



**ORDER OF WORSHIP FOR  
THE BAPTISM OF OUR LORD**

**JANUARY 11, 2009**

**DIVINE SERVICE  
SETTING THREE LSB**

**MARK YOUR CALENDARS NOW  
FOR THE FOLLOWING UPCOMING EVENTS**

**JANUARY 18,** - Inquirers Class Begins 7:00 PM

**JANUARY 23 ,** - Redeemer's Annual Style Show 12:00 Noon

**JANUARY 25,** - **Annual Voters & Calling of a Pastor** Town Hall Meeting with **Pot-Luck Lunch** after late service.

**JANUARY 30 & 31,** - Thrivent Annual Yard Sale

**FEBRUARY 8,** - **Associate Membership Sunday**

**FEBRUARY 11,** - "Dancing with the Star" 7:00PM

**FEBRUARY 20,** - Youth Spaghetti Supper 5:00 – 7:00 PM

**FEBRUARY 25,** - **ASH WEDNESDAY SERVICE AT 4:30 & 7:00 PM** with Chili Supper between Services.

**FEBRUARY 28,** - **Crop Walk 8:30 AM**

**Redeemer Lutheran Church & Child Care**

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**WORSHIP SERVICES: 8:00 AM and 10:30 AM**

**SUNDAY SCHOOL 9:15 AM**

**ADULT BIBLE CLASS: 9:15 AM**

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Prelude

Call to Worship Bells

Greeting and Announcements

Opening Hymn: The The Only Son from Heaven

LSB 402

Confession and Absolution

Stand

*The sign of the cross may be made by all in remembrance of their Baptism.*

**P** In the name of the Father and of the **T** Son and of the Holy Spirit.  
**C** Amen.

**P** Beloved in the Lord! Let us draw near with a true heart and confess our sins unto God our Father, beseeching Him in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ to grant us forgiveness.

**P** Our help is in the name of the Lord,  
**C** **who made heaven and earth.**

**P** I said, I will confess my transgressions unto the Lord,  
**C** **and You forgave the iniquity of my sin.**

*Silence for reflection on God's Word and for self-examination.*

**P** O almighty God, merciful Father,  
**C** **I, a poor, miserable sinner, confess unto You all my sins and iniquities with which I have ever offended You and justly deserved Your temporal and eternal punishment. But I am heartily sorry for them and sincerely repent of them, and I pray You of Your boundless mercy and for the sake of the holy, innocent, bitter sufferings and death of Your beloved Son, Jesus Christ, to be gracious and merciful to me, a poor, sinful being.**

**P** Upon this your confession, I, by virtue of my office, as a called and ordained servant of the Word, announce the grace of God unto all of you, and in the stead and by the command of my Lord Jesus Christ I forgive you all your sins in the name of the Father and of the **T** Son and of the Holy Spirit.

**C** Amen.

**JOIN US FOR SUNDAY SCHOOL AT 9:15** - The Baptism and temptation of Jesus serve as the lesson focus for Sunday School this week. Jesus is baptized into and takes on our sin, and faces our temptations so we, in Baptism, would receive His goodness, His holiness, and His purity. *Parents could ask, "Why is it important that Jesus was baptized? Why is it important that we are baptized?"*

**SCRIP** January orders will be taken **TODAY, January 11**, in the church narthex and returned Sunday, January 18.

**LADIES QUILTING GROUP** will begin Monday Jan. 12th at 9 AM in the Fellowship Hall.

**PASTOR'S INQUIRERS CLASS** will begin **January 18, 2008, 7:00 PM in the Fellowship Hall.**

**PLEASE NOTE:** Due to Pastor Schmidt's travels, there will be **no** Tuesday morning Bible class until Jan 20.

**LADIES GUILD STYLE SHOW AND LUNCHEON:** The annual style show and luncheon will be **Friday, January 23 at noon**. Fashions are from Bealls. Chicken salad and all the fixings will be served. The donation is **\$12.00**. Ellie Ratzlaff will have tickets in the Narthex on Sundays. Church Secretary, Pat Wilcoxon will also have them in the church office. The proceeds are for our annual Love Gifts and church mission projects. Please invite your friends and fill a table. Thank You. Ruth Speer and Sybil Grahl.

