



Pilgrim Lutheran Church

February 20, 2022

Seventh Sunday after Epiphany

PRELUDE

Guide Me Ever, Great Redeemer

arr. by Dale Wood

Guide me ever, great Redeemer, Pilgrim through this barren land. I am weak, but you are mighty; Hold me with your pow'rful hand. Bread of heaven, bread of heaven, Feed me now and evermore.

Open now the crystal fountain Where the healing waters flow; Let the fire and cloudy pillar Lead me all my journey through. Strong deliv'rer, strong deliv'rer, Shield me with your mighty arm.

When I tread the verge of Jordan, Bid my anxious fears subside; Death of death and hell's destruction, Land me safe on Canaan's side. Songs and praises, songs and praises, I will raise forevermore.
Text by William Williams 1717-1791

SINGING BOWL

WELCOME AND WORSHIP ANNOUNCEMENTS

+ GATHERING HYMN

Kyrie (Ghana)

ELW No 151

1, 3 Ky - ri - e e - le - i - son. Ky - ri - e e - le - i - son.
2 Chris - te e - le - i - son. Chris - te e - le - i - son.

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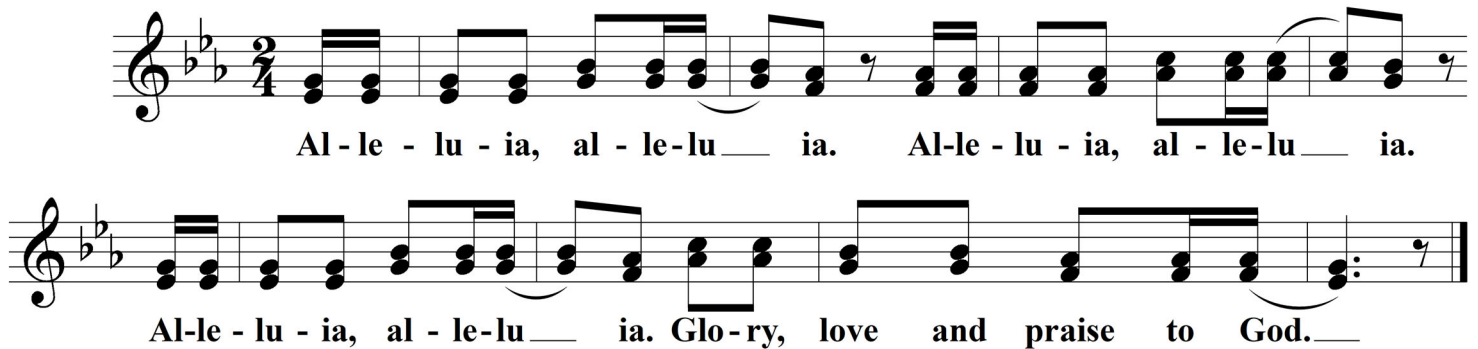
Music: Dinah Reindorf, b. c. 1927
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POINT FOR PILGRIMS

+ SUNG ACCLAMATION

Alleluia (Honduras)
Sing twice

ACS S703



Traditional melody from Honduras

+ SCRIPTURE

Acts 16:11-15

We put out to sea from Troas and set a course straight for Samothrace, and the next day on to Neapolis; ¹²from there we went to Philippi, which is one of the bigger cities in Macedonia and a Roman colony, and spent a few days there. ¹³On the Sabbath we went along the river outside the gates, thinking we might find a place of prayer. We sat down and preached to the women who had come to the gathering. ¹⁴One of them was named Lydia, a devout woman from the town of Thyatira who was in the purple-dye trade. As she listened to us, Christ opened her heart to accept what Paul was saying. ¹⁵After she and her household were baptized, she extended us an invitation: "If you are convinced that I am a believer in Christ, please come and stay with us. We accepted.

L: Holy Wisdom, Holy Word

C: **Thanks be to God.**

SERMON

SILENCE

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

RITE OF BAPTISM

AFFIRMATION OF FAITH

- L: I ask all of you, do you renounce all the forces that defy God, the powers of this world that fly in the face of God, and the ways this world draws you away from God, if so, please say "We renounce them!"
- C: We renounce them!**
- L: I ask all of you, do you believe in God the Creator?
- C: We believe in one God, the maker of heaven and earth, who in goodness created us and by grace sustains us.**
- L: Do you believe in Jesus Christ?
- C: We believe in Jesus Christ, beloved child of God, who became a human being and lived among us, experiencing fully the joys, sorrows, and temptations of human life. While he walked the earth, he taught and healed, but most of all he loved, and showed us how to love one another. By us and for us he was crucified; he died and was buried. Yet he rose again and lives on, freeing us and empowering us to be children of God.**
- L: Do you believe in God the Holy Spirit?
- C: We believe in the Holy Spirit, Poured out upon the early disciples at the Day of Pentecost and upon us at our baptisms. The Spirit has spoken through the prophets, continues to speak through us today, and joins us together in the body of Christ, yearning within us to pray for those things too deep for words, nourishing us in faith and bringing us to the wholeness of life everlasting. Amen.**

RESPONSE TO BAPTISM

- C: Welcome *Lucy* into the body of Christ! / Welcome *Lucy*, to this calling/ to show God's love and care/ to all people and creation!/YOU ARE A DEARLY LOVED CHILD OF GOD!/ HOORAY *Lucy*!/HOORAY GOD!**

+ PEACE — (demonstrate safe ways to do this)

OFFERING/COMMUNITY ANNOUNCEMENTS

1 I'm go-ing on a jour-ney, and I'm start-ing to-day. My

head is wet, and I'm on my way. Christ's mark is on me;

it's on you, too; it says he loves me, and he loves you, too!

