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Second Sunday after Epiphany – Jan. 18, 2026

Revealed: Following the Light

Theme: Revealed in Relationship

GATHERING

PRELUDE

Resurrection Band

BELLS

CALL TO WORSHIP

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WELCOME SONG

Evidence

WB #153

INTRODUCTION TO EPIPHANY SERIES

CENTERING TIME

SONG

“May You Find A Light”

Josh Garrels

PRAYER

WELCOME/ANNOUNCEMENTS

GATHERING SONG

Stand in Your Love

WB #155

PRAYER OF THE DAY

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WORD

FIRST READING

1 Corinthians 1:4-9

GOSPEL READING

John 1:29-42

SONG

“This Little Light of Mine”

CHILDREN’S TIME

SONG

“This Little Light of Mine”

SERMON

HYMN OF THE DAY

Face to Face

WB #150

PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION

OFFERING

Peoples Church of Bemidji

OFFERTORY PRAYER

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LORD'S PRAYER

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SENDING

BLESSING

BELLS

CLOSING HYMN

God With Us

WB#162

DISMISSAL

P: Go in peace, shine this week, and show God's light in the world.

C: Amen! Thanks be to God!

POSTLUDE

Resurrection Band

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THIS WEEK'S BIBLE READINGS

Mon	<u>Psalm 40:6-17; Exodus 12:1-13, 21-28; Acts 8:26-40</u>
Tue	<u>Psalm 40:6-17; Isaiah 53:1-12; Hebrews 10:1-4</u>
Wed	<u>Psalm 40:6-17; Isaiah 48:12-21; Matthew 9:14-17</u>
Thu	<u>Psalm 27:1-6; 1 Samuel 1:1-20; Galatians 1:11-24</u>
Fri	<u>Psalm 27:1-6; 1 Samuel 9:27-10:8; Galatians 2:1-10</u>
Sat	<u>Psalm 27:1-6; 1 Samuel 15:34-16:13; Luke 5:27-32</u>
Sun	<u>Psalm 27:1.4-9; Isaiah 9:1-4; 1Corinthians 1:10-18; Matthew 4:12-23</u>

SERVICE ASSISTANTS

	This Week	Next Week
Greeters	Gina Lenander	Darrin & Corina Bronzcyk
Ushers	Duane & Cina Pidde	Duane & Cina Pidde
Reader	Tom Synstegard	Danny Lecy
Communion		Betty Lecy & Mia Yoder

Payer Concerns: *The people of Venezuela, The people of Ukraine, The people of Israel and Palestine, Peoples Church; The family and friends of Renee Good, The family of Pr. Milan Davig, The family of Pr. Roger Olson; Marlys Stainbrook, Carl & Linda Anderson, Phyllis Carlson, Tim Atwater (brother-in-law of Carol Jones), Jean (cousin of Vi Sundermeyer), Emily (friend of Vi Sundermeyer), Elaine Kelsey (friend of Peg Davies), Rose & Don (Vi Sundermeyer's sister and brother-in-law), Jerry Johnson (brother of Jay Johnson), Ryan Lau, Carla & Scott (friends of Corina Bronczyk), Karen Rich (sister of Mike Jones), Bonnie & George Lueck, Tina Riggs (friend of Bobbie Wosika), Jerry Leverson (Resurrection Band singer), Jim Thomsen, Gail Buck, Erika W. (friend of Vi Sundermeyer), Jennifer Lyons (niece of Carol Jones), Jimmie & Joyce Lecy (Harry Lecy's brother & sister-in-law), Dr. Brian Bratloff, Sebrina Hegg (Tina Ericson's sister), Phyllis Deer, Georgia Alexander (Pat Tinklenberg's granddaughter), Bruce Dahl (friend of Jay Johnson), Pat Tinklenberg (Heather Lenander's mom), Riki and her family, Bernice Seward (De Carlson's mother), Nicky (friend of Peg Davies), Kent Stover (Kirk Stover's brother), Paul Benson (Betty Lecy's brother), Dawn, David VanEye, Sarah & Sonny, Mellisa Tibbets, Jeff Massie, Harry Lecy, Tina Ericson, Johanna, Ivy Brisk (Diana Schwenke's granddaughter), Jana Dunham, Nellie, Bill T. (Shannah's cousin), Pr. Jim & Ann Davis, Steve Olafson, Romello Lee Kelly (Gail Buck's great grandson), Sue Fiene (Linda Anderson's sister) Jane Andress (friend of Bobbie Wosicka)*

Opportunities This Week

Today	Bible Study	9:00 AM
	Worship Service	10:00 AM
	Coffee Fellowship	11:15 AM
	Annual Meeting	11:30 AM
Sun	Bible Study	9:00 AM
	Worship Service	10:00 AM
	Pottluck lunch	11:15 AM

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Annual meeting is today, January 18, following worship.

If you'd like to usher in 2026, please contact Peg.

***If you'd like to serve fellowship coffee in 2026,
please contact Peg.***

Please note the note on the back of the bulletin regarding APD.

Peoples Church of Bemidji

We are a multicultural and indigenous ministry of the ELCA (Evangelical Lutheran Church in America). We live out our faith by showing Creator God's love for all people by offering shelter, hot meals, and community.

We have a hot evening meal on Mondays, Tuesdays, Fridays, and Saturdays served beginning at 5p and breakfast 7 days a week from 8-10a. Anyone in the community is welcome to share in our meals, you do not have to be a shelter guest to eat with us. Every

Sunday at 3:00pm we gather together for a feast. Our feast merges into a worship service that is based in Christianity but we welcome folks from all traditions to share in this gathering.

**They are in need of Coffee,
Powdered Creamer and Sugar.**

There are totes in the narthex for donations.

**Monetary donations may be made to FLC
with P.Church on the memo line.**

Audrey's Purple Dream will be our mission of the month for February. We are going to do two different "baskets" this year for the silent auction.

Basket 1- galvanized bucket with camping supplies

Basket 2 – ice fishing sled with fishing supplies.

The sign up sheets are on the table in the narthex.

The Fishing tournament is February 7

at the Red River Event Center. So we don't have a great deal of time to put these together. All items must be here by Feb. 1.

When you bring your donations please check your name off so that we know everything is here.