



Epiphany 2

January 14, 2024

Celebration

11:00am



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WE WELCOME OUR VISITORS who worship with us today. We are glad you are here and we invite you to worship with us again and often. If you have no church home, we invite you to consider Christ Lutheran Church. Please sign the attendance card and place it in the offering plate.

INVITATION TO HOLY COMMUNION

Jesus Christ is the host at the table of Holy Communion and invites all to come. Here the real presence of Jesus meets us in the form of bread and wine. In this sacrament he offers himself to us for the forgiveness of sin and the promise of eternal life. You can come forward to the Communion Rail to receive the Holy Communion or if you choose, the Holy Communion kits are available in the narthex, for in-person worship.

CALL TO WORSHIP

The prelude is a time to prepare for worship. When the prelude begins, please enter the sanctuary prayerfully and reverently. Please silence your cell phones and take this time to quiet your minds and voices.

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<https://rb.gy/lmzlco>

Rev. Dr. Bimen Limbong, **Pastor**

Pr. George Mercer, **Pastoral Assistant**

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Heather C. Harding, **Church Administrator**

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Welcome

Stand

Gathering Song: *Will You Come and Follow Me*

#798

Brief Order of Confession and Forgiveness

P Blessed be the holy Trinity, ✚ one God,
who forgives all our sin, whose mercy endures forever.

C Amen.

P God of all mercy and consolation, come to the help of your people, turning us
from our sin to live for you alone. Give us the power of your Holy Spirit that we may
confess our sin, receive your forgiveness, and grow into the fullness of Jesus Christ, our
Savior and Lord.

C Amen.

P Let us confess our sin in the presence of God and of one another.

Stand/Kneel Silence for reflection and self-examination

P Gracious God,

C Have mercy on us. We confess that we have turned from you and given
ourselves into the power of sin. We are truly sorry and humbly repent. In your
compassion forgive us our sins, known and unknown, things we have done and things
we have failed to do. Turn us again to you, and uphold us by your Spirit, so that we
may live and serve you in newness of life through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

Amen

P God, who is rich in mercy, loved us even when we were dead in sin, and made
us alive together with Christ. By grace you have been saved. In the name of ✚ Jesus
Christ, your sins are forgiven. Almighty God strengthen you with power through the
Holy Spirit, that Christ may live in your hearts through faith.

C Thanks be to God.

Stand

Sharing the Peace

P The peace of the Lord be with you all.

C And also with you.

Kyrie Eleison

Refrain



Ky - ri - e e - lei - son, on our world and on our way.



Ky - ri - e e - lei - son, ev - 'ry day.



1 For peace in the world, for the
2 That we may live out your im -
3 For peace in our hearts, for
4 For your Spir - it to guide; that you



health of the church, for the u - ni - ty of all;
passioned re - sponse to the hun - gry and the poor;
peace in our homes, for friends and fam - i - ly;
cen - ter our lives in the wa - ter and the word;



for this ho - ly house, for all who wor - ship and praise,
that we may live out . . . truth and jus - tice and grace,
for life and for love, . . . for our work and our play,
that you nour - ish our souls . . . with your bo - dy and blood,



let us pray to the Lord, let us pray to the Lord.

Prayer of the day: *(Celebrate insert or refer to screen if online)*

P The Lord be with you.

C And also with you.

P (prayer)

C Amen.

Sit

The Word

Children's Sermon

Readings and Psalm: *(Celebrate insert)*

End 1st and 2nd reading with:

A The word of the Lord.

The congregation responds with:

C Thanks be to God.

Stand

Gospel Acclamation: <i>Halle, Halle, Hallelujah</i>
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#172

Gospel: *(Celebrate insert)*

P The Holy Gospel according to:

C **Glory to you O Lord.**

P The Gospel of the Lord.

C Praise to you O Christ.

Sit

Sermon

Stand

Song of the Day: <i>Here I Am, Lord</i>
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#574

The Apostles' Creed

P God has made us his people through our baptism into Christ. Living together in trust and hope we confess our faith.

I believe in God, the Father almighty,
creator of heaven and earth.

I believe in Jesus Christ, His only Son, our Lord.

He was conceived by the power of the Holy Spirit
and born of the virgin Mary.

He 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,

and is seated at the right hand of the Father.

He will come again 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

* or He descended into hell.

** catholic church means (universal church or Christian church throughout the world'.

Intercessory Prayers *(Celebrate insert)*

Sit

Offering:

For online worshipers please mail to the office at 9212 Taylorsville Road, 40299 or contact the office for instructions for direct deposit. You may also use our online app at tithe.ly or scan QR code on the right)



SCAN ME

Stand

Offertory Prayer:

A Let us pray.