**ANNUAL VOTERS MEETING AND CALLING OF A PASTOR** will be held **January 25<sup>th</sup> after the late service in the Fellowship Hall**. There will be a **Pot-Luck Lunch** (so bring your favorite dish to share)

**ASSOCIATE MEMBERSHIP:** Anyone interested in becoming an associate member please contact the church office. **On Feb 8**, those interested will be received into associate membership in our worship service.

**You May Join as Associate Members (Winter Visitors)**

Associate members are Lutheran people who are one with us in faith and share in the fellowship of the congregation but for good reason have not joined in other membership. Such members usually spend only a part of the year here and are regular members of another Lutheran Congregation. If you have questions concerning this please contact the office or the Pastor.

**HELP!!** I will be having another garage sale this weekend, January 17, from 9 AM to 3 PM. I would appreciate any help. Again, I will feed you breakfast and lunch. Please call Michelle Ferrier at 697-0502.

**2008 OFFERING STATEMENTS** are ready. They are on the table in the Narthex with the 2009 Offering Envelopes. Finance Secretary, Karen Kirkland.

Coffee Hour: Gudrun Janke and Diana Collins  
Organist: Doris Dykhuizen

**CHURCH SCHEDULE FOR JAN. 12<sup>TH</sup> THRU JAN. 18<sup>TH</sup>**

**MONDAY:** 7:00 AM Mens Breakfast  
9:00 AM Quilting Group Starts  
10:00 AM Human Care  
3:30 PM Child Care Chapel  
5:30 PM Weight Watchers  
7:00 PM Council Meeting

**TUESDAY:** 7:00 PM AA Meeting

**WEDNESDAY:** 7:00 PM Choir

**THURSDAY:** 10:00 AM Womens Bible Study  
10:00 AM Senior Fellowship  
4:00-5:30 PM Confirmation Class  
5:30 PM Youth Group  
6:30 PM Stephen Ministers Supervision

**SUNDAY:** 8:00 AM & 10:30 AM Worship Service with Communion  
9:15 AM Sunday School and Adult Bible Study

**ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**PASTOR APOLOGIZES:** I sincerely and publicly apologize to Elder Don Plesner for any embarrassment due to my omitting him when I read the list of names of people to be installed into various Church offices. This was not intentional and I am very sorry. Sincerely, Pr. Thomason

**SPECIAL EVENT COMING TODAY,** Lutheran Bible Translators, Rev. Dr. Vernon Schindler, Senior Pastor of Zion Lutheran Church in Sioux Falls, South Dakota, will speak briefly at both services and in detail at the 9:15 am Bible Study Hour.

**DID YOU KNOW?** It is a good custom on Festival days such as Easter, Christmas, Epiphany, etc. for the Pastor to process up to the altar, led by a Crucifer carrying the cross, and to process to the middle of the main aisle to read the Gospel. At such times, church etiquette is that **all stand and turn to face the cross until it passes.**

Introit : Sung in unison

*Ps. 2:7-11, 12c; antiphon: Is. 42:1a*



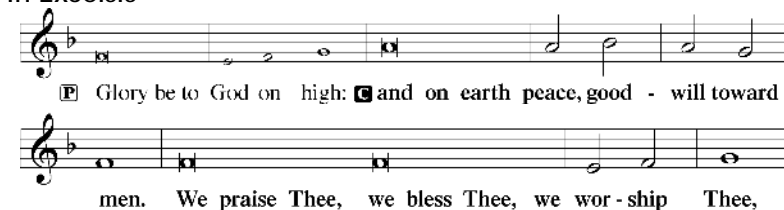
Behold my servant, whom | I uphold,\*  
my chosen, in whom my | soul delights.  
I will tell of | the decree.\*  
The LORD said to me, "You are my Son; today I have be- | gotten you.  
Ask of me, and I will make the nations your | heritage,\*  
and the ends of the earth your pos- | session.  
You shall break them with a | rod of iron\*  
and dash them in pieces like a potter's | vessel."  
Now therefore, O | kings, be wise;\*  
be warned, O rulers | of the earth.  
Serve the | LORD with fear,\*  
and rejoice with | trembling,  
for his wrath is quickly | kindled.\*  
Blessèd are all who take ref- | uge in him.  
**Glory be to the Father and | to the Son\***  
**and to the Holy | Spirit;**  
**as it was in the be- | ginning,\***  
**is now, and will be forever. | Amen.**  
Behold my servant, whom | I uphold,\*  
my chosen, in whom my | soul delights.