Text: Kenneth D. Larkin

Music: WET SAINTS, Edward V. Bonnemère, 1921–1996

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GREAT THANKSGIVING

Come Let Us Eat (Liberia)

ELW № 491

Congregation echoes each line sung by the celebrant.

**Come, let us eat, for now the feast is spread,
Our Lord's body let us take together.**

**Come, let us drink, for now the wine is poured,
Jesus' blood poured let us drink together.**



San-to, san - to, san - to Dios de glo - ria y po - der,
Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly God of pow - er and might,



cie - los y tie - rra pro - cla - man tu glo - ria.
heav - en and earth . . . are full of your glo - ry.



Ho - san - na, ho - san - na, ho - san-na en los cie - los.
Ho - san - na, ho - san - na, ho - san-na in the high - est.



Ho - san - na, ho - san - na, ho - san-na en los cie - los.
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Ben - di - to a - quel que vie - ne en el nom - bre de Dios.
Bless - ed is the one who comes in the name of our God.



Ho - san - na, ho - san - na, ho - san-na en los cie - los.
Ho - san - na, ho - san - na, ho - san-na in the high - est.



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+LORD'S PRAYER


L: And now we pray the prayer that Jesus taught us, saying: Abundant God, Our Mother,

C: 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 in the time of trial and deliver us from evil. For the kingdom, the power, and the glory are yours, now and forever. Amen.


AGNUS DEI

Choir sings in English, then all repeat

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Cor - de - ro de Dios, tú que qui - tas el pe -
O Lamb . . of God, you . . take a - way the




ca - do del mun - do: ten pie - dad de no - so - tros.
sin of the world; . . . have . . mer - cy up - on us.


Choir sings in Spanish, then all repeat




Cor - de - ro de Dios, tú que qui - tas el pe -
O Lamb . . of God, you . . take a - way the



ca - do del mun - do: ten pie - dad de no -
sin of the world; . . . have . . mer - cy up -



so - tros, ten pie - dad de no - so - stros.
on us, have . . . mer - cy up - on us.



Da - nos tu paz. A - mén.
Grant us your peace. A - mén.



- 1 Wash, O God, our sons and daughters, where your cleans-ing wa-ters flow.
- 2 We who bring them long for nur-ture; by your milk may we be fed.
- 3 Oh, how deep your ho-ly wis-dom! Un-im-ag-ined, all your ways!



Num-ber them a-mong your peo-ple; bless as Christ blessed long a-go.
 Let us join your feast, par-tak-ing cup of bless-ing, liv-ing bread.
 To your name be glo-ry, hon-or! With our lives we wor-ship, praise!



Weave them gar-ments bright and spark-ling; com-pass them with love and light.
 God, re-new us, guide our foot-steps; free from sin and all its snares,
 We your peo-ple stand be-fore you, wa-ter-washed and Spir-it-born.



Fill, a-noint them; send your Spir-it, ho-ly dove and heart's de-light.
 one with Christ in liv-ing, dy-ing, by your Spir-it, chil-dren, heirs.
 By your grace, our lives we of-fer. Re-cre-ate us; God, trans-form!

Text: Ruth Duck, b. 1947

Music: BEACH SPRING, *The Sacred Harp*, Philadelphia, 1844

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This hymn was picked by Lucy's family in honor of her baptism.



1 "Go, my chil - dren, with my bless-ing, nev - er a - lone.
3 "Go, my chil - dren, fed and nour-ished, clos - er to me.



Wak - ing, sleep - ing, I am with you, you are my own.
Grow in love and love by serv-ing, joy - ful and free.



In my love's bap-tis - mal riv - er I have made you mine for-ev - er.
Here my Spir - it's pow - er filled you, here my ten - der com-fort stilled you.



Go, my chil - dren, with my bless-ing, you are my own."
Go, my chil - dren, fed and nour-ished, joy - ful and free."

Text: Jaroslav J. Vajda, b. 1919, alt.

Music: AR HYD Y NOS, Welsh traditional

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ABOUT OUR WORSHIP TODAY

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Presiding Ministers — Pastor Jen Rome

Music Director, Organist and Pianist — Paul Stever

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Point for Pilgrims — Joan Haan

Reader — Coralie Hunter

Prayers — Tim Dykstal

Greeter/Usher — Claudia Gordon, Kris Lavik

Audio/Video Support — Andrew Barry, John Lavik

Online Hospitality —

This service is being broadcast live on facebook.com/PilgrimStPaul



POSTLUDE — I'm So Glad, Jesus Lifted Me arr. Edwin T. Childs

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