

Dec 8, 2024

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Welcome

Sharing the Peace

Confession and Forgiveness

Gathering Song

On Jordan's Bank | ELW 249

Greeting

Prayer of the Day

Reading | Luke 1:68-79

Blessed are you, Lord, the God of Israel, you have come to your people and set them free.

You have raised up for us a mighty Savior, born of the house of your servant David.

Through your holy prophets, you promised of old to save us from our enemies, from the hands of all who hate us,

to show mercy to our forebears, and to remember your holy covenant.

This was the oath you swore to our father Abraham: to set us free from the hands of our enemies,

free to worship you without fear, holy and righteous before you, all the days of our life.

And you, child, shall be called the prophet of the Most High, for you will go before the Lord to prepare the way,

to give God's people knowledge of salvation by the forgiveness of their sins.

In the tender compassion of our God the dawn from on high shall break upon us,

to shine on those who dwell in darkness and in the shadow of death, and to guide our feet into the way of peace.

Special Music | *Ready My Heart*
Youth Choir

Just for Kids

Gospel | Luke 3:1-6

In the fifteenth year of the reign of Emperor Tiberius, when Pontius Pilate was governor of Judea, and Herod was ruler of Galilee, and his brother Philip ruler of the region of Ituraea and Trachonitis, and Lysanias ruler of Abilene, during the high priesthood of Annas and Caiaphas, the word of God came to John son of Zechariah in the wilderness. He went into all the region around the Jordan, proclaiming a baptism of repentance for the forgiveness of sins, as it is written in the book of the words of the prophet Isaiah, "The voice of one crying out in the wilderness: 'Prepare the way of the Lord, make his paths straight. Every valley shall be filled, and every mountain and hill shall be made low, and the crooked shall be made straight, and the rough ways made smooth; and all flesh shall see the salvation of God.'"

Sermon | Pastor Ann Fenlason

Hymn | *Each Winter As the Year Grows Older* | ELW 252, vv1,3-5

Baptism | Oliver Joseph Tiegs

Prayers

The Lord's Prayer

Offering | *We Are An Offering*

Trinity Connect

Blessing

Sending Song | *He Came Down*
ELW 253

Sending

Go in peace.

Prepare the way for Emmanuel.

Thanks be to God.

Prayers

Healing and hope for: Verne Weiss, Genny Allen

- Those who mourn the death of loved ones, including the family and friends of Dave Triebel.
- For those who amid violence and war; those affected by natural disaster

Our partners in ministry at Salem Lutheran in Mpls and Salvadoran Lutheran Synod

Ongoing prayers for: Otto Abbott, Jeff Bann, Bill Bayer, Hazel Becker, Rita Beckman, Chris Cici-Cates, Gracie Dupee, Julie Dzubay, Bev Ebbecke, Trish Gardiner, Teresa Hutchinson, Or Lou Jensen, Bev & Joe Jerde, Larry Johnson, Judy & Tom Lane, Julie LaRose, Dick Larson, Janice Lehrke, Brent MacNabb, John Manro, Carol Moleski, Peter Ong, Marty Patterson, Steve Personius, Emma Peturka, Duane Ritter, Nora Russow, Scott Smith, Marv Timm, Brian D

Announcements

- **Altar Flowers** | In memory of Dave Triebel, given by his family.
- **Trinity Kids** | 5th graders stay in worship. K-4th grade pick up in media room.
- **AGAPE Mini Market** | **TODAY** | **Dec 11, 5-7pm** | **Dec 15, 10-11am** Shop for teacher appreciation, Christmas gifts and consumables.
- **Habitat for Humanity/Thrivent Builds Mission Trip** | **Meeting TODAY** Come to the conference room at 10:15 to learn more about this trip taking place Mar 30-Apr 5, 2025 to Bowling Green, KY. Text HABITAT
- **Serve in December** Salem Christmas Store, Dec 19 & 21 | See Sign Up Center or weekly email.
- **Christmas Eve** | **Worship Assistants** Help at one of the four Christmas Eve services. We need 50 volunteers. Text ASSIST or see Linda.
- **Trinity Women** | **Home for the Holidays** | **Dec 9, 7-9pm** Celebrate at Kari's home in Orono. Christmas cheer, stories, service project, apps, and festive drinks. Limited to 30. Carpool from Trinity. Text WOMEN.
- **Norway House's Gingerbread Exhibit** | **Dec 13, 10am** Enjoy gingerbread displays and have lunch at the Norway House Café. Sign up today!
- **Middle School Friday Night Live Christmas Party** | **Dec 20, 7-9pm** Food, festive games and more! Text FNL.
- **Seeds of Hope** | **Sponsor a student in El Salvador** Stop by the table in the narthex after worship.
- **Christmas Thunder Band** | **Dec 22** Warm up your instruments, all are welcome! Rehearsals Wed. & Sun.
- **Giving Tree** Help empty the tree today Due dates are on the tags. Gifts support local organizations.
- **Hats, Gloves & Mittens for Shelters** Collecting new items. Place in basket under the Giving Tree.

Wednesday NIGHTS | COMMUNITY WORSHIP FOOD @ TRINITY LONG LAKE

Dec 11

4:00 | Youth Choir
5:00 | Dinner
5:15 | Club 45
6:00 | Worship
6:30 | Confirmation
6:45 | Trinity Choir
7:30 | HS Youth Group



Pastor Adam Butler
Pastor Ann Fenlason

Community for You

thank you for worshipping with us

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