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February 10<sup>th</sup>, 2019 at 9:30 am

Fifth Sunday after Epiphany

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# GOOD SHEPHERD LUTHERAN CHURCH

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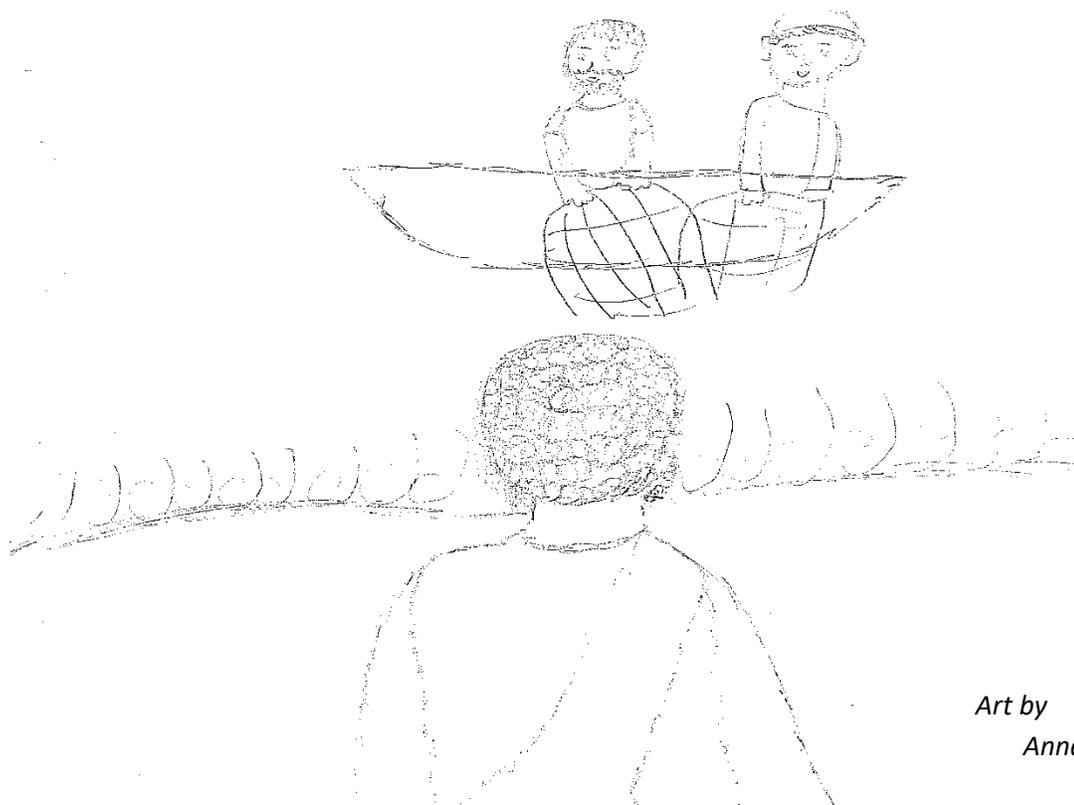
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*The fifth Sunday after Epiphany continues to highlight unlikely instruments and circumstances appointed to reveal the glory of the Lord. "Who will go for us?" queries the voice of the Lord. A man of unclean lips, a former persecutor of the church of God, and three fishermen who couldn't catch a thing. More surprising still, perhaps, is the fact that we are also called.*

## ***Welcome to worship at Good Shepherd Lutheran Church.***

**We would like everyone to fill out the Friendship Pad at the end of the pews and pass it along for all to fill out. Please also mark the names of all in the family who are receiving Communion. If you are visiting, please include your address and phone number.**

**Nursery:** Our nursery is located out the north entrance of the sanctuary.  
Please feel free to use the nursery anytime during the service.

We are delighted to have you.

## GATHERING

The Holy Spirit calls us together as the people of God.