Kyrie



Gloria in Excelsis

*Luke 2:14; John 1:29*



we glorify Thee, we give thanks to Thee, for Thy great glory.

O Lord God, heav'n-ly King, God the Fa-ther Al - mighty.

O Lord, the only begotten Son, Je - sus Christ;

O Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father,

that takest away the sin of the world, have mercy up - on us.

Thou that takest away the sin of the world, re - ceive our prayer.

Thou that sittest at the right hand of God the Father, have mercy up -

on us. For Thou only art holy; Thou on - ly art the Lord.

Thou only, O Christ, with the Ho - ly Ghost,

art most high in the glory of God the Father. A - men.

Salutation and Collect of the Day

☩ The Lord be with you.

☩ And with thy spir - it.

**WELCOME!** It is our pleasure to worship with you this morning here in God's house. It is our sincere desire that the Holy Spirit will deepen the faith of each one of us through God's holy Word. **We ask *All members and visitors* to please PRINT their name; local address and phone number in our *Record of Fellowship* book in the pew, please be sure to introduce yourself to our Pastor as you leave the Sanctuary.**

**A QUIET REMINDER** – Worshipers are reminded that the “**quiet times**”...during the pre-service Prelude and the Offering ...are intended for personal meditation and prayer. **Please keep conversation to a minimum.** You are encouraged to make use of our beautiful Narthex for visiting. Thank you.

**PRAY FOR**

**SHUT-INS:** Ilse Berner, Herb Bohm, Gloria Carlson, Evelyn Etheridge, Marie Gill, Earl Gossett, Ruth Jansch, Clara & Walter Mitchell, and Ruth Sutley.

**HEALING: Members:** Laura Brooks, Ginny Doenges, Cecil Grahl, Bob & Joan Johnson, Charles Keller, Lessie Kirch, Cliff Larsen, Leona Morrison, Jaye Nistendirk, Carolyn Plesner, Morris Rieck, Sharron Schultz, and Edda Specht

**Friends & Relatives:** Phil Alcantara, Elaine Baron, Ella Boegeman, Georgia Bush, Kay Cypher, Dorothy Doenges, Hal, Debbie Harrison, Rachel Kagay, Howard Kagay, Jeremy Krienke, Rev. Howie Krienke, Estella Lewis, John Lichty, Marie Liebl, Ann McCullough, Kaye Ann Nagel, Judy Nagel, Sherrie Rhoades, Audrey Slusher, Nancy Sly, Michael Stio, Marion Talley, Katie Taseff, Polly Tice, Phyllis Tucker, Kathy Walsh, Helen Weishaar, and Virgil Weldy.

**Military Personnel:** Daniel Anderson, Adam Buchner, Eric Byrne, Kevin Copeman, Christopher Dutch, Stephen Geib, Brian Hollis, Nathan Hudson, Brian Jackson, Joshua Jones, Jeremy Twombly, Matthew Walenta, and Charles Weishaar.

**SERVING IN THE LORD'S HOUSE TODAY:**

**8:00 Elder on Duty: Ray Janssen**

Reader: Ray Janssen  
 Ushers: Tom and Anne Elphick, Jerold Schreiner and Glenn Mossner  
 Greeters: Carol and Ed Sheahan

**10:30 Elder on Duty: Tim Byrne**

Reader: Tim Byrne  
 Acolyte: Felicity Simpson  
 Ushers: Vern Speer, Henry Kruger  
 Greeters: Barbara Duff and Peggy Blain

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.

Salutation, Benedicamus and Benediction

The Lord be with you.

And with thy spir - it.

Bless we the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

The Lord bless you and keep you. The Lord make

His face shine upon you and be gra - cious un - to you.

The Lord lift up His countenance upon you and give you peace.

A-men, a-men, a - men.

Closing Hymn: Beautiful Savior

LSB 537

**P** Let us pray the collect together.

**C** Father in heaven, at the Baptism of Jesus in the Jordan River You proclaimed Him Your beloved Son and anointed Him with the Holy Spirit. Make all who are baptized in His name faithful in their calling as Your children and inheritors with Him of everlasting life; through the same Jesus Christ, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

**C** Amen.

Sit

Feeding of the Lambs - "Helpless" Mark 1: 4-11

Old Testament Reading **Genesis 1:1-5**

In the beginning, God created the heavens and the earth. The earth was without form and void, and darkness was over the face of the deep. And the Spirit of God was hovering over the face of the waters.

