



Sunday, January 24, 2021
10:45 A.M.
Third Sunday after Epiphany

GATHERING

PRELUDE

Come, Now is the Time to Worship

***Chorus: Come now is the time to worship
Come now is the time to give your heart
Come just as you are to worship
Come just as you are before your God
Come***

**One day every tongue
Will confess You are God
One day every knee will bow
Still the greatest treasure remains
For those who gladly choose You now**

Chorus

**Willingly we choose to surrender our lives
Willingly our knees will bow
With all our heart, soul, mind and strength
We gladly choose You now**

Chorus

WELCOME & OPENING PRAYER

GATHERING SONGS: *You Are Holy*

**You are holy (You are holy)
You are mighty (You are mighty)
You are worthy (You are worthy)
worthy of praise (worthy of praise)**

**I will follow (I will follow)
I will listen (I will listen)
I will love You (I will love you)
all of my days (all of my days)**

**You are Lord of lords
You are King of kings,
You are mighty God
Lord of ev'rything**

**You're Emmanuel
You're the Great I AM
You're the Prince of Peace
Who is the Lamb**

**You're the Living God
You're my saving grace
You will reign forever
You are Ancient of Days**

**You are Alpha, Omega, Beginning and End
You're my Savior, Messiah, Redeemer and Friend
You're my Prince of Peace
and I will live my life for You**



God of Wonders

**Lord of all creation
Of the water, earth and sky
The Heavens are Your Tabernacle
Glory to the Lord on high**

Chorus: **God of wonders, beyond our galaxy
You are holy, holy
The universe declares Your majesty
You are holy, holy
Lord of Heaven and Earth
Lord of Heaven and Earth**

**Early in the morning
I will celebrate the light
As I stumble into darkness
I will call Your name by night**

Chorus

**Hallelujah, to the Lord of Heaven and earth
Hallelujah, to the Lord of Heaven and earth
Hallelujah, to the Lord of Heaven and earth**

**God of wonders, beyond our galaxy
You are holy, holy
Precious Lord, reveal your heart to me
Father holy, holy
The universe declares Your majesty
You are holy, holy
holy, holy**

WORD

CHILDREN'S SERMON

GOSPEL – Mark 1:14-20

¹⁴Now after John was arrested, Jesus came to Galilee, proclaiming the good news of God, ¹⁵and saying, “The time is fulfilled, and the kingdom of God has come near; repent, and believe in the good news.”

¹⁶As Jesus passed along the Sea of Galilee, he saw Simon and his brother Andrew casting a net into the sea—for they were fishermen. ¹⁷And Jesus said to them, “Follow me and I will make you fish for people.”

¹⁸And immediately they left their nets and followed him. ¹⁹As he went a little farther, he saw James son of Zebedee and his brother John, who were in their boat mending the nets. ²⁰Immediately he called them; and they left their father Zebedee in the boat with the hired men, and followed him.

The Gospel of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

SERMON

Rev. Larry Clark

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

You are invited to pray... through song, through silent reflection, through words, or anything else in between. May this song guide your prayers today. If you would like to lift prayers up so that others might pray, too, please do so in the comments section during our livestream worship.

Hallelujah

Music by Leonard Cohen, Lyrics by Rachel Kurtz

**I put my faith in God above
Yet all I'd ever learned from love
Is how to shoot somebody who outdrew ya
Love came in making two to one
Proclaiming “God your kingdom come”
And every breath we drew was Hallelujah**

**Hallelujah, hallelujah
Hallelujah, hallelujah**

**Alone and broken on the cross,
Your followers thinking all was lost,
they scattered aimless, like they never knew ya
We know that we are broken too,
Denying that we follow you
It's a cold and it's a broken Hallelujah
Hallelujah, hallelujah
Hallelujah, hallelujah**

**Peace to the broken hearted ones,
to the captives and prisoners, in our shame,
our doubt, our fears God's calling to ya,
Oh Love it has it's victory march,
Proclaiming peace to those far off
With grateful hearts we raise the hallelujah
Hallelujah, hallelujah
Hallelujah, hallelujah**

MEAL

We practice two sacraments in the Lutheran tradition: baptism and holy communion. These are celebrated in community, in public worship, where we can all participate and remember together: God is known for using ordinary earthly things (like water, bread, and wine) to make extraordinary promises (like forgiveness, salvation, healing and new life) to creation.

Today is a good reminder that this simple meal nourishes God's community across time and space. We would rather be with you in person for the sacrament today, but we trust Jesus to show up beyond our limitations, to meet us in this separation with a Spirit that unites, to feed us with the bread of life who is our source and strength.

WORDS OF INSTITUTION

LORD'S PRAYER

**Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name,
thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven.
Give us this day our daily bread;
and forgive us our trespasses,
as we forgive those who trespass against us;
and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.
For thine is the kingdom,
and the power, and the glory, forever and ever. Amen.**

We don't serve ourselves communion because there's something holy about that promise coming from outside our own bodies, a perfect declaration from God spoken to us by our neighbor: This is the body of Christ, given for you. This is the blood of Christ, poured out for you. If you are gathered together with others from your household, speak these words aloud when you serve each other. If you do not have someone in the room with you while you receive the sacrament, hear my voice as the external word of grace and invitation.

+ + *Receive the Meal* + +

The body of Christ, given for you. The blood of Christ, shed for you.

We pause for prayer and reflection, offering time to commune one another.

SENDING

OFFERING & ANNOUNCEMENTS

BLESSING

SENDING SONG *Your Grace is Enough*

**Great is Your faithfulness, oh God
You wrestle with the sinner's heart
You lead us by still waters into mercy
And nothing can keep us apart**

**So remember Your people
Remember Your children
Remember Your promise, oh God**

**Your grace is enough
Your grace is enough
Your grace is enough for me**

**Great is Your love and justice, God of Jacob
You use the weak to lead the strong
You lead us in the song of Your salvation
And all Your people sing along**

**So remember Your people
Remember Your children
Remember Your promise, oh God**

**Your grace is enough
Your grace is enough
Your grace is enough for me**

**So remember Your people
Remember Your children
Remember Your promise, oh God**

**Your grace is enough
Heaven reaches out to us
Your grace is enough for me**

**I sing Your grace is enough
I'm covered in Your love
Your grace is enough for me, for me**

DISMISSAL

Go in peace. Be the light of Christ.
Thanks be to God.

*See you next week for worship livestream
at 5pm on Saturday and 8:45am & 10:45am on Sunday!*



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Transforming lives by sharing a saving faith in Jesus Christ
and living the Gospel through service

If you would like to add a name to our prayer list, connect with our ministries,
meet with one of our pastors, or learn more about ELC and how to join, feel free to
call or email us. You are always welcome here.

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Thank you for worshipping with us today as we seek to be in community with one another while minimizing physical contact. As a gentle reminder, please continue to wash your hands for the recommended 20 seconds, wear a mask and create safe boundaries through physical distancing.

We know that God is with us and God is at work, wherever we worship. With coronavirus cases on the rise, we will continue worshipping online at this time. Please be vigilant and check your email, Facebook, etc., for additional notifications and updates in the coming weeks, and contact the church council (council@edgebrooklutheran.org) with any concerns.

Stay safe and be well! God's peace to you!!