Second Sunday after Epiphany JANUARY 14-15, 2023

ORDERS OF WORSHIP

Saturday Spoken Vespers - 5pm

Welcome & Announcements

Invocation

Thanksgiving for Light

Prayer of the Day

Bible Readings

Message Rev. Erik Young

Creed, Prayers and Peace

The Words of Communion

Communion

The Lord's Prayer

Blessing & Sending

Sunday Contemporary – 8am

Gathering Song & Welcome

Call to Worship

Song of Praise

Prayer of the Day

Bible Readings

Today's Message Rev. Erik Young

Song of the Day

Creed, Prayers & Peace

The Words of Communion

Lord's Prayer & Distribution

Song of Praise

Blessing & Sending

Closing Song & Dismissal

Sunday Liturgical - 10am

Prelude

Confession & Forgiveness

Opening Hymn ELW 315
Greeting p. 98

Kyrie

Prayer of the Day

Bible Readings

Psalm of the Day Psalm 40:1-11

Gospel Acclamation

Today's Message Rev. Erik Young

Hymn of the Day ELW 798

Creed, Prayers & Peace

Offering

Eucharistic Liturgy & Lord's Prayer p. 206 Lamb of God & Distribution p. 154 Blessing & Prayer p. 209 Benediction & Sending Hymn ELW 553

Dismissal



You Belong Here

We welcome you to our congregation this weekend! We are glad to have you with us. We celebrate Holy Communion at every service. If you are a baptized Christian, please join us at the Lord's Supper. We ask that you come down the center aisle as directed and receive your wafer and wine as you walk back to your seat.

If you are new to us, everything you need for worship is projected on the screen and in this bulletin. Please feel free to use the red hymnal found in your pew, if you are more comfortable. The pages and hymn numbers are to the left of this bulletin.

Please join us for coffee after worship in the lobby.

Should you need a bathroom, they are through the glass doors in the back of the nave (sanctuary) and down the hallway on your left. A family/handicap accessible restroom with baby changing station is available in the front lobby (Peach Street entrance).

TODAY'S THEME

Today's gospel opens with further reflection on Jesus' baptism. He is the Lamb of God who takes away the sin of the world and the one anointed by the Spirit. In the liturgy we come and see Christ revealed among us in word and meal. We go forth to invite others to come and worship the Holy One and to receive the gifts of grace and peace made known among us.

Today's Bible Readings

Isaiah 49:1-7	Pew Bible p. 592
1 Corinthians 1:1-9	Pew Bible p. 926
Psalm 40:1-11	Pew Bible p. 464
John 1:29-42	Pew Bible p. 862

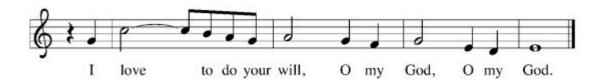
Today's Message "Come and See"

by Rev. Erik Young

PRAYER OF THE DAY:

Holy God, our strength and our redeemer, by your Spirit hold us forever, that through your grace we may worship you and faithfully serve you, follow you and joyfully find you, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. **Amen.**

PSALM RESPONSE:



Psalm 40:8
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OUR PRAYER LISTS:

Members: Gayle Matthis, Joan Wheeler, Laurie Sanders, David Roberts, Lynne Schrimper, Robert Schlaufman, Kellie Montifiori, Sharon Hetrick, Judy Crissman, Amy Nupp, and Sandy Alwens.

Cancer treatments: Denny Sanders, Ellen Stevens

Friends of the congregation: Jeff LaLonde, Ryan Meyers, Sami D, Jamey Price, Ken Marshall, Amanda VanLoon, Richard D., Ernie Winter, Jarod Stolz, Fran Moriarty, Keri Schmidt, Brian Boam, Kay Knobloch, Audrey Hetrick, Astro Rys, the family of Bill Angelo, Sue Polchlopek, and the family and friends of Alyssa Hall.

Cancer Friends: Bishop Lozano, Pastor Ken Larson, Lee S, Janie G, Karen B, Norm S, Tony Paggio, Vicki Hanson, Edward Scarpitti, Beaty Emch, Ruth Stiles, Admiral Brent Scott, Katrina, Arlene Rick, Gliceria Conuel, Becky and Nicole C.

WORSHIP WITH US (On YouTube)!

You are invited to worship with us in person or online (go to www.StJohnsErie.org and click on the "Worship With Us" tab), or join us via YouTube at www.YouTube.com/StJohnsErie. You can also find our channel by searching "StJohnsErie" on YouTube. Join us for our regular weekend worships: 5:00 PM Saturday Vesper Worship + 8:00 AM Contemporary Worship + 10:00 AM Sunday Morning Liturgical Worship

Loved by God, alive in Christ Jesus, and guided by the Holy Spirit, St. John's unconditionally serves God's people and shares Christian love.