

# FIFTH SUNDAY AFTER EPIPHANY

9 A.M. WORSHIP SERVICE

February 9<sup>th</sup>, 2025

# Here I Am. Send Me.

*Isaiah 6:1-8*



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**Sunday Worship:** 9 a.m.

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# WELCOME! THANK YOU FOR WORSHIPPING WITH US TODAY.

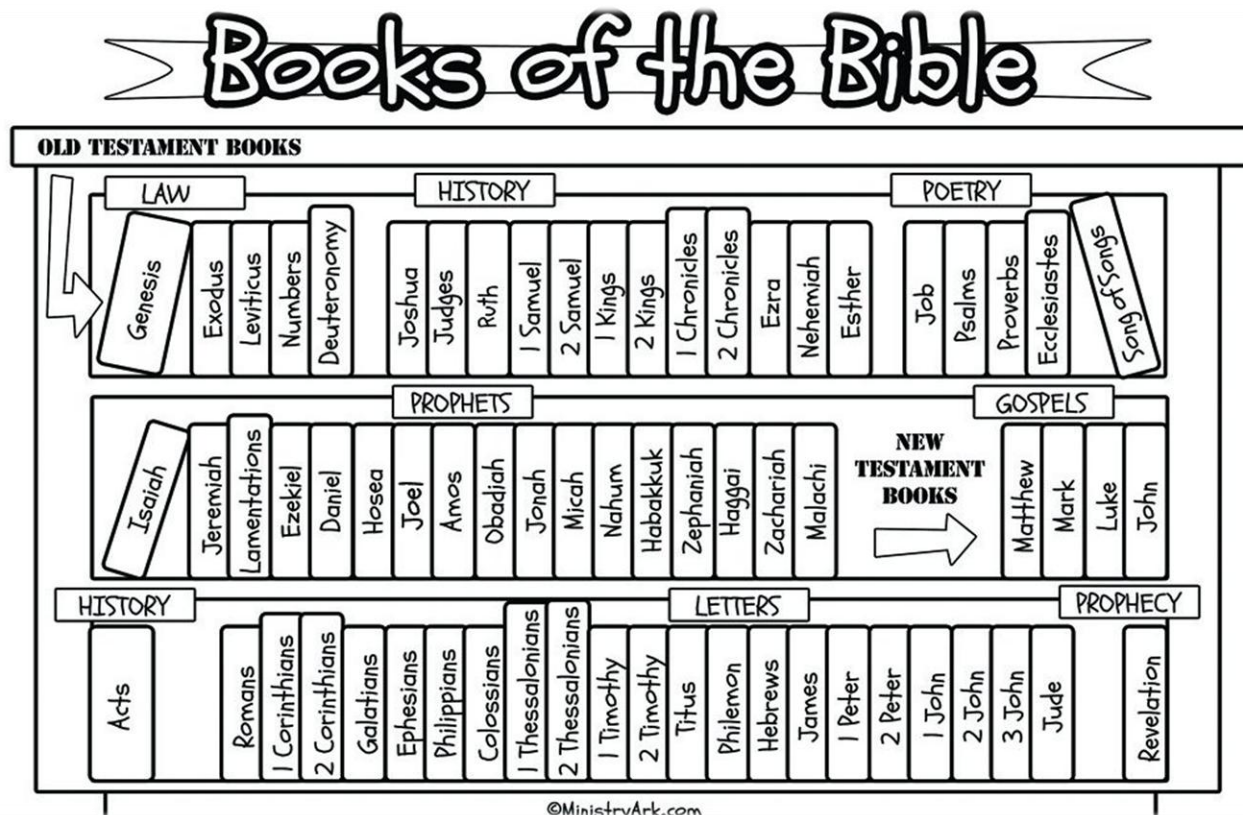
To help you prepare for worship.

1. **Locate today's Bible verses in your Bible.**
  - 1 Corinthians 14:12-20
2. **Mark each verse with a bookmark so you can easily find it during worship.**
3. **Highlight those verses you find helpful.**
4. **Pray the following prayer before worship:**

*Gracious Father, thank you for the gift of Your Son, our Savior Jesus Christ. Your mercy is new every morning and I am grateful. Bless this morning of worship and fill me with your presence. In Jesus name, Amen.*

**Bookmarks and Bible highlighters are available at the back of the sanctuary.**

Need help finding the Bible verses? This image may help!



