

St. Matthew's Ev. Lutheran Church

1615 N. Wauwatosa Ave.

Wauwatosa, WI 53213

February 10th, 2019

Fifth Sunday after Epiphany

8:30 & 11:00 a.m. Services

Prelude

Welcome to Worship

(11:00) Temple Talk

Stephen Ministry

Gathering

(Please stand as you are able)

Thanksgiving for Baptism *(adapted from Evangelical Lutheran Worship)*

A Blessed be the holy Trinity, one God, the fountain of living water, who gave us birth, our light, and our salvation.

C Amen.

A Joined to Christ in the waters of baptism, we are clothed with God's mercy and forgiveness.

C Let us give thanks for the gift of baptism.

A We give you thanks, O God,

C for in the beginning your Spirit moved over the waters and by your Word you created the world, calling forth life in which you took delight.

P Pour out upon us and on your whole church the gift of your Holy Spirit, so that all who have passed through the waters of Baptism might be dead to sin and alive to God in Christ Jesus

C To you be given honor and praise through Jesus Christ our Lord in the unity of the Holy Spirit, now and forever. Amen!

Gathering Song

#798 Will You Come and Follow Me: The Summons

Litany for the 5th Sunday after Epiphany

P Like Isaiah before us,

C we are amazed by what the Lord has done.

P As so many followers have done before,

C may we respond to his call by saying, "Here I am! Send me!"

P As time spreads before us,

C may our eyes be open to the opportunities we have to share the Gospel with others.

P And as more people seek to know the Lord,

C may news of him be made known to them all, so that they, too, may know the joy of the Lord. Amen.

Apostolic Greeting

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Prayer of the Day

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Word*(Please be seated)*

First Reading

Isaiah 6:1-8 [9-13]

Through a vision in the temple, the eighth-century prophet Isaiah is called by God to announce judgment against Israel. Like other prophets, Isaiah is initially hesitant because of his awareness of his sin and his shortcomings, but when the Lord calls, Isaiah responds, "Here am I; send me!"

P Word of God, Word of Life **C** **Thanks be to God.**

Second Reading

1 Corinthians 15:1-11

Paul delivers in a nutshell the story of the gospel that was given to him. In the lineage of the Christian faith, we have received the good news of God's love from generations of believers before us, and we continue to tell this story to the world.

P Word of God, Word of Life. **C** **Thanks be to God.**

(Please stand as you are able)

Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia, Lord and Savior!

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Al - le - lu - ia! Lord and Sav - ior: o - pen now your sav - ing word.



Let it burn like fire with - in us; speak un - til our hearts are stirred.



Al - le - lu - ia! Lord, we sing for the good news that you bring.

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Gospel

Luke 5:1-11

P The holy gospel according to Luke, the 5th chapter.
C **Glory to you, O Lord.**

Jesus' teaching of God's word has begun to draw great crowds. For Simon, James, and John, Jesus' teaching inspires hospitality, then obedience, and then risk. After Jesus' creative power is revealed, fear and amazement lead these three fishermen to leave everything behind in order to become apostles.

Gospel Response

P The Gospel of the Lord for you this day. **C** **Praise to you, O Christ.**

(Please be seated)

Children's Sermon

Pastor Ann Williams

Sermon

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(Please stand as you are able)

Hymn of the Day

#817 You Have Come Down to the Lakeshore

(Prayer cards will be collected during the Hymn)

The Apostles' Creed

Inside back cover of the Hymnal

Prayers of Intercession

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Installation of the Church Council

P On behalf of your sisters and brothers in Christ, I ask you: Will you accept and faithfully carry out the duties of the offices to which you have been elected?

C **I will, and I ask God to help me.**

P People of God, I ask you: Will you support these, your elected leaders, and will you share in the mutual ministry that Christ has given to all who are baptized?

C **We will, and we ask God to help us.**

P I now declare you installed as officers and council members of this congregation. Almighty God bless you, and direct your days and your deeds in peace, that you may be faithful servants of Christ. **C** **Amen.**

Sharing the Peace of Christ

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Thanksgiving

(8:30) Musical Offering

Deep Waters by Pepper Choplin

Their fishing nets were empty when they first saw the Lord.

All night they had been fishing in the waters by the shore.

The Lord said, "Go to deep waters, cast your nets once more."

And because they obeyed, they would never be the same. *Refrain*

Go to deep waters, deep waters, where only faith will let you go.

Go out to deep waters, deep waters, harvests of faith will overflow.

Harvests of faith will overflow.

They cast their nets and almost before they could begin,

Their nets were overflowing and they had to pull them in.

And though this was their greatest catch their fishing days would end.

For they abandoned all when they heard the Master's call. *Refrain*

Canticle of Thanksgiving **#185 Create in Me a Clean Heart**

Thanksgiving for the Word page 220

Lord's Prayer page 221 (Contemporary Version)

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.

Sending

(Please be seated)

Today's Highlights

For more information on the church's activities, please pick up the bulletin announcements from the Welcome Center, ask an usher or go to our website, stmattslutheran.org.

(8:30) Temple Talk Stephen Ministry

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Benediction for the Epiphany Season

P The God of glory dwell in you richly, name you beloved, and shine brightly on your path; and the blessing of almighty God, the Father, the H Son, and the Holy Spirit, be upon you and remain with you always.

C Amen.

Sending Song **#575 In Christ Called to Baptize**

Dismissal

A Go forth as light into the world, rejoicing in the power of the Holy Spirit.

C Thanks be to God.

Postlude

Your presence has blessed our worship service. May you be strengthened by the strong word of God expressed through music and worship today. The peace of the Lord be with you as you go.

A Healing Service will be held after the 11:00 Service in the Sanctuary.