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Third Sunday of Epiphany

January 26, 2025 -- 9:30 AM

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Church Office Hours:
Tuesday – Friday: 10 am to 4 pm

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Ministers: All the people of God

This is Christ's church.

There is a place for you here.

We are a church that shares a living, daring confidence in God's grace. Liberated by our faith, we embrace everyone as a whole person, with questions, doubts, complexities and all. We are moved by God's grace to welcome all who have ever felt marginalized, no matter your gender identity, sexual orientation, age, race, ethnicity, marital status, or faith background.

We welcome you as we worship, learn, and share Christ's love together.

Listening Devices for hearing enhancement are available in the back of the sanctuary. Please ask an usher for assistance.

Large print bulletins are available in the back of the sanctuary. Please see an usher for your copy. Feel free to take this copy home for reference during the week.

GATHERING

In Jesus' Name

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

PRELUDE

WELCOME

CALL TO WORSHIP

" Come Holy Spirit, Come "

Crossroads

CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS

Presider: Blessed be the holy Trinity, ✝ one God, our creator, our protector, our wellspring of life.

All: Amen

Presider: Trusting that God receives our words and the meditations of our hearts, let us confess our sin.

Silence is kept for reflection.

Presider: Merciful God,

All: you speak blessing and compassion into the world. Forgive us for the ways we act with judgment, cruelty, or indifference. We ignore the needs of our neighbors; we resist your call to oppose injustice; we give in to scarcity and fear; we assume the worst about one another. Cleanse us from our faults and release us from their grasp. Show us your lovingkindness. Restore our hearts and repair your world, that we may live in Christ's ways. Amen.

Presider: God proclaims these words of assurance:

"Do not fear, for I have redeemed you. I have called you by name. You are mine." In ✝ Christ, you are forgiven. In the Spirit, you are made free. Refreshed by the waters of mercy, live anew as beloved children of God.

All: Amen

GATHERING HYMN

"Arise, Your Light Has Come!"

ELW #314
Red hymnal

GREETING

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

All: And also with you.

KYRIE (*Kyrie Eleison means "Lord, have mercy"*)

Presider: You were sent to heal the contrite of heart. Kyrie Eleison.

All: Kyrie Eleison.

Presider: You came to call sinners. Christe Eleison.

All: Christe Eleison.

Presider: You are seated at the right hand of the Father to intercede for us.
Kyrie Eleison

All: Kyrie Eleison.

GLORY TO GOD – (All Sing)

Refrain: **Glory to God, glory to God, glory to God in the highest.
And on earth peace, on earth peace to people of goodwill.**

1. **We praise you, we bless you, we adore you, we glorify you,
we give thanks for your great glory,
Lord God, heavenly King, O God, almighty Father. *Refrain:***
2. **Lord Jesus Christ, Only Begotten Son, Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father,
you take away the sins of the world, have mercy on us;
you take away the sins of the world, receive our prayer;
you are seated at the right hand of the Father, have mercy on us. *Refrain:***

PRAYER OF THE DAY

Assisting Minister: The Lord be with you.

All: and also with you.

A.M.: Let us pray. . . . Blessed Lord God, you have caused the holy scriptures to be written for the nourishment of your people.

All: Grant that we may hear them, read, mark, learn, and inwardly digest them, that, comforted by your promises, we may embrace and forever hold fast to the hope of eternal life, through your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

You may be seated.

WORD

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

FIRST READING

Nehemiah 8:1-3, 5-6, 8-10

Reader: ¹ All the people [of Israel] gathered together into the square before the Water Gate. They told the scribe Ezra to bring the book of the law of Moses, which the LORD had given to Israel. ² Accordingly, the priest Ezra brought the law before the assembly, both men and women and all who could hear with understanding. This was on the first day of the seventh month. ³ He read from it facing the square before the Water Gate from early morning until midday, in the presence of the men and the women and those who could understand; and the ears of all the people were attentive to the book of the law. ⁵ And Ezra opened the book in the sight of all the people, for he was standing above all the people; and when he opened it, all the people stood up. ⁶ Then Ezra blessed the LORD, the great God, and all the people answered, "Amen, Amen," lifting up their hands. Then they bowed their heads and worshipped the LORD with their faces to the ground. ⁸ So they read from the book, from the law of God, with interpretation. They gave the sense, so that the people understood the reading.

⁹ And Nehemiah, who was the governor, and Ezra the priest and scribe, and the Levites who taught the people said to all the people, "This day is holy to the LORD your God; do not mourn or weep." For all the people wept when they heard the words of the law. ¹⁰ Then he said to them, "Go your way, eat the fat and drink sweet wine and send portions of them to those for whom nothing is prepared, for this day is holy to our LORD; and do not be grieved, for the joy of the LORD is your strength."