A Merciful Father,

C Everything in heaven and earth belongs to you. We joyfully release what you have entrusted to us. May these gifts be signs of our whole lives returned to you, dedicated to the healing and unity of all creation, through Jesus Christ. Amen.

The Great Thanksgiving

P The Lord be with you.

C **And also with you.**

P Lift up your heart.

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.



Preface

P It is indeed right...

...we praise your name and join their unending hymn:

Ho - ly. Ho - ly, ho - ly, my heart, my heart a - dores you! My
San - to, san - to, san - to, mi cor - a - zon te a - do - ra! Mi
Na - ba - di - a, do ho, Di - pu - ji, Ro - hang Kon - do! Di -

Heart is glad to say the words: you are ho - ly, lord.
Cor - a - zon te sa - be deir: san - to eres Se - nor.
Bo - to, ro - hang - kon - do man dok: Ba di - a do - ho!

Spanish and Batak are sung as we are in companionship with the church of Chile and Indonesia.

Eucharistic Prayer

P Blessed are you, Lord of heaven and earth. In mercy for our fallen world you gave your only Son, that all those who believe in him should not perish, but have eternal life. We give thanks to you for the salvation you have prepared for us through Jesus Christ. Send now your Holy Spirit into our hearts, that we may receive our Lord with a living faith as he comes to us in his holy supper.

C Amen. Come, Lord Jesus.

P In the night in which he was betrayed, our Lord Jesus took bread, and gave thanks; broke it, and gave it to his disciples, saying: Take and eat; this is my body, given for you. Do this for the remembrance of me. Again, after supper, he took the cup, gave thanks, and gave it for all to drink, saying: This cup is the new covenant in my blood, shed for you and for all people for the forgiveness of sin. Do this for the remembrance of me.

The Lord's Prayer

P Lord, remember us in your Kingdom and teach us how 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.

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.

Sit

Communion

Distribution Songs: <i>Lamb of God</i>	#336
<i>Jesus Calls Us; o'er the Tumult</i>	#696

Stand

Blessing

P The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ and the gifts of His body and blood strengthen, keep and unite us, now and forever.

C Amen.

Post-Communion Prayer

A Let us pray.

C We give you thanks, almighty God, that you have refreshed us through the healing power of this gift of life; we pray that in your mercy you would strengthen us through this gift, in faith toward you and fervent love toward one another; for the sake of Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Benediction

P 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.

C Amen.

Sending Song: *Listen, God Is Calling*

#513

Dismissal

A Walking with Christ, go in peace to love and serve our church and neighbors.

C Thanks be to God!



CARE PACKAGE EVENT



Spirit and GIFT Youth:

Please join us in February (date TBA) to assemble care packages for loved ones who are away at college, homebound, or otherwise miles away but close in our hearts. We want to remind them that Jesus loves them, and we do too!



Know someone we should send a care package to?

Use the QR code or link below to send us their mailing address and interests **by Mon, Jan 29:**

<https://forms.gle/KkebeuZNUo2dt67QA>

If you'd like to support our project: Monetary donations and Thrivent dollars would be appreciated to help cover cost of package contents and shipping (make checks payable to CLC and note for care packages). To donate items, please contact Sarah Pryor to coordinate. Thank you!!!

Questions? Contact Sarah Pryor, 758-5108 or spryor@bellsouth.net.

Let all that you do be done in love. ~ 1 Corinthians 16:14

UPCOMING *Events*



The Social Ministry Committee is asking for donations of hats, scarves & gloves. These items will be donated to The Healing Place right here in Louisville.

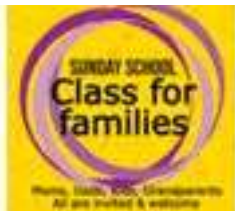
A CLC member has also received a Thrivent grant to help with this mission initiative.



There will be collections bins in the Solarium & Narthex to collect items. Collection will be held the first two weeks in January.

The NFL will again sponsor "Tackling Hunger" in conjunction with Super Bowl on February 11.

The Social Ministry Committee is requesting food items or cash donations the last Sunday of January and the first two Sundays in February to support this project. All food and cash will be donated to JAM.



Sunday, January 21 during the Sunday School hour FAMILIES are invited to attend a brand new Sunday School Class.

THIRSTY THIRD THURSDAYS

Thirsty for theology? Thirsty for connection and fellowship?...or just thirsty?

Whatever you thirst for, join us for one of our monthly gatherings, held **every 3rd Thursday of the month, starting around 6pm** (or whatever time you can make it). No sign up, just show up—the aim is to have an easy, fun way to connect with each other—men & women, young & old, married & single. While this is an adult fellowship group, we'll check out venues around town that are kid-friendly, so you don't have to get a babysitter. Stop in for a quick visit or stay for dinner. Pay on your own.