## PRELUDE

*Time for reflection in silence*

Tena Rackow

## COMMUNITY CONCERNS &amp; CELEBRATION

## THANKSGIVING FOR BAPTISM

P: Blessed be the holy Trinity, † one God, the fountain of living water, the rock who gave us birth, our light and our salvation.

C: Amen.

P: Joined to Christ in the waters of baptism, we are clothed with God's mercy and forgiveness. Let us give thanks for the gift of baptism.

*Water may be poured into the font as the presiding minister gives thanks.*

P: We give you thanks, O God, for in the beginning your Spirit moved over the waters and by your Word you created the world, calling forth life in which you took delight. Through the waters of the flood you delivered Noah and his family. Through the sea you led your people Israel from slavery into freedom. At the river your Son was baptized by John and anointed with the Holy Spirit. By water and your Word you claim us as daughters and sons, making us heirs of your promise and servants of all. We praise you for the gift of water that sustains life, and above all we praise you for the gift of new life in Jesus Christ. Shower us with your Spirit, and renew our lives with your forgiveness, grace, and love. To you be given honor and praise through Jesus Christ our Lord in the unity of the Holy Spirit, now and forever. C: Amen

## GATHERING HYMN “HOLY HOLY HOLY, GOD ALMIGHTY!”

ELW#413

(verses 1 & 4)

1 Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly, Lord God Al - might - y!  
 2 Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly, All the saints a - dore thee,  
 3 Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly, Though the dark - ness hide thee,  
 4 Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly, Lord God Al - might - y!

Ear - ly in the morn - ing our song shall rise to thee.  
 east - ing down their gold - en crowns a - round the glass - y sea;  
 though the eye of sin - ful - ness thy glo - ry may not see,  
 All thy works shall praise thy name in earth and sky and sea.

Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly, mer - ci - ful and might - y!  
 cher - u - bim and ser - a - phim fall - ing down be - fore thee,  
 on - ly thou art ho - ly; there is none be - side thee,  
 Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly, mer - ci - ful and might - y!

God which in three per - sons, bless - ed Trin - i - ty!  
 per - feet in pow'r, and ev - er - more shalt be,  
 God in three per - sons, love and pu - ri - ty,  
 bless - ed Trin - i - ty!

**GREETING**

**P:** The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

**C:** And also with you.

**KYRIE**

**LORD, HAVE MERCY**

**ELW #155**

1, 3 Ky - ri - e e - lei - son. Ky - ri - e e - lei - son.  
 2 Chris - te e - lei - son. Chris - te e - lei - son.  
 1, 3 Lord, . . . have mer - cy. Lord, . . . . have mer - cy.  
 2 Christ, . . . have mer - cy. Christ, . . . . have mer - cy.

Ky - ri - e e - lei - son.  
 Chris - te e - lei - son.  
 Lord, . . . have mer - cy.  
 Christ, . . . have mer - cy.

**PRAYER OF THE DAY**

**A:** Let us pray.

**C:** Most holy God, the earth is filled with your glory, and before you angels and saints stand in awe. Enlarge our vision to see your power at work in the world, and by your grace make us heralds of your Son, Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. Amen.

**WORD**

God speaks to us in scripture reading, preaching, and song.

**CHILDREN’S MESSAGE**

**Story Time--Isaiah’s Call (Isaiah 6:1-8)** from Spark Story Bible

One angel carried a hot coal and touched it to Isaiah’s mouth. It took away the fear inside him.



“Who should I send to be a prophet for me? “  
 God asked Isaiah.

Isaiah heard his own voice say,  
 “Send me!”

☺*Be like Isaiah. Surprise family members by saying, “Send me!” when they need a helper.*

**FIRST READING: 1 Corinthians 15:1-11**

L: A reading from 1 Corinthians.