Reader: Word of God, word of life.

All: Thanks be to God.

Please stand as you are able.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION – All Sing

All: Alleluia. Alleluia. Alleluia. Alleluia. Alleluia. Alleluia

GOSPEL

Presider: The holy gospel according to St. Luke, the fourth chapter.

All: Glory to you, O Lord.

Presider: ¹⁴ Then Jesus, filled with the power of the Spirit, returned to Galilee, and a report about him spread through all the surrounding country. ¹⁵ He began to teach in their synagogues and was praised by everyone.

¹⁶ When he came to Nazareth, where he had been brought up, he went to the synagogue on the sabbath day, as was his custom. He stood up to read, ¹⁷ and the scroll of the prophet Isaiah was given to him. He unrolled the scroll and found the place where it was written:

¹⁸ "The Spirit of the Lord is upon me,
because he has anointed me
to bring good news to the poor.
He has sent me to proclaim release to the captives
and recovery of sight to the blind,
to let the oppressed go free,
¹⁹ to proclaim the year of the Lord's favor."

²⁰ And he rolled up the scroll, gave it back to the attendant, and sat down. The eyes of all in the synagogue were fixed on him. ²¹ Then he began to say to them, "Today this scripture has been fulfilled in your hearing."

Presider: This is the gospel of the Lord.

All: Praise to you, O Christ.

You may be seated

CHILDREN'S SERMON**SERMON**

Pastor Janine Goodrich

Please stand as you are able

GOSPEL HYMN

"Now the Feast and Celebration"

ELW #167
Red Hymnal

APOSTLES' CREED

All: 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 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 FAITHFUL

A.M.: After each petition of "*God of grace,*"
 the congregation will respond, "**hear our prayer.**"

OFFERING

Offering plates are in the back of the Sanctuary for your gift, or you may mail to
 Faith Lutheran Church - PO Box 2349 Roseburg OR 97470
 or you may give an offering online on our website www.faithroseburg.org
 or through the Tithl.ey app, download instructions are in the welcome center.

MEAL

God feeds us with the presence of Christ

GREETING OF PEACE

Presider: The Peace of the Lord be with you always.

All: And also with you.

Presider: Let us greet one another with a sign of God's peace.

Please stand as you are able

GREAT PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

Presider: The Lord be with you.

All: And also with you.

Presider: Lift up your hearts.

All: We lift them to the Lord.

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

All: It is good to give God thanks and praise.

Presider: It is indeed right, our duty and our joy, that we should at all times and in all places give thanks and praise to you, almighty and merciful God, through the great shepherd of your flock, our Savior Jesus Christ; who after his resurrection sent forth the apostles to preach the gospel and teach all nations, and promised to be with them, even to the end of the age. And so, with the glorious company of the apostles, with the choirs of angels and all the hosts of heaven, we praise your name and join their unending hymn:

SANCTUS *(Holy)*



Ho - ly, Ho - ly, Ho - ly Lord God of hosts.



Heav-en and earth are full of your glo - ry. Ho -



san - na in the high - est, ho - san - na in the



high - est. Bless-ed is he, bless-ed is he who



comes in the name of the Lord. Ho - san - na in the



high-est, ho - san-na in the high-est. Ho - san - na in the



high - est, ho - san - na in the high - est.

EUCHARISTIC PRAYER *(The pastor prays over the bread and wine)*

LORD'S PRAYER

All: Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your name, your kingdom come, your will be done, on earth as in heaven. Give us today our daily bread. Forgive us our sins as we forgive those who sin against us. Save us from the time of trial and deliver us from evil. For the kingdom, the power, and the glory are yours, now and forever. Amen.

You may be seated.

INVITATION TO COMMUNION

AGNUS DEI (*Agnus Dei means "Lamb of God"*) – **All sing**

Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world, have mercy on us.

Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world, grant us peace.

COMMUNION HYMN

"Come Let Us Eat"

ELW 491

Red Hymnal

DISTRIBUTION OF THE SACRAMENT

Today we celebrate Christ's presence among us as he comes to us with grace and forgiveness in the ordinary bread and wine of the Holy Eucharist. The cups contain red wine and white grape juice. We have Gluten-Free bread available.

After you receive the Sacrament, you may take time to pray at the altar rail if you wish.

At Faith Evangelical Lutheran Church, ALL are welcome to receive communion.

You may be seated

COMMUNION BLESSING

POST COMMUNION PRAYER

A.M.: Nourishing God, at this table you have refreshed us with holy gifts of food and drink. Strengthen us for service,

All: **and send us out to embody your good news of liberation and healing for the sake of the world. In the name of Christ we pray, Amen.**

SENDING

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

BENEDICTION

You may be seated.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Please stand as you are able.

