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Pr. Maribeth McGoven

Second Sunday after Epiphany

January 15, 2023

GATHERING

PRELUDE		Resurrection Band
BELLS		
WELCOME HYMN	<i>My Savior My God</i>	<i>White Book #57</i>
WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS		
CALL TO WORSHIP		screen
CONFESSION & FORGIVENESS		screen
GATHERING HYMN	<i>Give Me Jesus</i>	<i>WB #128</i>

WORD

PRAYER OF THE DAY

P: 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.

C: **Amen.**

FIRST READING		<i>Isaiah 49:1-7</i>
PSALM		<i>Psalms 40:1-11</i>
SECOND READING		<i>1 Corinthians 1:1-9</i>
GOSPEL		<i>John 1:29-42</i>
SERMON		Pr. Maribeth McGoven
HYMN OF THE DAY	<i>Amazing Grace</i>	<i>WB #200</i>
APOSTLES' CREED		screen

PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION P: Merciful God,

C: **hear our prayer.**

OFFERING

MISSION FOCUS: Lakes Area Habitat for Humanity

OFFERTORY PRAYER screen

MEAL

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING screen

WORDS OF INSTITUTION

LORD'S PRAYER screen

COMMUNION DISTRIBUTION

COMMUNION HYMN *Just As I Am* *LBW 296*

POST COMMUNION PRAYER screen

SENDING

BENEDICTION screen

BELLS

SENDING HYMN *Carry Me Through* *WB # 127*

DISMISSAL

P: Go in peace. Follow the way of Jesus.

C: Thanks be to God.

POSTLUDE Resurrection Band

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THIS WEEK'S BIBLE READINGS

Mon [Psalm 40:6-17; Exodus 12:1-13, 21-28; Acts 8:26-40](#)

Tue [Psalm 40:6-17; Isaiah 53:1-12; Hebrews 10:1-4](#)

Wed [Psalm 40:6-17; Isaiah 48:12-21; Matthew 9:14-17](#)

Thu [Psalm 27:1-6; 1 Samuel 1:1-20; Galatians 1:11-24](#)

Fri [Psalm 27:1-6; 1 Samuel 9:27-10:8; Galatians 2:1-10](#)

Sat [Psalm 27:1-6; 1 Samuel 15:34-16:13; Luke 5:27-32](#)

Sun [Psalm 27:1, 4-9; Isaiah 9:1-4; 1 Corinthians 1:10-18; Matthew 4:12-23](#)

This Week**Next Week**

Greeters	Everyone	Everyone
Ushers	Duane & Cina Pidde	Duane & Cina Pidde
Reader	Vi Sundermeyer	Corina Bronczyk
	Communion Assistants: Mike & Carol Jones	Communion Assistants: Corina & Darrin Bronczyk

Prayer Concerns: All people impacted by Covid-19 in the world. The ARCC Emergency Shelter, The people of the Ukraine, Lakes Area Habitat for Humanity; The Family of Mark Olafson, The Family of Deloris Lamb; Marlys Stainbrook (Carl Anderson's sister), Dorothy Pohl, Tim & Lorna Cooper, Bev & Lance Mitchell (friends of Peg Davies), Amanda Semmler, Kristine Schlagel (Carl Anderson's niece), Carl & Linda Anderson, Sharon Arvik, Billie Marie Larson, Phyllis Carlson, Tim Atwater (brother-in-law of Carol Jones), Susan K. (friend of Violet Sundermeyer), Johanna Jones, (niece of Mike Jones), Jean (cousin of Vi Sundermeyer), Emily (friend of Vi Sundermeyer), Elaine Kelsey (friend of Peg Davies), Lori, Rose & Don (Vi Sundermeyer's sister and brother-in-law), Jerry Johnson (brother of Jay Johnson), Ryan Lau, Debbie Wells (daughter of Phyllis Deer & sister to Mel Stover), Suzanne Dock (friend of Carol Lenander & Larry Gass), Larry Gass, Vi Sundermeyer, Deb Britton (friend of Duane & Cina Pidde), Don (Corina Bronczyk's brother-in-law), Carla (friend of Corina Bronczyk), Ryan Wood (Darrin & Corina Bronczyk's nephew), Ron Nepl (friend of Peg Davies), Mike & Leah O'Rourke (friends of Peg Davies), Karen Rich (sister of Mike Jones), The Evenson family, Bonnie & George Lueck, Peggy Lindstrom (friend of Cina Pidde), Kelly Wosika (Bobbie Wosika's sister-in-law)

Opportunities This Week

Today	Bible Study	9:00 AM
	Worship Service	10:00 AM
	Coffee Fellowship	11:00 AM
Sun	Bible Study	9:00 AM
	Worship Service	10:00 AM
	Coffee fellowship	11:00 AM
	Congregational annual Meeting	11:30 AM

ANNOUNCEMENTS

- Bible Study has resumed. You're welcome to join us with or without a study guide. However, if you'd like a study guide, please contact Bernie Beck.
- Congregational Annual Meeting – January 22, 2023
- Quilting – all are welcome – coffee pot is on – Tuesdays 10-11:30 or so

January Mission of the Month

Lakes Area Habitat for Humanity

MISSION: Seeking to put God's love into action, Habitat for Humanity brings people together to build homes, community and hope.

VISION: Carrying out the teachings of Christ, LAHFH strives to ensure that everyone, everywhere has at least a simple, decent place to call home.

ACTION: Partnering with families in need, volunteers build or renovate homes and serve as agents of change throughout the affiliate.

OUTCOME: Working in communities throughout the affiliate, LAHFH helps create a culture wherein affordable housing becomes a matter of conscience.

You may donate by writing a check to FLC with LAHFH on the memo line, by going to lakesareahabitat.org for an online donation or by sending a check directly to LAHFH at PO Box 234 Brainerd, MN 56401.