<sup>1</sup>Now I would remind you, brothers and sisters, of the good news that I proclaimed to you, which you in turn received, in which also you stand, <sup>2</sup>through which also you are being saved, if you hold firmly to the message that I proclaimed to you—unless you have come to believe in vain. <sup>3</sup>For I handed on to you as of first importance what I in turn had received: that Christ died for our sins in accordance with the scriptures, <sup>4</sup>and that he was buried, and that he was raised on the third day in accordance with the scriptures, <sup>5</sup>and that he appeared to Cephas, then to the twelve. <sup>6</sup>Then he appeared to more than five hundred brothers and sisters at one time, most of whom are still alive, though some have died. <sup>7</sup>Then he appeared to James, then to all the apostles. <sup>8</sup>Last of all, as to one untimely born, he appeared also to me. <sup>9</sup>For I am the least of the apostles, unfit to be called an apostle, because I persecuted the church of God. <sup>10</sup>But by the grace of God I am what I am, and his grace toward me has not been in vain. On the contrary, I worked harder than any of them—though it was not I, but the grace of God that is with me. <sup>11</sup>Whether then it was I or they, so we proclaim and so you have come to believe.

L: Word of God, word of life. **C: Thanks be to God.**

**GOSPEL ACCLAMATION “Halle, Halle, Hallelujah”****ELW #172**

The musical score is written for voice and piano. It consists of three systems of music. Each system has a vocal line in the treble clef and a piano accompaniment in the bass clef. The key signature has one sharp (F#), and the time signature is 4/4. The lyrics are: Hal-le, hal-le, hal-le - lu - jah. Hal-le, hal-le, hal-le - lu - jah. Hal-le, lu - jah. Hal-le - lu - jah. Hal-le, hal-le, hal-le - lu - jah. Hal-le, lu - jah. Hal-le - lu - jah. Hal-le - lu - jah.

**GOSPEL: Luke 5:1-11**

P: The holy gospel according to Luke. **C: Glory to you, O Lord.**

<sup>1</sup>Once while Jesus was standing beside the lake of Gennesaret, and the crowd was pressing in on him to hear the word of God, <sup>2</sup>he saw two boats there at the shore of the lake; the fishermen had gone out of them and were washing their nets. <sup>3</sup>He got into one of the boats, the one belonging to Simon, and asked him to put out a little way from the shore. Then he sat down and taught the crowds from the boat. <sup>4</sup>When he had finished speaking, he said to Simon, “Put out into the deep water and let down your nets for a catch.” <sup>5</sup>Simon answered, “Master, we have worked all night long but have caught

nothing. Yet if you say so, I will let down the nets.”<sup>6</sup>When they had done this, they caught so many fish that their nets were beginning to break.<sup>7</sup>So they signaled their partners in the other boat to come and help them. And they came and filled both boats, so that they began to sink.<sup>8</sup>But when Simon Peter saw it, he fell down at Jesus’ knees, saying, “Go away from me, Lord, for I am a sinful man!”<sup>9</sup>For he and all who were with him were amazed at the catch of fish that they had taken;<sup>10</sup>and so also were James and John, sons of Zebedee, who were partners with Simon. Then Jesus said to Simon, “Do not be afraid; from now on you will be catching people.”<sup>11</sup>When they had brought their boats to shore, they left everything and followed him.

P: The gospel of the Lord. C: Praise to you, O Christ.

## SERMON

Pastor Miho Yasukawa

## HYMN OF THE DAY “YOU HAVE COME DOWN TO THE LAKESHORE”

ELW#817



1	Tú	has	ve - ni - do,	a la o - ri - lla,	no has bus -
1	You	have	come down to the	lake - shore	seek - ing
2	You	know	full well what I	have, Lord:	nei - ther
3	You	need	my hands, my ex -	haus - tion,	work - ing
4	You	who	have fished oth -	er wa - ters;	you, the



ca - do	ni a sa - bios	ni a ri - cos;	tan só - lo
nei - ther	the wise	nor the wealth - y,	but on - ly
trea - sure	nor wea -	pons for con - quest,	just these my
love for	the rest of the	wea - ry—	a love that's
long - ing	of souls that	are yearn - ing:	O lov - ing



quie - res	que yo	te si - ga.
ask - ing	for me	to fol - low.
fish - nets	and will	for work - ing.
will - ing	to go	on lov - ing.
Friend, you	have come	to call me.