## PRELUDE

## WELCOME

### OPENING HYMN #906

### O Day of Rest and Gladness

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- 1 O day of rest and gladness,  
O day of joy and light,  
O balm of care and sadness,  
Most beautiful, most bright;  
This day the high and lowly,  
Through ages joined to bless,  
Sing, “Holy, holy, holy,”  
The triune God confess.
- 2 This day at earth’s creation  
The light first had its birth;  
This day for our salvation  
Christ rose from depths of earth;  
This day our Lord victorious  
The Spirit sent from heav’n,  
And thus this day most glorious  
A threefold light was giv’n.
- 3 This day, God’s people meeting,  
His Holy Scripture hear;  
His living presence greeting,  
Through bread and wine made near.  
We journey on, believing,  
Renewed with heav’nly might,  
From grace more grace receiving,  
On this blest day of light.
- △ 4 That light our hope sustaining,  
We walk the pilgrim way,  
At length our rest attaining,  
Our endless Sabbath day.  
We sing to Thee our praises,  
O Father, Spirit, Son;  
The Church her voice upraises  
To Thee, blest Three in One.

## INVOCATION

- P** In the name of the Father and of the ✠ Son and of the Holy Spirit.  
**C** Amen.

## CONFESSION AND ABSOLUTION

- P** Our relationship with God is built on the forgiveness of sins found in the death and resurrection of Jesus Christ.  
Let us take a moment to silently examine our lives, confess our sins to God, and seek His forgiveness and strength.

### TIME FOR SILENT CONFESSION TO GOD

- P** We confess,  
**C** **God, forgive my sin and create a new heart that lives in the power and freedom of your forgiveness.**
- P** Know this, You have been set free from sin by the suffering, death, and resurrection of Jesus Christ. Your sins are forgiven completely, in the name of the Father and of the ✠ Son and of the Holy Spirit.  
**C** Amen.

## HYMN #507

Holy, Holy, Holy  
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- 1 Holy, holy, holy! Lord God Almighty!  
Early in the morning our song shall rise to Thee;  
Holy, holy, holy, merciful and mighty!  
God in three persons, blessed Trinity!
- 2 Holy, holy, holy! All the saints adore Thee,  
Casting down their golden crowns around the glassy sea;  
Cherubim and seraphim falling down before Thee,  
Which wert and art and evermore shalt be.
- 3 Holy, holy, holy! Though the darkness hide Thee,  
Though the eye of sinful man Thy glory may not see,  
Only Thou art holy; there is none beside Thee,  
Perfect in pow'r, in love, and purity.
- 4 Holy, holy, holy! Lord God Almighty!  
All Thy works shall praise Thy name in earth and sky and sea.  
Holy, holy, holy, merciful and mighty!  
God in three persons, blessed Trinity!

## OLD TESTAMENT READING

*Isaiah 6:1-8*

In the year that King Uzziah died I saw the Lord sitting upon a throne, high and lifted up; and the train of his robe filled the temple. Above him stood the seraphim. Each had six wings: with two he covered his face, and with two he covered his feet, and with two he flew. And one called to another and said:

“Holy, holy, holy is the Lord of hosts;  
the whole earth is full of his glory!”

And the foundations of the thresholds shook at the voice of him who called, and the house was filled with smoke. And I said: “Woe is me! For I am lost; for I am a man of unclean lips, and I dwell in the midst of a people of unclean lips; for my eyes have seen the King, the Lord of hosts!”

Then one of the seraphim flew to me, having in his hand a burning coal that he had taken with tongs from the altar. And he touched my mouth and said: “Behold, this has touched your lips; your guilt is taken away, and your sin atoned for.”

And I heard the voice of the Lord saying, “Whom shall I send, and who will go for us?” Then I said, “Here am I! Send me.”

**P** This is the Word of the Lord.

**C** Thanks be to God.

## EPISTLE READING

*1 Corinthians 14:12b-20*

...since you are eager for manifestations of the Spirit, strive to excel in building up the church.

Therefore, one who speaks in a tongue should pray for the power to interpret. For if I pray in a tongue, my spirit prays but my mind is unfruitful. What am I to do? I will pray with my spirit, but I will pray with my mind also; I will sing praise with my spirit, but I will sing with my mind also. Otherwise, if you give thanks with your spirit, how can anyone in the position of an outsider say “Amen” to your thanksgiving when he does not know what you are saying? For you may be giving thanks well enough, but the other person is not being built up. I thank God that I speak in tongues more than all of you.

