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SEASON OF EPIPHANY

3rd Sunday after Epiphany

January 22, 2012 8:30am

Prelude **ELW #763**

“My Life Flows On in Endless Song”

WELCOME

CONFESSION

P: In the name of the Father, and of the + Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

C: Amen.

P: God is light; in him there is no darkness at all.

C: If we walk in the light as God himself is in the light, we have fellowship with one another, and the blood of Jesus Christ, God’s Son, cleanse us from all sin.

P: Where darkness is deepest, God’s glory appears.

(silence for reflection and self-examination)

P: Almighty God,

C: you dwell in light unapproachable. Unprotected, we perish in your presence. For our hearts are darkened, our minds beclouded; we call for night to cover our deeds; we have loved darkness rather than the light.

P: Jesus Christ is the light of the world, the light no darkness can overcome.

C: For his sake we beg forgiveness.

P: For his sake God hears your prayer. In Jesus Christ we have access to God in boldness and confidence through faith in him.

C: We have seen the Lord’s glory; we have heard the Lord’s voice.

P: Walk, then, as children of light; in the name of the Father, and of the + Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

C: Amen.

Hymn **ELW #793** “Be Thou My Vision”

Prayer of the Day Bulletin Insert (**ALL**)

First Reading Jonah 3:1-5, 10 Bulletin Insert

Psalm 62:5-12 Bulletin Insert

Gospel Mark 1:14-20 Bulletin Insert

SERMON

Hymn **ELW #817**

“You Have Come Down to the Lakeshore”

The Apostles’ Creed Page 105

The Offering “I Will Not Be Moved”

OFFERTORY PRAYER

P: Gracious God,

C: your Spirit blows through creation, breathing life into us and all living things, kindling faith and inspiring us to serve you and one another. All that is ours comes from you, gifts of your sustaining love. You have blessed us with these gifts that we may be a blessing to others. We dedicate to you all that you have entrusted to us. We offer ourselves and these gifts for your service. Pour your Spirit into our hearts. Be our guide and our inspiration, that we who bear Christ’s name may be generous and bold in proclaiming your love. AMEN.

The Prayers

The Lord’s Prayer Page 112

BLESSING

(Tune of “Morning Has Broken)

Lord, let your servant Go in your peace now.

My eyes, observant, Have seen the sight

Of the salvation Which you have promised

For ev’ry nation: Let there be light!

Closing Song **ELW #677**

“This Little Light of Mine”

Thomas Pibal, accomp. 893-2609 Sandy Fenner, custodian 876-2924
John Jaeger, guitarist 467-9094 Benjamin Jaeger, bassist 467-9094

WELCOME- On this winter's day, enter into the warmth of Christian friendship. We are blessed by one another's presence.

Those serving the Lord:

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| <u>Today</u> | <u>8:30am</u> | <u>10:30am</u> |
| <u>Reader:</u> | Edgar Kuhlow | Vernita Gessert |
| <u>Greeters:</u> | Edgar Kuhlow Carol Strassburg | Roland Buss |
| <u>Ushers:</u> | Bryan Neeb Warren Gunderson Keith Kuhlow | Randy Meyer David Kohl Kyle Kohl |

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| <u>Sunday Jan. 29</u> | <u>8:30am</u> | <u>10:30am</u> |
| <u>Reader:</u> | Keith Kuhlow | Becky Jaeger |
| <u>Greeters:</u> | Jeff & Donna Parrish | Roger & Audrey Knutson |
| <u>Ushers:</u> | Paul Schroeder Bradley Schroeder Bill Hamer | Aaron Strassburger Jason Parrish Ciara Trunnell |