*Refrain / Estribillo*

Se - ñor,	me has mi - ra - do,	a los o - jos;	son - ri - en - do,
Sweet Lord,	you have looked in -	to my eyes;	kind - ly smil - ing,



has di - cho mi nom - bre.	En la a - re - na	he de - ja - do mi
you've called out my name. . . .	On the sand I	have a - ban - doned my



bar - ca;	jun - to a ti	bus - ca - ré o - tro mar.
small boat;	now with you,	I will seek oth - er seas.

## APOSTLES' CREED

A: With the whole church, let us confess our faith in the words of 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 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**

## THE PRAYERS

*After each petition:* WA: Lord, in your mercy, **C: hear our prayer.**

**WA:** United as one body in Christ, let us pray for the church, the world, and all those in need.

*A brief silence*

**WA:** We pray for the church. Give us courage to answer your call and keep us faithful to your life-giving word. Send us out to be the good news of your love for all people.

Lord, in your mercy, **C: hear our prayer.**

**WA:** For the nations. Grant wisdom to those in authority. Strengthen peacekeepers, ambassadors, military personnel, and disaster relief workers. Protect families who have to leave their homes because of war, natural disasters, or rejection by their communities.

Lord, in your mercy, **C: hear our prayer.**

**WA:** For those in need. For those whose lives are in turmoil; for those who wrestle with addiction; for those burdened by anxiety and self-doubt. For those who grieve, and those who are ill *especially Bob Lyvers, Dick and Rene Johnson, Ethel Lobdell, Gene Hesselbacher, Sheridan Brinker, Steve Fahr, Lois Paulsen, Jane Boop, Greg Lloyd, Donna Euler, Robin Cross, Connor Stadermann, Jaden, Jon Forsythe, Brooke, Meghan, Sylvia, Diane, Darren, Myron Coaty, Deb Lindeman Harder, Graham Russell, Tim Coleman, Cindy Tessendorf, Larry Larson, Lucille Diddens, Randy, Brian, and Tammy.* Give strength and courage this week to *Fern Harnish.*

Lord, in your mercy, **C: hear our prayer.**

**WA:** We pray for Kenlee and her family while they prepare for her baptism next week. Lord, in your mercy, **C: hear our prayer.**

**WA:** For your beloved children here at Good Shepherd. For worship volunteers and the church council members; for the Hymn Sing helpers and those who gather for Friendship Club. We especially pray for Curt and Sue Diddens, Lori Timms and Jarod, Tena Rackow, Ethel Lobdell, Caroline Jam, Adam and Melissa Holtz, Linda Heidenreich, Danica Balbach, and Karl Schoenhard. May your abundant blessings be upon them. Lord, in your mercy, **C: hear our prayer.**

**WA:** With thanksgiving, we remember those who have died and now rest in your presence. Sustain us in hope of the resurrection and bring us into the joy of unending life in you. Lord, in your mercy, **C: hear our prayer.**

P: Receive our prayers and fill us with the radiance of your love; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **C: Amen.**

## PEACE

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

## MEAL

God feeds us with the presence of Jesus Christ.

## OFFERING

*An offering is gathered for the mission of the church locally and throughout the world, including the care of those in need. Offering is our response to God's blessings and abundant grace given to us.*

*We also offer up prayers to God as we offer ourselves (time, talents, gifts, and interests) to the Lord's service and dedicate our lives to God's work in the world.*

## CHOIR ANTHEM

## "AWAKE O SLEEPER"

## OFFERING PRAYER

A: Let us pray.