Nevertheless, in church I would rather speak five words with my mind in order to instruct others, than ten thousand words in a tongue.

Brothers, do not be children in your thinking.  
Be infants in evil, but in your thinking be mature.

**P** This is the Word of the Lord.

**C** **Thanks be to God.**

## **THE HOLY GOSPEL**

*Luke 5:1-11*

On one occasion, while the crowd was pressing in on [Jesus] to hear the word of God, he was standing by the lake of Gennesaret, and he saw two boats by the lake, but the fishermen had gone out of them and were washing their nets. Getting into one of the boats, which was Simon's, he asked him to put out a little from the land. And he sat down and taught the people from the boat. And when he had finished speaking, he said to Simon, "Put out into the deep and let down your nets for a catch." And Simon answered, "Master, we toiled all night and took nothing! But at your word I will let down the nets." And when they had done this, they enclosed a large number of fish, and their nets were breaking. They signaled to their partners in the other boat to come and help them. And they came and filled both the boats, so that they began to sink. But when Simon Peter saw it, he fell down at Jesus' knees, saying, "Depart from me, for I am a sinful man, O Lord." For he and all who were with him were astonished at the catch of fish that they had taken, and so also were James and John, sons of Zebedee, who were partners with Simon. And Jesus said to Simon, "Do not be afraid; from now on you will be catching men." And when they had brought their boats to land, they left everything and followed him.

**P** This is the Gospel of the Lord.

**C** **Thanks be to God.**

## **THE APOSTLES' CREED**

## **HYMN OF THE DAY #827**

## **Hark, the Voice of Jesus Calling**

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- 1 Hark, the voice of Jesus calling,  
    “Who will go and work today?  
Fields are white and harvests waiting—  
    Who will bear the sheaves away?”  
Loud and long the Master calleth;  
    Rich reward He offers thee.  
Who will answer, gladly saying,  
    “Here am I, send me, send me”?
- 2 Some take up His task in morning,  
    To their Lord responding soon;  
Some are called in heat of midday,  
    Others late in afternoon;  
Even as the sun is setting,  
    Some are sent into the fields,  
There to gather in the bounty  
    That God’s Word so richly yields.
- 3 For as rain and snow from heaven  
    Water seeds in dusty soil,  
Causing them to bud and flower,  
    Giving bread to those who toil;  
So the Lord sends forth His promise,  
    Words of life and joy and peace—  
Never void to Him returning,  
    Bearing fruit with great increase.
- 4 Harken to the Lord whose coming  
    Marks the time when grace shall end,  
When with His angelic reapers  
    He in glory shall descend.  
Soon the night, the final harvest;  
    Soon the time for work shall cease.  
Then the souls His grace has garnered  
    Shall enjoy His Sabbath peace.

## **SERMON**

## THE OFFERING – WAYS TO GIVE

- Sunday in the Offering Plate
- Text “Give” to 844-431-7278
- Scan the QR code.
- By mail: PO Box 126, Pequot Lakes, MN 56472



Thank you!

## OFFERING HYMN #806

Give Thanks

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*Sing as Offering is Brought Forward*

Give thanks with a grateful heart,  
Give thanks to the Holy One,  
Give thanks because He's given Jesus Christ His Son.

*(repeat)*

And now let the weak say “I am strong,”

Let the poor say “I am rich,”

Because of what the Lord has done for us.

*(repeat)*

Give thanks, give thanks.

## A TIME FOR PRAYER

### THE LORD'S PRAYER

**+ + + SERVICE OF THE SACRAMENT + + +**

### THE WORDS OF OUR LORD

**P** Our Lord Jesus Christ, on the night when He was betrayed, took bread, and when He had given thanks, He broke it and gave it to the disciples and said: “Take, eat; this is My  $\text{✠}$  body, which is given for you. This do in remembrance of Me.”

In the same way also He took the cup after supper, and when He had given thanks, He gave it to them, saying: “Drink of it, all of you; this cup is the new testament in My  $\text{✠}$  blood, which is shed for you for the forgiveness of sins. This do, as often as you drink it, in remembrance of Me.”

### THE PEACE OF THE LORD

**P** The peace of the Lord be with you always.

**C** And also with You.



## COMMUNION DISTRIBUTION

*We believe that Christ's body and blood are present in, with and under the bread and wine.  
Our Lord invites to his table those who repent of all sin, and trust in Jesus as their Savior.  
If you have never communed at Gloria Dei before or are unsure about what is taking place,  
please talk to Pastor Meyer. Welcome to the Lord's Table!*

## COMMUNION DISTRIBUTION MUSIC

### BENEDICTION

**P** The Lord bless you and keep you.  
The Lord make his face shine on you and be gracious to you.  
The Lord look upon you with favor and ✠ give you peace.