And God said, "Let there be light," and there was light. And God saw that the light was good. And God separated the light from the darkness. God called the light Day, and the darkness he called Night. And there was evening and there was morning, the first day.

**A** This is the Word of the Lord.

**C** Thanks be to God.

Epistle **Romans 6:1-11**

What shall we say then? Are we to continue in sin that grace may abound? By no means! How can we who died to sin still live in it? Do you not know that all of us who have been baptized into Christ Jesus were baptized into his death? We were buried therefore with him by baptism into death, in order that, just as Christ was raised from the dead by the glory of the Father, we too might walk in newness of life.

For if we have been united with him in a death like his, we shall certainly be united with him in a resurrection like his. We know that our old self was crucified with him in order that the body of sin might be brought to nothing, so that we would no longer be enslaved to sin. For one who has died has been set free from sin. Now if we have died with Christ, we believe that we will also live with him. We know that Christ being raised from the dead will never die again; death no longer has dominion over him. For the death he died he died to sin, once for all, but the life he lives he lives to God. So you also must consider yourselves dead to sin and alive to God in Christ Jesus.

**A** This is the Word of the Lord.

**C** Thanks be to God.

Stand

Alleluia and Verse

Al-le - lu - ia. Al-le - lu - ia. Al-le - lu - ia.

Holy Gospel **Mark 1:4-11**

**P** The Holy Gospel according to St. Mark, the 1<sup>st</sup> chapter.

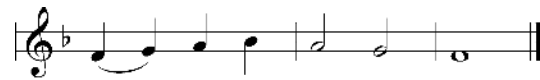


**G** Glo - ry be to Thee, O Lord.

John appeared, baptizing in the wilderness and proclaiming a baptism of repentance for the forgiveness of sins. And all the country of Judea and all Jerusalem were going out to him and were being baptized by him in the river Jordan, confessing their sins. Now John was clothed with camel's hair and wore a leather belt around his waist and ate locusts and wild honey. And he preached, saying, "After me comes he who is mightier than I, the strap of whose sandals I am not worthy to stoop down and untie. I have baptized you with water, but he will baptize you with the Holy Spirit."

In those days Jesus came from Nazareth of Galilee and was baptized by John in the Jordan. And when he came up out of the water, immediately he saw the heavens opening and the Spirit descending on him like a dove. And a voice came from heaven, "You are my beloved Son; with you I am well pleased."

**P** This is the Gospel of the Lord.



**G** Praise be to Thee, O Christ.

Apostles' Creed

**C** I believe in God, the Father Almighty,  
maker of heaven and earth.

And in Jesus Christ, His 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 into hell.

The third day He rose again from the dead.

He ascended into heaven

and sits at the right hand of God the Father Almighty.

From thence He will come to judge the living and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit,

the holy Christian Church,

the communion of saints,

the forgiveness of sins,

the resurrection of the body,

and the life everlasting. Amen.

Sit

Sermon Hymn: All Christians Who Have Been Baptized

LSB 596

Sermon - "Jesus Came" Mark 1:4-11

**P** The peace of God, which passes all understanding, keep your hearts and minds in Christ Jesus.

**C** Amen.

Stand

Offertory



**G** Cre - ate in me a clean heart, O God, and re -



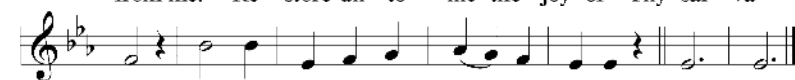
new a right spir - it with - in me. Cast me not a -



way from Thy pres - ence, and take not Thy Ho - ly Spir - it



from me. Re - store un - to me the joy of Thy sal - va -



tion, and up - hold me with Thy free spir - it. A - men.

Sit

Gathering of our Tithes and Offerings: Choir: "Arise, O God, and Shine "

Stand

Prayers: Congregation responds with "hear our prayer" (If you are unable to stand for the prayers please feel free to sit)

Lord's Prayer

**P** Lord, remember us in Your kingdom and teach us to pray:

**C** Our Father who art in heaven,

hallowed be Thy name,

Thy kingdom come,

Thy will be done on earth

as it is in heaven;