**C: God of all creation, all you have made is good, and your love endures forever. You bring forth bread from the earth and fruit from the vine. Nourish us with these gifts, that we might be for the world signs of your gracious presence in Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. Amen.**

## DIALOGUE

P: The Lord be with you.

**C: And also with you.**

P: Lift up your hearts.

**C: We lift them to the Lord.**

P: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

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

## THANKSGIVING AT THE TABLE

## LORD'S PRAYER

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

**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.  
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

Come to the table. Feast on God's abundant life for you.

*We practice open Communion —Christ invites us to the table. All baptized Christians are welcome to partake the body and blood of Jesus Christ. If you wish to receive a blessing, you may come forward. Holy Communion will be celebrated by intinction (dip the bread into the chalice). The gold chalices have wine; the chrome chalices have grape juice. You will be ushered down the center aisle and return to your pew by way of the side aisles. If you need assistance, please let an usher know.*



COMMUNION HYMN

LAMB OF GOD

ELW p. 146

Lamb of God, you take a - way the sin of the world; have  
 mer - cy on us. Lamb of God, you take a - way the sin of the  
 world; have mer - cy on us. Lamb of God, you take a - way the  
 sin of the world; grant us peace.

COMMUNION HYMN

“WILL YOU COME AND FOLLOW ME”

ELW#798

1 “Will you come and fol - low me if I but call  
 2 “Will you leave your - self be - hind if I but call  
 3 “Will you let the blind - ed see if I but call  
 4 “Will you love the you you hide if I but call  
 5 Lord, your sum - mons ech - oes true when you but call

your name? Will you go where you don't  
 your name? Will you care for cruel and  
 your name? Will you set the pris - 'ners  
 your name? Will you quell the fear in -  
 my name. Let me turn and fol - low

know and nev - er be the same?  
 kind and nev - er be the same?  
 free and nev - er be the same?  
 side and nev - er be the same?  
 you and nev - er be the same.

Will you let my love be shown, will you let my  
 Will you risk the hos - tile stare, should your life at -  
 Will you kiss the lep - er clean, and do such as -  
 Will you use the faith you've found to re - shape the  
 In your com - pa - ny I'll go where your love and

name be known, will you let my life be  
 tract or scare? Will you let me an - swer  
 this un - scen, and ad - mit to what I  
 world a - round, through my sight and touch and  
 foot - steps show. Thus I'll move and live and

grown in you and you in me?"  
 pray'r in you and you in me?"  
 mean in you and you in me?"  
 sound in you and you in me?"  
 grow in you and you in me.

**POST COMMUNION BLESSING**

P: The Body and Blood of our Lord Jesus Christ strengthen you and keep you in his grace.

**C: Amen.**

**PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION**

A: We thank you, O God, that you have fed us at your banqueting table with bread and wine beyond compare, the very life of Christ for us. Send your Spirit with us now, that we may set the captive free, use your gifts to build one another up, and in everything reflect your glory revealed in Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. **C: Amen.**

**SENDING**

God blesses us and sends us in mission to the world.

**BLESSING**

P: The God of glory dwell in you richly, name you beloved, and shine brightly on your path; and the blessing of almighty God, the Father, the ☩ Son, and the Holy Spirit, be upon you and remain with you always. **C: Amen.**

**SENDING HYMN****“HERE I AM LORD”****ELW# 574**

1 "I, the Lord of sea and sky, I have heard my peo - ple cry.  
2 "I, the Lord of snow and rain, I have borne my peo - ple's pain.  
3 "I, the Lord of wind and flame, I will tend the poor and lame.



All who dwell in dark and sin my hand will save.  
I have wept for love of them. They turn a - way.  
I will set a feast for them. My hand will save.



I, who made the stars of night, I will make their dark-ness bright.  
I will break their hearts of stone, give them hearts for love a - lone.  
Fin-est bread I will pro-vide till their hearts be sat - is - fied.



