

HOLY COMMUNION
WORDS OF INSTITUTION

THE LORD’S PRAYER

**Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name,
thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as in heaven.
Give us today 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.**

SONGS DURING COMMUNION:

“Holy, Holy, Holy”	ELW, #473
“Change My Heart, O God”	ELW, #801
“Here Is Bread”	ELW, #483
“In the Singing”	ELW, #466

POST COMMUNION BLESSING & PRAYER

BENEDICTION

CLOSING SONG: “Here I Am, Lord” ELW, #574

CORPORATE PRAYER:

“Into Your hands we commit our lives. Into Your hands we commit Your church.”

GO IN PEACE

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Worship Team for today:

Worship Leader: Jon Lohmer **Communion Presider:** Pastor Cindy Josephson

Pianist: Cindy Josephson **Hymnists:** Laina Kelley-Walker & Sheila Kelley

Reader: Jon Lohmer **Greeter:**

Usher: Marv & Ev Kelley **Communion Asst.:** &

Screen/Sound: Travis Kleven **Video FaceBook:** Ron Freund **YouTube:** Tom Lenahan

Sunday Worship Service



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Second Sunday After Epiphany

January 14, 2024

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Altar Flowers were given by Heidi Davison in celebration of the
17th birthday of her son Blake.



SUNDAY WORSHIP
January 14, 2024
9:30 A.M.

PRELUDE:		Cindy Josephson
GATHERING:	“Just a Closer Walk with Thee” “Lord, Be Glorified”	ELW, #697 ELW, #744
WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS		
CORPORATE PRAYER:	“Into Your hands we commit our lives. Into Your hands we commit Your church.”	
CONFESSION & FORGIVENESS		ELW, pp. 94–96
OPENING HYMN:	“What a Friend We Have in Jesus”	ELW, #742
GREETING		
KYRIE	“Have Mercy on Me” (v. 1 & refrain)	
PRAYER OF THE DAY		
SPECIAL MUSIC	“When We Walk With the Lord (Trust and Obey)”	Choir
1 ST READING:	1 Samuel 3:1–20	
PSALM:	Psalm 139:1–6, 13–18	
2 ND READING:	1 Corinthians 6:12–20	
GOSPEL ACCLAMATION:		ELW, p. 188
GOSPEL:	John 1:43–51	
SERMON		Kathy Harrison
HYMN:	“Jesus Calls Us; o’er the Tumult ”	ELW, #696
APOSTLES’ CREED		
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 into hell.*		
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 THE CHURCH

Ukraine and Israel, our prayers are with you

John & Casey Howshar

Delores Rasmussen & Dan Rasmussen

Eyes: Marvin Bohrer & Bonnie Frank

Pat Oakes – Robert McBride – Patti Schoenfeld – Mike Lemke – Linda Faciane (Joy’s aunt) – Susan Riley (Lorraine Chambers’ friend) – Ashlyn (daughter of friend Wade and Lynn Hampton) – Katherine (friend of Ron and Doris Freund) – Alicia Jerrup (friend of Mary Katherine Smith) – Cammy (Debbie Diedrich’s aunt) – Leisa Mortenson and Bryce Dunn – Bianca (cousin of Lorraine, Heidi, and Mary Sellinger) – Gary (Andrea Newport’s brother-in-law)

Ray & Cathy Maver-Johnson

Danny Cowan

Armonni Gonzalez (friend of Patty Garcia’s daughter)

Bob Zenn

Carol Kirkegaard

Al Ryberg, Sylvia Cowan’s brother

Linda Washington

Abbie Chambers (Lorraine Chambers’ daughter-in-law) and her shipmates on the USS Gerald Ford and their families

Dakota Wells, Pat French’s great granddaughter (respiratory health)

Bill, Debbie Deidrich’s father (recovery from abdominal aorta surgery)

Art Jones (surgery)

Lee Tapey (Deloris Delapp’s sister-on law, hospice)

Dan Dunn (health issues) (friend of Hamptons)

Kaylee (Ashlyn’s sister) (health issues) (friend of Hamptons)

Homebound members: Pat French – Wil Wertz – Jim Craig – Josh Carter

Thanksgiving for Families:

Samuel Robles

Rich Richmond

Kellie & Jacob Bohrer-Fetters, Oryn

OFFERING

OFFERTORY: “Take My Life, That I May Be ” (vs. 2 & 4) ELW, #583

Welcome!

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worship on this day and pray God's
blessing on our time together!*

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entrance to the worship space.
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Psalm 139:14

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	11:00 a.m.	Sunday School
	3:00 p.m.	Tongans
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Mon	6:00 p.m.	TOPS
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