Paula Duffie.

**ROSEBUD ON THE ALTAR SPONSORED** - To the Glory of God and in celebration of the birth of Beckett Wilder Jesse, son of Rachael Boone Jesse and Brian Jesse. Beckett was born Dec. 18. Proud grandparents are Diane & Stephen Boone.

**TODAY'S BULLETIN SPONSORED** - To the Glory of God and in memory of my loving parents, Kay & Harry Miller, by Patti Peterson.

**INSTALLATION OF CHURCH COUNCIL MEMBERS FOR 2022 TODAY** - In both services.

**THE SHAWL MINISTRY** - Meets monthly on the second Sunday of the month at 3:00 p.m. in the Lounge. Contact Lynne Neibert for more information.

**CHURCH COUNCIL MEETS** - This Tuesday evening at 7:00 p.m.

**MONTHLY MEN'S BREAKFAST FEBRUARY 12, 2022** - At Middlesex Diner in Carlisle, 7:30 a.m. Contact Steve Vogelsong for more information. See the sign-up sheet on the bulletin board by the church office.

**BELL CHOIR** - There is no Bell Choir rehearsal in the month of January.

**SECOND SATURDAY COMMUNITY MEAL - FEBRUARY 12, 2022, 4-6pm.**

**Menu:** Chicken and Beef Pot Pie (Pa Dutch Style) Pepper Cabbage, Peas, Diced Pears w/ Cherry Garnish, Assorted Rolls/Muffins, Assorted Hot & Cold Beverages, Assorted Desserts

**QUILTERS MEET** - Weekly on Thursday's at 9:00 a.m. in the Ed. Wing.

**FELLOWSHIP COMMITTEE - SAVE-THE DATES**

- ***HERSHEY BEARS HOCKEY GAME JANUARY 29TH, DEADLINE TO SIGN UP IS TODAY– SEE DEBY LEFIN, GIVE YOUR PAYMENT TO LEE YOHN.***
- ***SIGHT & SOUND FRIDAY, APRIL 29TH, DEADLINE TO SIGN UP IS TODAY – SEE DEBY LEFIN, GIVE YOUR PAYMENT TO LEE YOHN.***
- February 18-20- Family Retreat at Nawakwa (See information below.)

**CHURCH FAMILY RETREAT AT CAMP NAWAKWA FEBRUARY 18-20, 2022**

**DETAILS:** - Sign up now at <http://bit.ly/TSLCretreat>

1. Children under the age of 18 must be accompanied by an adult.

(Exceptions may be considered on an individual basis.

Contact Charlie Bender for individual needs - [CharlieB1414@gmail.com](mailto:CharlieB1414@gmail.com))

2. Transportation is available for those who cannot or do not want to drive up to the retreat center

3. Registration is due on or before January 30, 2022

4. Payment due on or before the weekend of the Retreat

5. On-line payment can be made on the [TrindleSpringLutheran.org](http://TrindleSpringLutheran.org) website under "Giving" or place your payment in the Retreat mailbox.

6. Medical forms (to be provided to those that register) are due when you arrive at the retreat.

7. Check-In: Friday, February 18, 2022 - 6:30 to 7:45 PM

Package Rates:

\$75 per adult - includes food, 2 nights of lodging, and retreat program

Early registration: \$65

Youth 18 years old and under - FREE

Saturday Only: \$45 per adult

**SENIORS LUNCHEON** - January 17th at 11:30 a.m. at T.J. Rockwell's.

**ZUMBA** - Mondays at 6:00 p.m. and Wednesday's at 10:00 a.m.

**NEW HOPE FOOD MINISTRIES WISH LIST** - Canned meats and peanut butter, canned veggies and fruit, personal care items. See website for up to date lists by Center! [www.nhm-pa.org](http://www.nhm-pa.org)

**MEALS & TRANSPORTATION** - This is a valuable ministry of Trindle Spring! We can always use more drivers (taking a member to the doctor, giving them a ride to church, etc.) and meal makers. Please contact Diane Boone, [proudmama823@comcast.net](mailto:proudmama823@comcast.net)

**COORDINATORS FOR** - Acolytes: Jan Ingraham, Communion: Bonnie Distad, Worship Readers: Barb Kline, Ushers-Myra Badorf (8am) - Stephen Vogelsong (10:30) Altar Guild: Joanna McIntyre

**FEBRUARY NEWSLETTER ARTICLE** - Deadline is Monday, January 17th.

**OUR CHURCH HAS TWO PRAYER GROUPS** - One list is included each Sunday in the Prayer of the Church and listed in the Sunday bulletin. Pastor Aaron and Cheryl Guinther (Parish Administrator) organize and update that prayer list. Another prayer group is the Prayer Partners. This is an email-oriented chain that encourages the committee members to pray for the needs or joys of other church members or friends/relatives. If you would like to become a member of the Prayer Partners, please inform Linda Yohn ([llgby@comcast.net](mailto:llgby@comcast.net) or 717 766-7844). If you ever want to share a concern or happy event, please contact Linda at the same contact information. The power of prayer is amazing! Prayer divides our sorrows/ concerns and multiplies our joys.

**LOOKING AHEAD- EASTER EGG AND CHOCOLATE COVERED PRETZEL MAKING TIME IS COMING!**





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## SERVING YOU THIS MORNING IN WORSHIP

	<b>8:00 a.m.</b>	<b>10:30 a.m.</b>
Acolytes:	TBA	Owen Reed TBA
Worship Readers:	Bonnie Hersh	Trisha Reed
Communion:	Mark Eppley (wine) Marty Baim (cups) Bonnie Baim	Cindy Duck (wine) Bill Book (cups) Janice Book
Ushers:	Forrest Cleaver Mark Eppley	Steve Vogelsong Evelyn Vogelsong Kenny Boyer Chuck Sterling
Sound Booth:	N/A	Bobby Phillips

Altar Guild: Robin Garlick\*, Erica Reinfeld, Linda Stailey, & Paula Duffie  
Team Leader\*

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