

Baptism of Our Lord

January 9th, 2022

Opening Hymn: Songs of Thankfulness and Praise

LSB 394, sts. 1–3, 5

Divine Service Setting 1

LSB 151

Invocation

Confession & Absolution

Introit

Psalm 2:7–11, 12c; antiphon: Isaiah 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

LSB 152

Gloria in Excelsis

LSB 154

Salutation and Collect of the Day

P The Lord be with you.



C And al - so with you.

P Let us pray.
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.



Old Testament Reading

Isaiah 43:1–7

¹But now thus says the LORD,
he who created you, O Jacob,
he who formed you, O Israel:
“Fear not, for I have redeemed you;
I have called you by name, you are mine.
²When 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.
³For I am the LORD your God,
the Holy One of Israel, your Savior.
I give Egypt as your ransom,
Cush and Seba in exchange for you.
⁴Because you are precious in my eyes,
and honored, and I love you,
I give men in return for you,
peoples in exchange for your life.
⁵Fear not, for I am with you;
I will bring your offspring from the east,
and from the west I will gather you.
⁶I will say to the north, Give up,
and to the south, Do not withhold;
bring my sons from afar
and my daughters from the end of the earth,
⁷everyone who is called by my name,
whom I created for my glory,
whom I formed and made.”

A This is the Word of the Lord.
G Thanks be to God.

Epistle

Romans 6:1–11

¹What shall we say then? Are we to continue in sin that grace may abound? ²By no means! How can we who died to sin still live in it? ³Do you not know that all of us who have been baptized into Christ Jesus were baptized into his death? ⁴We 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.
⁵For if we have been united with him in a death like his, we shall certainly be united with him in a resurrection like his. ⁶We 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. ⁷For one who has died has been set free from sin. ⁸Now if we have died with Christ, we believe that we will also live with him. ⁹We know that Christ being raised from the dead will never die again; death no longer has dominion over him. ¹⁰For the death he died he died to sin, once for all, but the life he lives he lives to God. ¹¹So you also must consider yourselves dead to sin and alive to God in Christ Jesus.

A This is the Word of the Lord.
G Thanks be to God.

Alleluia and Verse

LSB 156

Holy Gospel


Luke 3:15–22

P The Holy Gospel according to St. Luke, the third chapter.

G Glo - ry to You, O Lord.

¹⁵As the people were in expectation, and all were questioning in their hearts concerning John, whether he might be the Christ, ¹⁶John answered them all, saying, “I baptize you with water, but he who is mightier than I is coming, the strap of whose sandals I am not worthy to untie. He will baptize you with the Holy Spirit and with fire. ¹⁷His winnowing fork is in his hand, to clear his threshing floor and to gather the wheat into his barn, but the chaff he will burn with unquenchable fire.”
¹⁸So with many other exhortations he preached good news to the people. ¹⁹But Herod the tetrarch, who had been reproved by him for Herodias, his brother’s wife, and for all the evil things that Herod had done, ²⁰added this to them all, that he locked up John in prison.
²¹Now when all the people were baptized, and when Jesus also had been baptized and was praying, the heavens were opened, ²²and the Holy Spirit descended on him in bodily form, 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.




C Praise to You, O Christ.

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JANUARY 9th, 2022 – BAPTISM OF OUR LORD

The Triune God Opens Heaven to You in Holy Baptism
The Baptism of our Lord is an “Epiphany” of the one true God in the flesh and blood of Jesus Christ. In divine mercy, He takes His place with sinners and takes their sin upon Himself. “*When all the people were baptized,*” Jesus submitted Himself to a Baptism of repentance for the forgiveness of sins (Luke 3:21). He had no sins of His own, but He took the sins of the world upon Himself and so was baptized into His own death. Therefore, “*when you pass through the waters,*” He is with you (Is. 43:2). He created you for His glory, and He has redeemed you with His blood, that you may be His own and live with Him in His kingdom (Is. 43:1, 7). As you are baptized with a Baptism like His, so also are you united with Him in His death and resurrection that you “*might walk in newness of life*” (Rom. 6:4). For all who are baptized into Christ Jesus receive His anointing of the Holy Spirit and are named by His Father as beloved and well-pleasing sons and daughters.

 **WE WELCOME ALL** who worship today, especially guests and visitors, in the name of Jesus Christ our Lord. Guests are invited to sign our guest register. Please include your phone number and address in the guest book located in the Narthex. Thank you for visiting.

ALTAR FLOWERS: Today’s altar flowers are provided by the Floral Fund.

<u>IN RESPONSE TO GOD’S LOVE:</u>		<u>Attendance</u>	<u>Contributions</u>
1/2/22	Sunday Service	56	\$2,855.00
1/2/22	Sunday School	10	
	Adult Bible Class	19	
	Teachers	6	

THE LUTHERAN HOUR: Did you know that we sponsor *The Lutheran Hour* locally? As you are getting ready for church or if you are unable to attend worship, consider tuning in to The Lutheran Hour. It can be found on KRLN 1400AM at 8:00am Sunday mornings.