**C** Amen.

**CLOSING HYMN #805** Praise God From Whom All Blessings Flow  
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△ 1 Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;  
Praise Him, all creatures here below;  
Praise Him above, ye heav'nly host:  
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost.  
Amen.

## POSTLUDE

**ANNOUNCEMENTS FOR February 9, 2025**  
**Prayer Requests: The LORD is my light and my salvation;**  
**whom shall I fear? *Psalm 27:1***

*This week at Gloria Dei:*

**TODAY – February 9 – Fifth Sunday after the Epiphany**

9:00 am In-Person Worship w/Holy Communion &  
Facebook/YouTube Live

10:00 am Coffee & Refreshments – Team 8

10:15 am Education - Sunday School & Bible Study

10:15 am Next Steps for New Members – Conference Room

**TUESDAY – February 11**

9 am to Noon – Quilters Group

**WEDNESDAY – February 12**

**10:00 ???? am Serve Root beer Floats at All Day Release Time**

**10:00 am Bible Study – Ephesians (meets in conference room)**

**FRIDAY – February 14**

11:00 am Chat N Chow – St. Alice Catholic Church Serves

## **SUNDAY – February 16**

9:00 am In-Person Worship w/Holy Communion &  
Facebook /YouTube Live

10:00 am Coffee & Refreshments – Team 9

10:15 am Education - Sunday School & Bible Study

10:15 am Next Steps for New Members – Conference Room

### **THOSE SERVING TODAY**

#### **Worship Assistant:**

**Altar Guild:** Laurie Raisbeck      **Accompanist:** Nadine Meyer

**Technical Director:** Brian Zitzow      **Usher:** Bob Schepers

**Counters:** Bob & Theresa Peterson

**Coffee & Refreshments:** Team 8 – Patzer, Petersen, Peterson

**Attendance Last Sunday:** 88; **Chat N Chow:** 31

**Online Viewership:** Facebook 259; YouTube 65.

Contribution information is available upon request in the office.

**COMMUNION WINE:** If you would like a non-alcohol version of communion, the purple cups in the center of each tray are alcohol free.

#### **WAYS TO GIVE:**

Sunday in the offering plate, by text 844-431-7278  
or by scanning the QR code. Offerings can also be  
mailed to: PO Box 126, Pequot Lakes, MN 56472

Thank you!



**NEXT STEPS!** New to Gloria Dei? Want to find out more about our beliefs or how to get involved in our ministry? Join us in the conference room Sunday, February 9 and 16 after worship for “Next Steps”. New member welcome will be February 23.

**ROOT BEER FLOATS FOR ALL DAY RELEASE TIME:** Help is needed for purchasing and delivering supplies and serving root beer floats for All Day Release Time for Pequot Lakes students on February 12 at Pequot Lakes Baptist Church. Floats are served mid-morning. Please sign up to help on the bulletin board.

**FAMILY GAME NIGHT:** Please join the fun and fellowship on February 21 at 5 pm. A meal will be served followed by bingo, cornhole, card games and fellowship. Bring a friend!!

**SAVE THE DATE:** March 16 following Bible Study there will be a general first aid class offered to all Gloria Dei members and friends. A light meal will be provided following the class.

**LAKES AREA FOOD SHELF:** is located at 29316 Patriot Ave, Pequot Lakes, MN. For more information about the food shelf, please contact George & Colette Miller at 218-820-2928.

**LWML GUILD** meets monthly on the first Thursday of the month at 1 pm. All ladies of Gloria Dei are welcome. Meetings consist of social time, devotion and business discussion. We hope to see you there.

**OFFICE ADMINISTRATOR HOURS:** Wednesdays and Fridays 9 am to 2 pm. *These hours are subject to change. Please call ahead if you wish to see Lynn in the office. Thank you.*

**LIFE QUOTE:** “We may not be trained healers, but we have been trained through our own experiences and God’s Word to bring comfort. Be brave, reach out, and know the Lord is by your side. Pray for His guidance in what you say and do so you will bring needed comfort. We have a message of hope!” *Virginia Flo, Lutherans For Life – A Life Quote from Lutherans For Life • lutheransforlife.org*