**Join us on January 18th for our next
THIRSTY THIRD
THURSDAY!**

BOOMBOZZ
PIZZA • WATCH BAR



in Westport Village

1315 Herr Ln, Louisville, KY 40222
boombozz.com/westport-village/

Pizza & brew pub outfit offering a selection of pies, bites & craft ales in a relaxed atmosphere.

Questions or suggestions?
Contact Sarah Pryor
758-5108 or spryor@bellsouth.net



CHRIST EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH

THE CHURCH IN LIFE & WORK

Jan 14, 2024

Jan 14	11:00am	-Worship In Person and at Home Service w/Communion
	12:15pm	-Social Hour in Solarium (coffee / tea & treats)
	2:00pm	-Forest Hills Commons Worship
	4:00pm	-MLK Celebration hosted by J-town Christian Ministerial
Jan 15	12:00pm	-Prayer Meeting / Bible Study
Jan 16	9:30am	-Tues Friends
	7:00pm	-Council Meeting
Jan 17	7:00pm	-Choir Rehearsal
Jan 18	6:00pm	-Thirsty Third Thursday (BOOM BOZZ)

Messenger Article Deadline

**Jan 28 Annual Congregational Meeting (potluck lunch after 11:00am service)
see insert for details**

****Wed Friends will not meet during January****

✝ **LIVE STREAM** – The 11:00am service is live streamed on Sundays at 11:00pm. You can join us on our Facebook page or YouTube. We need volunteers to live stream our 11:00am service. If you are interested, there is a sign up sheet in the Narthex.

✝ **JAM DONATIONS** –(Jan) Laundry items: detergent, fabric softener, dryer sheets, stain remover

✝ **ATTENDANCE CARDS** - Please make sure you fill out the attendance cards completely each week to help us keep our parish records up to date. Please be sure to put the worship time you attend and each family member's name. **As we are updating the database, please give Date of Birth (DOB) for each family member.**

✝ **PROPERTY**- The property committee asks if you have a concern, please fill out a blue form.

✝ **DEVOTIONAL BOOKS /MESSENGER** - available to be picked up at church.

✝ **CALENDER UPDATES**-Please fill out a green slip and put in the office mailbox to have events, meetings, and etc added to the church calendars. You can also email your request to the church office.

CONTINUED PRAYERS

HOSPITALIZED, RECOVERY OR ON-GOING TREATMENT

Rod Hester, 2015 Roberts Road, Taylorsville, KY 40071

Anne Hernandez, 10116 Cedar Crest Court, 40291

Beverly Kelly, 7603 Endecott Place, Prospect, 40059

Shari Bessette, 1647 Greenland Park Circle, Shelbyville, 40065

Ryan Bessette, 1647 Greenland Park Circle, Shelbyville, 40065

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Kathy Bremner, 8117 Watterson Trail, Louisville, 40299

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Peggy Stephens 8780 Mt Washington Rd, Taylorsville Ky 40071

Danna Hesse, Forest Hills Commons, 9107 Taylorsville Rd. Apt 133, 40299

NURSING HOMES AND HOMEBOUND

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Carol Breitenstein, 4014 Mulberry Row Way, 40299

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Wilma Brown, 10625 Wimberley Hills Blvd., 40241

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Martha Classon, Anthology of Louisville, 1105 Dorsey Ln., Rm 301, 40223

Audrey Albin, 903 Blankenbaker Parkway, Apt 123, 40243

Becky Zibart, Forest Springs Health Campus, 4120 Wooded Acre Ln. Rm. 301, 40245

Chester Evans, Symphony at Valley Farms, 10201 Valley Farms Blvd #105, 40272

Mary Lou Vaughn, Nazareth Home, 2000 Newburg Rd. #262 E. Vaughn, 40205

Pete Peters, Forest Springs Health Campus, 4120 Wooded Acre Ln Rm 211, 40245

Mary Lou Miller, 13600 Lagrange Road, Apt. 238, 40245

Norma Kuerzi, 34515 Hurstborne Ln Apt 214, 40299

Betty Payne, 2300 Old Hickory Road, 40299

Betty Graff, 1143 Fisherville Rd, Finchville, Ky 40022

Annette Bishoff, 8401 Lagrange Rd, Beehive Homes of Lyndon 40222

***Please notify the church or the Pastor of any changes**

***Prayer box and request forms are located in the Narthex to be used or feel free to contact Pastor Limbong or the office.**



Church Office Hours:

Monday through Friday

8:30AM - 4:30 PM

If you wish to contact Pastor Limbong
please call the church at (502-267-5082)

or his cell phone: (502-553-6025)

His scheduled days off are Friday and Saturday

Except during an emergency

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