ATTENDANCE: Sunday, Jan. 15 8:30am 84 Communed 75

Children's bulletins are available for children ages 3-12.
~Ask an usher~

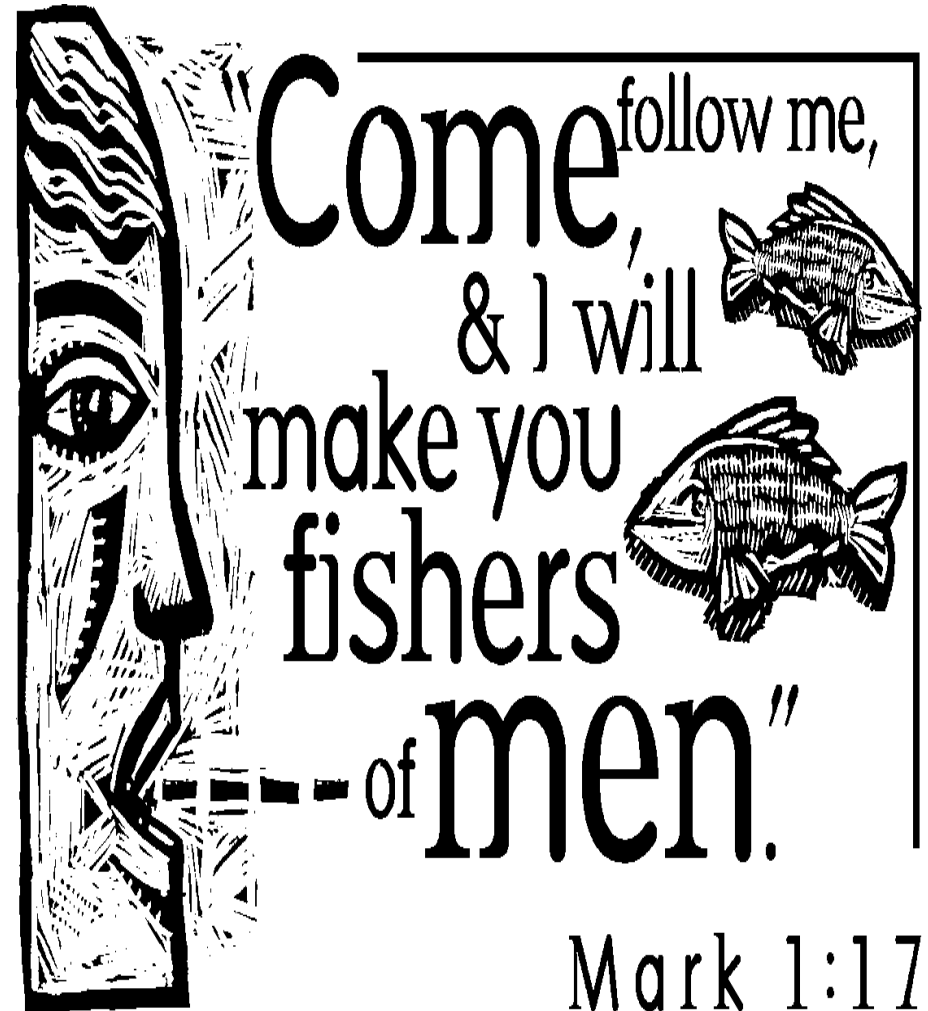
St. Luke Member Trivia

**** What year was the first St. Luke church built?**

Last week's trivia answer, the Bible verse that is on the cornerstone of St. Luke is 1 Samuel 7, 12

For your convenience, if you don't want to wait to be ushered out the center aisle, you may leave via the side aisle.

ST. LUKE LUTHERAN CHURCH ELCA



January 22, 2012 8:30am
Contemporary Worship Service

Announcements



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HEAD USHERS: There will be a brief meeting between services TODAY for ALL the head ushers (and any regular ushers if available) in the sanctuary.

ADULT BIBLE STUDY will meet today between services. The lesson today is "From Nazareth to Bethlehem". January 29 will focus on "The Manger". All are welcome.



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BITS & PREACHES will be distributed on January 29. If you have anything that you would like to include in this printing, PLEASE have it to Andrea by TODAY.

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