

Welcome to English Lutheran Church!

Please fill out a Welcome Card found in the pews and hand to an usher at communion.

This service is following Setting 8 which can be found in your Hymnal starting on Page 184. Congregation responses are printed in bold.

Prelude

Call to Worship: New Bells

Thanksgiving for Baptism

Entrance Hymn | #660 Lift High the Cross

Greeting

Kyrie | pg 184

Prayer of the Day (Prayed in Unison)

O God, our leader and guide, in the waters of baptism you bring us to new birth to live as your children. Strengthen our faith in your promises, that by your Spirit we may lift up your life to all the world through your Son, Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.

Children's Sermon

Psalm 121 | Read Responsively

I lift up my eyes to the hills;

from where is my help to come?

**My help comes from the Lord,
the maker of heaven and earth.**

The Lord will not let your foot be moved

nor will the one who watches over you fall asleep.

**Behold, the keeper of Israel
will neither slumber nor sleep;**

the Lord watches over you;

the Lord is your shade at your right hand;

**the sun will not strike you by day,
nor the moon by night.**

The Lord will preserve you from all evil
and will keep your life.

**The Lord will watch over your going out and your coming in,
from this time forth forevermore.**

Anthem: 8:30 10:45 | English Ringers

Lesson | Romans 4:1-5, 13-17 | pg 161 NT

Gospel Acclamation | pg 189

Gospel | John 3:1-17 | pg 96 NT

Sermon

Pastor Becky Goche

Hymn of the Day | #323 | God Loved the World

Apostles' Creed | pg 105

Prayers | ELW 752 | Lord, Listen to your Children

Peace | **And Also With You**

Offering

Offering Prayer

Great Thanksgiving

The Lord be with you. | **And also with you.**

Lift up your hearts. | **We lift them to the Lord.**

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God. | **It is right to give our thanks and praise.**

Holy, Holy, Holy | pg 190

Lord's Prayer | Spoken

Lamb of God | pg 191

Distribution of Communion

Songs During Communion

#325 | I Want Jesus to Walk With Me

#759 | My Faith Looks Up To Me

#591 | That Priceless Grace

Post-Communion Prayer

Sending of Holy Communion

Announcements

Benediction/Blessing

Sending Song | #324 | In the Cross of Christ I Glory

Dismissal | **Thanks be to God.**

Postlude

Visitors, we welcome you to English Lutheran Church! We are glad that you are joining us today and hope you find your worship here to be meaningful. Feel free to introduce yourself to one of the pastors and visit the Welcome Center in the narthex for information on ELC and a free gift. You're invited to stay for fellowship between the services on Sunday. Also, please complete a pew card to let us know you are visiting!

Welcome to this service of Holy Communion. Lutherans believe that Christ, the Incarnate Word of God, is truly present in the Lord's Supper and that in this meal of the baptized children of God our Lord gives forgiveness of sins, life and salvation. All who seek the mercy and grace of God in this Body and Blood of our Lord Jesus are welcome to the Lord's Table. For those who desire wine, choose a clear cup from the tray. Those who desire grape juice, choose a purple cup. Gluten free wafers for are available. Indicate your desire to your server.

The red rose on the altar is in honor of the Feb. 29th birth of George Erwin Casper. George's parents are Ryan and Natalie Casper.

HUNGRY Jar for March will go to **Sugar Creek Bible Camp**. Sugar Creek is a unique, beautiful, and vibrant Summer Camp for grades 1-12, as well as a comfortable year-round Retreat Center. Over 1,500 children participate in our summer residential and day camp programs, plus countless more groups and individuals during our retreat season.

PASTORAL STAFF | Pastor Mark Solyst, Pastor Becky Goche and Vicar Eric G. Miller

MINISTERS | All Baptized Members

OUR MISSION STATEMENT | In Christ, we welcome, worship, and work in the world.

WORSHIP | Saturdays 5:00 p.m. and Sundays at 8:30 a.m. and 10:45 a.m.

NURSERY STAFFED | Wednesday evenings and Sunday mornings.

EDUCATION OPPORTUNITIES are offered during the school year at 9:45 a.m. on Sundays and throughout the week for all ages.

HEARING LOOP | Switch hearing aid to T-coil mode or ask an usher for headphones.


We thank our worship volunteers this weekend!

8:30 Ushers: Larry Vangen, Adam Hatfield, Mark Hatleli, Mark Flaten
Communion: Janet Melby, Tom Barth, Joan Allen
Acolytes: Reese Walter, Aliyah Schieldt
Lector: **Bob Weeks**
Tec Booth: Kathy Slindee, Robert Lynn, Max Wurster

10:45 Ushers: Al Graewin, Anden Scheildt
Communion: Mary Sween, Peggy Sannerud, Greg Fenton
Acolytes: Greyson Veum, Josh Pepin
Lector: Gail Quarberg
Tec Booth: Eddie Kim, Casey Erickson

Musicians: Luke Thering, Alli Langer

Worship Coordinator: Emily Farmer
Welcome Desk: Terri Hanson

 *Recycle this bulletin for the next service. Hand to ushers, or leave it on a table as you leave the sanctuary. Those attending the late service can recycle the bulletin in the designated containers.*

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Second Sunday in Lent



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