MISSIONARIES: Also remember JP and Aimee Cima, the missionaries that our congregation have adopted, asking God to protect them and use them to spread His gospel.

CONGREGATIONAL SHUT-INS: Orgene Reimers, Petie Larson and Edie Cook.

CONGREGATIONAL SERVICE MEMBERS: Ryan Lehmpuhl

NEED A RIDE TO CHURCH? If you or another member who you know needs transportation to church on Sundays, please call Jan Wilman at 719-947-2057.



SITTING AND STANDING IN CHURCH: It is customary to stand during the worship service when we address God directly (*Confession, Prayers, etc.*) or out of respect (*Gospel Reading, Creed, etc.*). These actions have purpose and meaning; but they are not meant to be painful or difficult. In contrast, Psalm 51:17 says, "The sacrifices of God are a broken spirit; a broken spirit; a broken and contrite heart, O God, you will not despise." If at any time during the service, it is too difficult or painful to stand, please remain seated. Our Lord knows your heart.

SPECIAL PRAYERS: Please call Pastor prior to the Sunday service for special prayers.

PLEASE PRAY FOR: *Sick and/or Recovering:*

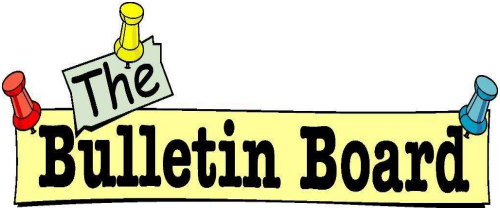
Louie Blacksmith (Susan Smiley's brother)	Donna Heldt
Marv Bradley (Linda Beermann's friend)	Gary Hashman -- (Toni Davidson's brother-in-law)
Joan Findlay (Angela Bellantoni's mother)	Doug Lampson (Tricia Kletke's Brother)
Brian Saprano (Poehlein's son-in-law)	Marion Colea (friend of Carol Skoda)
	Lorna Wright (Doris's sister)
	Lily Henke (Doris's sister)

PRAYER CHAIN: If you have a prayer concern and would like to send it through a prayer chain, we have 2 options.

- To send the prayer through a phone prayer chain, please contact Mary Richardson at 719-269-1426.
- To send the prayer via email, please contact Carolyn Westlund at her email address 1956cew@gmail.com.

If you would like to join either prayer chain, please contact Mary or Carolyn (1956cew@gmail.com) respectively.

If you would like a Christian greeting card from St. John sent to your loved one listed on the above prayer list, please contact Mary Richardson with the address where it should be sent.



COVID: Due to the current increase in COVID cases, we invite you to wear a mask and sit six feet from another person if that would be more comfortable for you. It is **YOUR** personal preference.

2022 FLOWER CHART is now posted next to the mailboxes. If you would like to donate flowers for the altar on a certain Sunday, please put your name on the flower chart so the date can be reserved for you. You may also want to include a note stating the occasion, such as "in memory of..." or "in celebration of..." A note will then be included in the bulletin. The price of two floral arrangements is \$45. If you would like to share the arrangements with someone else, the cost will be cut in half--\$22.50 each. Questions may be addressed to Mary Richardson in person or you may call her at 269-1426.

FELLOWSHIP SIGN-UP SHEET: There is a new sign-up sheet for fellowship serving in 2022. Please look it over and seriously consider which Sundays would work for you to serve and cleanup after fellowship time. If you have any questions, see Carol Skoda or Sue Poehlein. Thank you.

NEXT WEEK'S SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON IS ENTITLED: "Fishers Follow" - Jesus Calls Disciples

Spotting some fishing boats by the shore of Galilee, Jesus turns Simon Peter's boat into a floating pulpit. He preaches from the boat and then commands the disciples to put out to fish. Although they had fished all night without a catch, now they find their nets full to bursting. Recognizing his sinfulness, Peter falls down in front of his Savior and Lord, who calls him to a new kind of fishing. Ask, "How does God help us recognize our sinfulness? How does He rescue us from our sins?"

PORTALS OF PRAYER for January through March are now available in the Narthex. Please pick up a copy for yourself and an extra for a friend.

JANUARY BULLETINS will be done by **Sue Poehlein**. Please forward any information to the Church email bulletin@stjohncanoncity.org, or Sue's church mailbox. You may also call her at 719-458-1008. Information is due **by Wednesday afternoon as the bulletins are printed on Thursday mornings.**

THIS WEEK AT ST. JOHN – JANUARY 9-16 2022

Office Hours: Monday through Friday — 7:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.

