

SECOND SUNDAY AFTER THE EPIPHANY

Sunday, January 16, 2022, 9:30 a.m.

Bethlehem Evangelical Lutheran Church, Altamont, IL

Rev. Marcus Manley

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Organist & Choir Director: Dean Manuel

Crucifer: Kingston Koester; Acolyte: John Manley; Book Bearer: Easton Caraway

Ushers: Justin Durbin, Mark Durbin, Mike Wolff

Preservice Music

Ringing of Bells

Prelude "PRELUDE FOR WORSHIP" - Ludwig Van Beethoven

Please stand and face the processional cross at the entrance of the nave.

Processional Hymn LSB #651 I Love Your Kingdom, Lord

✠ **DIVINE SERVICE, Setting Three** ✠

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✠ **CONFESSION AND ABSOLUTION** ✠

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✠ **SERVICE OF THE WORD** ✠

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Introit for the Second Sunday after the Epiphany

Psalm 66:1-5, 20; antiphon: v. 4; 92:1 (respond with the words in bold)

All the earth worships you and sings prais- | es to you; *
they sing praises | to your name.

It is good to give thanks | to the LORD, *
to sing praises to your name, | O Most High.

Shout for joy to God, | all the earth; *
sing the glory of his name; give to him | glorious praise!

Say to God, "How awesome | are your deeds! *
So great is your power that your enemies come cringing | to you.

All the earth worships you and sings prais- | es to you; *
they sing praises | to your name."

Come and see what | God has done: *
he is awesome in his deeds toward the chil- | dren of man.

Blessèd | be God, *
because he has not rejected my prayer or removed his steadfast | love from me!

All the earth worships you and sings prais- | es to you; *
they sing praises | to your name.

It is good to give thanks | to the LORD, *
to sing praises to your name, | O Most High.

♪ **The Gloria Patri**
♪ **Kyrie**
♪ **Gloria In Excelsis**
♪ **Salutation**

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Collect for the Second Sunday after the Epiphany

P: Let us pray: Almighty and everlasting God, who governs all things in heaven and on earth, mercifully hear the prayers of Your people and grant us Your peace through all our days; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. **C: ♪ Amen**

Please be seated

Old Testament Reading: Amos 9:11-15

¹¹“In that day I will raise up
the booth of David that is fallen
and repair its breaches,
and raise up its ruins
and rebuild it as in the days of old,

¹²that they may possess the remnant of Edom
and all the nations who are called by my name,”
declares the LORD who does this.

¹³“Behold, the days are coming,” declares the LORD,
“when the plowman shall overtake the reaper
and the treader of grapes him who sows the seed;
the mountains shall drip sweet wine,
and all the hills shall flow with it.

¹⁴I will restore the fortunes of my people Israel,
and they shall rebuild the ruined cities and inhabit them;
they shall plant vineyards and drink their wine,
and they shall make gardens and eat their fruit.

¹⁵I will plant them on their land,
and they shall never again be uprooted
out of the land that I have given them,”
says the LORD your God.

P: This is the Word of the Lord.

C: Thanks be to God.

Epistle Reading: Romans 12:6-16

⁶Having gifts that differ according to the grace given to us, let us use them: if prophecy, in proportion to our faith; ⁷if service, in our serving; the one who teaches, in his teaching; ⁸the one who exhorts, in his exhortation; the one who contributes, in generosity; the one who leads, with zeal; the one who does acts of mercy, with cheerfulness.

⁹Let love be genuine. Abhor what is evil; hold fast to what is good. ¹⁰Love one another with brotherly affection. Outdo one another in showing honor. ¹¹Do not be slothful in zeal, be fervent in spirit, serve the Lord. ¹²Rejoice in hope, be

patient in tribulation, be constant in prayer. ¹³Contribute to the needs of the saints and seek to show hospitality.

¹⁴Bless those who persecute you; bless and do not curse them. ¹⁵Rejoice with those who rejoice, weep with those who weep. ¹⁶Live in harmony with one another. Do not be haughty, but associate with the lowly. Never be conceited.

P: This is the Word of the Lord.

C: Thanks be to God.

Please stand

C: ♪ Alleluia. Alleluia. Alleluia.

Holy Gospel: John 2:1-11

P: The Holy Gospel according to St. John, the second chapter.

C: ♪ Glory be to Thee, O Lord.

¹On the third day there was a wedding at Cana in Galilee, and the mother of Jesus was there. ²Jesus also was invited to the wedding with his disciples. ³When the wine ran out, the mother of Jesus said to him, “They have no wine.” ⁴And Jesus said to her, “Woman, what does this have to do with me? My hour has not yet come.” ⁵His mother said to the servants, “Do whatever he tells you.”

⁶Now there were six stone water jars there for the Jewish rites of purification, each holding twenty or thirty gallons. ⁷Jesus said to the servants, “Fill the jars with water.” And they filled them up to the brim. ⁸And he said to them, “Now draw some out and take it to the master of the feast.” So they took it. ⁹When the master of the feast tasted the water now become wine, and did not know where it came from (though the servants who had drawn the water knew), the master of the feast called the bridegroom ¹⁰and said to him, “Everyone serves the good wine first, and when people have drunk freely, then the poor wine. But you have kept the good wine until now.” ¹¹This, the first of his signs, Jesus did at Cana in Galilee, and manifested his glory. And his disciples believed in him.

P: This is the Gospel of the Lord.

C: ♪ Praise be to Thee, O Christ.

Nicene Creed

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Please be seated

Hymn of the Day LSB #408 Come, Join in Cana's Feast

Sermon Text: John 2:1-11

Title: “*The Life of the Party*”

Outline: **JESUS ALWAYS FILLS OUR LACKING WITH HIS GLORY.**

I. Jesus filled our lacking by his glorious hour—the cross [vv. 1-4].

II. Jesus always fills our lacking by his glorious signs—the sacraments [vv. 5-11].

Please stand

♪ Offertory

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Please be seated

Offering

Please stand as the offering plates are brought forward during the offering hymn

Offering Hymn #781 We Give Thee But Thine Own v. 1 & 2

Please be seated

Installation of Congregational Officers

(Those to be installed are presented before the altar)

Please stand

Prayer of the Church

Response after each petition of the prayer:

P: let us pray to the Lord:

C: Lord have mercy.

P: Lord God, heavenly Father, we thank You that of Your grace You have instituted holy matrimony, in which You keep us from unchastity and other offenses. We implore You, send Your blessing on every husband and wife. Do not let them provoke one another to anger and strife, but let them live peaceably together in love and godliness. Strengthen them with Your gracious help in all temptations, and help them to rear their children in accordance with Your will. Grant us all to walk before You in purity and holiness, putting our trust in You and leading such lives on earth that, in the world to come, we may have everlasting life; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

C: Amen

✠ SERVICE OF THE SACRAMENT ✠

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♪ **Preface**

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♪ **Sanctus**

♪ **Lord's Prayer**

♪ **The Words of Our Lord**

♪ **Pax Domini**

♪ **Agnus Dei**

Please be seated

Distribution

LSB #629 *What Is This Bread*

LSB #617 *O Lord, We Praise Thee*

LSB #631 *O My Lord, I See Thee Face to Face*

Please stand

♪ **Nunc Dimittis**

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♪ **Thanksgiving**

♪ **Benedicamus**

♪ **Benediction**

Please be seated

Announcements

Please stand

Recessional Hymn LSB #398 *Hail to the Lord's Anointed*

Face the cross as it leads us to live in Christian faith (Mt. 16:24; 1 Cor. 2:2).

Postlude