

# Baptism of Our Lord

We gather to celebrate and proclaim the death and resurrection of Jesus Christ.

 $\mathbf{P}$  = Pastor **L** = Leader

### **Gathering Song**

"All Who Are Thirsty"

All who are weak Come to the fountain Dip your heart in the stream of life Let the pain and the sorrow Be washed away In the waves of His mercy As deep cries out to deep (we sing) Come, Lord Jesus, come (4x)

#### **Welcome and Announcements**

Please stand.

#### Invocation

- **⚠** In the name of the Father, and of the + Son, and of the Holy Spirit.
- C Amen.





#### **Confession and Forgiveness**

- Let us come into the light of Christ, confessing our need for God's mercy. Silence for reflection.
- A Most merciful God,
- I confess to you all my sins, with which I have offended you. I repent and pray for your boundless mercy. For the sake of the suffering and death of your Son, Jesus Christ, be merciful to me, a poor sinful being; forgive my sins, give me your Holy Spirit, and bring me to life everlasting.
- A By the mercy of Almighty God, Jesus Christ was given to die for us and, for his sake, God forgives us all our sins. Through his Holy Spirit he cleanses us, frees us from sin and death, and calls us out of darkness into the splendor of his light. As a called and ordained minister of the Church of Christ and by his authority, I therefore declare to you the entire forgiveness of all your sins, in the name of the Father, and of the + Son, and of the Holy Spirit.
- C Amen.

#### **Prayer of the Day**

P Let us pray. Holy God, creator of light and giver of goodness, your voice moves over the waters. Immerse us in your grace, and transform us by your Spirit, that we may hear your promise and follow after your Son, 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.

First Reading: Out of chaos, God brings order. Out of the formless void, God brings light. This familiar story was good news for the Israelites, who experienced much chaos in their history. It remains good news for us. God created and continues to create new life.

**First Reading** Genesis 1:1-5

OT page 1, pew Bible

- L Word of God, Word of Life.
- Thanks be to God.

**Psalm 29** (read responsively)

Ascribe to the Lord, you gods, ascribe to the Lord glory and strength.

Ascribe to the Lord the glory due God's name;

worship the Lord in the beauty of holiness.

The voice of the Lord is upon the waters; the God of glory thunders; the Lord is upon the mighty waters.

The voice of the Lord is a powerful voice;

the voice of the Lord is a voice of splendor.

The voice of the Lord breaks the cedar trees;

the Lord breaks the cedars of Lebanon;

the Lord makes Lebanon skip like a calf,

and Mount Hermon like a young wild ox.

The voice of the Lord

bursts forth in lightning flashes.

The voice of the Lord shakes the wilderness;

the Lord shakes the wilderness of Kadesh.

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!"

The Lord sits enthroned above the flood:

the Lord sits enthroned as king forevermore.

O Lord, give strength to your people; give them, O Lord, the blessings of peace.

#### **Second Reading** Acts 19:1-7

NT page 132, pew Bible

- L Word of God, Word of Life.
- Thanks be to God.

#### Children's Message

Pastor Tom Stadem

Please stand.

Second Reading: In Ephesus, Paul encounters people who had received John's baptism of repentance but had never heard of the Holy Spirit or of baptism in the name of Jesus. After Paul baptizes them, the Holy Spirit comes upon them and empowers them with gifts of the Spirit.





#### **Gospel Announcement**

- The Holy Gospel, according to St. Mark, the first chapter.
- Glory to you, O Lord. C

Gospel Mark 1:4-11 + NT page 32, pew Bible

The Gospel of the Lord.

Praise to you, O Christ. C

Please be seated.

Sermon Pastor Tom Stadem

Silence for reflection.

Please stand.

Hymn of the Day 304

"Christ, When for Us You Were Baptized" LOBT GOTT, IHR CHRISTEN

#### **Apostles' Creed**

- With the whole church, let us 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.

Please be seated.

### **Prayers of the Church**

A Called together through water and the Word, we boldly pray for the church, the world, and all who long to hear God's voice.

Following each petition:

- Lord, in your mercy,
- **©** hear our prayer.

The prayers conclude:

- ⚠ We place our prayers before you, God, united in your Spirit; through your beloved Son, Jesus Christ our Lord.
- C Amen.

Please stand.

## **Sharing of the Peace**

- The peace of the Lord be with you always.
- **And also with you.**

Please be seated.



Please stand.

#### **Words of Institution**

#### The Lord's Prayer

- Gathered into one by the Holy Spirit, let us pray as Jesus taught us.
- 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.

- **A** Come to the table prepared for us all.
- Let us taste of God's goodness and mercy.

# **Communion**

Hymn 445

"Wash, O God, Our Sons and Daughters"

BEACH SPRING



Please stand.

#### Blessina

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

Communion: All who are baptized and trust Christ's word are welcome to the table of this holy supper, where our Lord is truly present, offering his gifts of forgiveness and eternal life. Please come forward at the ushers' direction. Grape juice and gluten-free wafers are available.

#### **Prayer after Communion**

- A Let us pray. O Morning Star, fair and bright, you have refreshed us again with your Word of new life. You are our dearest treasure. God with us now—today, tomorrow, every day—that we might walk in your promise and light, now and forever.
- C Amen.

#### **Benediction**

- The Lord bless you and keep you. The Lord's face shine on you with grace and mercy. The Lord look upon you with favor and give you peace. In the name of the Father, and of the + Son, and of the Holy Spirit.
- C Amen.



#### **Dismissal**

- Go in peace. Share the good news!
- Thanks be to God!

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