SENDING SONG

“The Spirit Sends Us Forth to Serve”

ELW #551
Red Hymnal

DISMISSAL

A.M: **Go in peace. Live in hope.**

All: **Thanks be to God.**

Music to send us on our way into the world.



Serving Christ in the Heart of the Umpqua

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Pray for those in need of healing and for those with on-going cares and concerns:

Kathy, All the victims of the California fires, Mark, Torr (Family member of Sue), Pastor Matt Goodrich.

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The two options for giving at Faith are Web and Mobile giving. These two options are available for one-time gifts or for scheduled, recurring contributions. Whether you'd like to give a single gift, schedule ongoing contributions, or view your giving history, you can do it all from your computer, tablet, or mobile phone. It's quick, easy, and secure.

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CRAFT WITH JENN CALENDAR 2025



JANUARY 23

FELT FORTUNE COOKIE VALENTINES

FEBRUARY 27

ORAGAMI WITH JACKIE ASHCRAFT

MARCH 27

TEA CUP GNOMES

Pastors will be out of town Monday, Jan 27th – Wednesday, Jan 29th, at the Byberg Preaching conference.

Brewed Theology will return February 6th.

We invite you to join us for "Brewed Theology" – conversations about faith and life at Brix Bar downtown.

We meet in the upper room in Brix bar on Thursday, February 6th at 2:30 and 6:30 (come upstairs early if you plan on ordering dinner 😊)

See you then!

**BREW
ED THE
OLOGY**

**DEFINING
CHURCH**

Where is it?
What is it?
How to find it?

Serving This Week's Service – January 26th, 2025

<i>Acolyte/Crucifer</i>	Brandi, Halenea, Lucia and Isla, Cora
<i>Assisting Minister</i>	Beth
<i>Lector</i>	Nancy
<i>Communion Assistant</i>	Stephaine
<i>Ushers</i>	Barbara and Bob
<i>Altar Guild</i>	Margaret, Jane, Debby
<i>Fellowship</i>	Chicken Sunday
<i>Musicians</i>	Guitar – Eric Pianist - Gwen Choir - Crossroads
<i>Flowers</i>	Altar Guild
<i>Eternal Candle</i>	Open

Serving Next Week's Service – February 2nd, 2025

<i>Acolyte/Crucifer</i>	Brandi, Halenea, Lucia and Isla, Cora
<i>Assisting Minister</i>	Wendy
<i>Lector</i>	Rebecca
<i>Communion Assistant</i>	Jenn
<i>Ushers</i>	Barbara and Bob
<i>Altar Guild</i>	Margaret, Jane, Debby
<i>Fellowship</i>	Celebration of February's Anniversaries & Birthdays
<i>Musicians</i>	Guitar – Eric Pianist - Gwen Choir - Crossroads
<i>Flowers</i>	Open
<i>Eternal Candle</i>	Open

January 26th, through February 2nd, 2025

Sunday – January 26, 2025

- 8:15am Crossroads rehearsal - SA
 9:30am Worship – SA
 10:30am Annual Congregational Meeting
 10:45am Chicken Sunday - FH
 5:00pm Confirmation Class - FLY
 7:00pm Mt Nebo AA Group – AT
 7:00pm Alanon Meeting – SSR

Monday – January 27, 2025

- **Pastors' Day off**
 1:00pm..... Watercolor Fellowship - AT

Tuesday – January 28, 2025

- 1:00pm..... American Sewing Guild
 4:30pm..... Crossroads Rehearsal

Wednesday – January 29, 2025

- 10:30am Bible Study at St. George's – *Cancelled today, will resume 2/5*
 4:30pm..... Crossroads Rehearsal - SA
 6:00pm Twisted Sisters AA (Women only) – SSR
 6:30pm Alanon Meeting - CR
 7:00pm Learning to Live Again NA Group – AT

Thursday – January 30, 2025

- 1:00pm..... Lydia's Ladies – *On hold, will resume Feb 6, 2025*
 7:00pm..... Mt Nebo AA Group – AT

Friday – January 31, 2025

Saturday – February 1, 2025

Sunday – February 2, 2025

- 8:15am Crossroads rehearsal - SA
 9:30am Worship – SA
 10:30am Celebration of February's Anniversaries & Birthdays – FH
 10:45am Outreach Meeting – CR
 5:00pm Confirmation Class - FLY
 7:00pm Mt Nebo AA Group – AT
 7:00pm Alanon Meeting – SSR

KEY

FH = Fellowship Hall
 FLY = Youth Room
 CR = Conference Room
 SA = Sanctuary
 AT = Atrium
 SSR = Sunday School
 Rooms
 ABS = Adult Bible Study
 (behind sanctuary)
 PO = Pastors office