Sunday, December 26 2021

9:00 a.m. Divine Worship w/Holy Communion

Reader: Curtis Eulert

Communion Assistants: Curtis Eulert & Doug Westund

10:00 a.m. Fellowship

10:30 a.m. Sunday School & Adult Bible Class

Sunday School Lesson: “Claimed & Tested - Jesus’ Baptism and Temptation”

11:30 a.m. Council Meeting

Monday, January 10, 2022

6:30 p.m. Confirmation

Tuesday, January 11, 2022

CIRCUIT PASTORS’ MEETING – OFFICE CLOSED

Wednesday, January 12, 2022

10:00 a.m. Bible Study

6:30 p.m. Bible Study

Thursday, January 13, 2022

7:00 a.m. Men’s Breakfast

9:00 a.m. Quilter

6:30 p.m. BOOKClub

Sunday, January 16, 2022

9:00 a.m. Divine Worship

10:00 a.m. Fellowship

10:30 a.m. Sunday School & Adult Bible Class

Sunday School Lesson: “Fishers Follow - Jesus Calls Disciples”

BIRTHDAYS & ANNIVERSARIES THIS WEEK:

*HAPPY
BIRTHDAY*

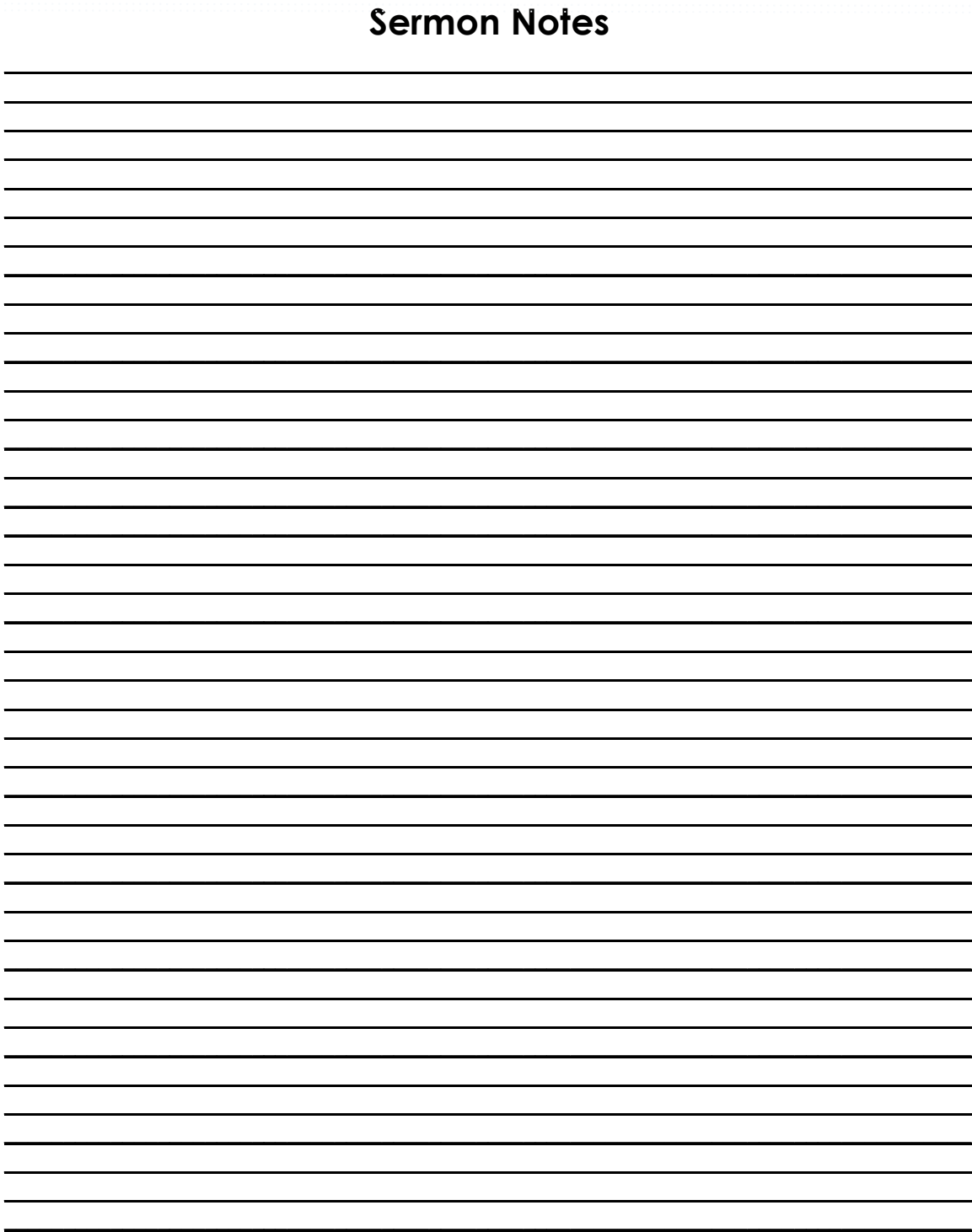
Ethan Urban - Monday 1/10

Nancy Mowers - Wednesday 1/12

Matilda Lange - Thursday, 1/13

*Happy Anniversary
To You Both*

Bill & Chris Pushchak - Wednesday, 1/12



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