Who will bear my light to them? Whom shall I send?"  
I will speak my word to them. Whom shall I send?"  
I will give my life to them. Whom shall I send?"



Here I am, Lord. Is it I, Lord? I have heard you



call-ing in the night. I will go, Lord, if you



lead me. I will hold your peo - ple in my heart.

**DISMISSAL**

A: Go in peace. Christ is your light. C: Thanks be to God.

**POSTLUDE****Tena Rackow**

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Sound System: Troy Doubler

Greeters: Virgil and Joanne Martin, Jerry and Beth Martin

Ushers: Virgil Gordon, Jim Swain, Andrew Martin and Larry Fulfs

**THIS WEEK AT GOOD SHEPHERD****February 10<sup>th</sup> through February 17<sup>th</sup>, 2019**

<b>Today</b>	<b>Worship Service</b>	<b>9:30 am</b>
	Fellowship	10:30am
	Annual Meeting	10:45am
	Installation of the Church Council	
	VBS Meeting at Beloved Church	12:00pm
	Chime Practice	5:00pm
Tuesday	Hymn Sing Lena Living Center	9:45am
	Council Meeting	6:30pm
Wednesday	"Piece Corps" Quilting Group	8:00am-11:30am
Thursday	Friendship Club	12:00pm
<b>Next Sunday</b>	<b>Worship Service with Baptism and Holy Communion</b>	<b>9:30am</b>
	Fellowship	10:30am
	Sunday School/Confirmation	10:45am
	Choir Practice	11:00am
	Chime Practice	5:00pm
Next Monday	Worship Committee Meeting	7:00pm

Attendance February 3<sup>rd</sup> – 52

Total Offering 02/03/2019 - \$2102.00 amount needed - \$2489.51

An AED (defibrillator) is located on the wall in the Fellowship Hall in case of an emergency. The device is designed to deliver calm, clear voice instructions precisely timed to the responder's actions, guiding the responder every step of the way. When the door is open an alarm goes off to alert others that there is an emergency.

**Children's Worship Bulletin is Available**

The Children's bulletin follows the Sunday lessons with coloring page, word search, and crossword puzzle. They are available at both entrances

**Annual Meeting**

Will follow immediately after service.

**Holy Baptism Next Sunday**

Kenlee Price will be baptized next Sunday. Please remember her and her family in your prayers this week.

**Hymn Sing at First Lutheran, Freeport**

First Lutheran Church of Freeport (303 South Galena Avenue) is hosting, "*Leaning on the Everlasting Arms*", a hymn sing giving thanks and praise for God's abiding presence in our lives on Sunday, February 17<sup>th</sup> at 2:00pm. Chris Parkinson will be the organist/pianist for the hymn sing. There will be a congregational singing, a variety of instrumental accompaniments, and a combined choir anthem.

Please join us as we sing our praises and give thanks to God.

**Thank you, Sock Drive for Le-Win Elementary School**

In November we began a sock drive for Le-Win Elementary students, the sock drive ended January 7<sup>th</sup>, 2019. We collected 149 pairs of socks, along with one (1) hat and six (6) pairs of gloves. These will be given to the children when they come in from recess.

**2<sup>nd</sup> Tuesday of the Month: Hymn Sing at Lena Living Center**

Make a joyful harmony with us for the Hymn Sing at Lena Living Center this Tuesday starting at 9:45am. We will sing old favorite hymns. Come and join us.

**Friendship Club**

Will meet Thursday, February 14<sup>th</sup> with a Valentine's Day potluck luncheon at noon and entertainment by Mary Berryhill. Bring a friend or make a new one at Friendship Club!

**Let Us Know**

If youth or adults in the Good Shepherd family are involved in activities which the public is invited, please provide a schedule to the church office by Tuesday morning so that we can include it in the following Sunday's bulletin.