

truly, I say to you, you will see heaven opened, and the angels of God ascending and descending on the Son of Man.”

*(Please be seated)*

### Children’s Message

**Hymn of the Day** “Hark, The Voice Of Jesus Calling” [LSB 827]

### Meditation

*(Please stand)*

**Nicene Creed** [LSB 158]

**Prayer of the Church**

**Offertory** [LSB 159]

**Service of the Sacrament** [LSB 160]

*(Please Be Seated)*

**Distribution Hymns** [LSB 596, 629, 907, and 551]

*(Please stand)*

**Thank The Lord** [LSB 164]

**Post Communion Collect** [LSB 166]

**Benediction** [LSB 166]

**Sharing of the Peace**

*(Please Be Seated)*

**Closing Hymn** “Now Thank We All Our God” LSB 895]

**To God Be The Glory!**

### Calendar of Events

**Monday, January 15th**

Pastor out of the office

**Tuesday, January 16th**

1:00pm..... Adopt-A-Chaplain packing

**Wednesday, January 17th**

6:00pm..... School of Religion

**Thursday, January 18th**

**Friday, January 19th**

**Saturday, January 20th**

7:00am..... Men’s Bible Study

**Sunday, January 21st**

8:00am..... Non Communion Worship

9:15am..... Adult Bible Study

10:30am ..... Non Communion Worship

### Attendance Records 1/7-1/13

Sunday Early Service.....38

Adult Bible Study..... 15

Sunday Late Service.....78

Confirmation.....10

School of Religion.....22

### Serving in God’s House

**January 14th**

Elder on duty Victor Lauer

Organist Charlene Pfanstiel

Audio Russ Ankersen

Greeter Deb Shields

Greeter Harold Carlson

Lay Reader Randon Peters

Acolyte Clara Hurst

Acolyte Russ Ankersen

Powerpoint Russ Ankersen

**Late Service**

Greeter Cindy Swanhorst

Greeter Curt Swanhorst

Usher Harold Carlson

Lay Reader Sarah Risenhoover

Acolyte Kysen Hazlitt

Acolyte Brooklynn Tidyman

Powerpoint Russ Ankersen

Live Stream Blayzon Mooney

**January 21st**

Elder on duty Barry Mooney

Organist Charlene Pfanstiel

Audio Paul Sellers

Greeter Elaine Polly

Greeter Jeff Polly

Usher Eugene Custer

Lay Reader Renelle Mooney

Acolyte Layton Hinz

Acolyte Tina Cummins

**Late Service**

Greeter Donna Hall

Greeter Jim Hall

Usher Ben Schow

Lay Reader Fred Gleason

Acolyte Hunter Kunkee

Acolyte Carter Hartwell

### Peace Lutheran Church

411 East 6th Street McCook, NE 69001

Phone: (308) 345-2595

Fax: (308) 345-2596

Email: office@plcmccook.org

Website: www.plcmccook.org

## Worship Service Bulletin

Pastor Lonnie Felcher

January 14, 2024

The Second Sunday after Epiphany

*Welcome!* Here at Peace Lutheran Church, our mission is to share with loving concern, the true Word and gracious love of God with one another, our community, and our world.

*May God bless you this morning as you worship with us.*

# HARK, THE VOICE OF JESUS CALLING

### Communion Sunday

#### The Service of Holy Communion

We practice the custom of the church since the time of the apostles that those who are instructed and have confirmed their faith in the common faith with us and are able to examine themselves about their relationship with God and with fellow believers, may commune with us. For others, we gladly welcome them to a period of instruction so that they may openly profess their unity of faith in their participation of the Lord’s Supper with us. If you are unable to go to the altar, please let an usher know and the Pastor will bring the Lord’s Supper to your pew. Please sit close to any one of the three aisles in the church. Our Savior’s wish is that all Christians receive His Body and Blood often. Peace offers gluten-free communion wafers for those who are protein/gluten intolerant or who may have a wheat allergy. Simply notify Pastor during communion if you desire the gluten-free wafer.

## Divine Worship Service Setting 1

**Opening Hymn** “Come, Follow Me, The Savior Spake” [LSB 688]

**Confession and Absolution** [LSB 151]

**Introit** *Psalm 40:1–5; antiphon: vv. 10a, b*

I have not hidden your deliverance within my heart;

**I have spoken of your faithfulness and your salvation;**

I waited patiently for the LORD;

**he inclined to me and heard my cry.**

He drew me up from the pit of destruction, out of the miry bog,

**and set my feet upon a rock, making my steps secure.**

He put a new song in my mouth, a song of praise to our God.

**Many will see and fear, and put their trust in the LORD.**

Blessèd is the man who makes the LORD his trust,

**who does not turn to the proud, to those who go astray after a lie!**

You have multiplied, O LORD my God, your wondrous deeds and your thoughts toward us; none can compare with you!

**I will proclaim and tell of them, yet they are more than can be told.**

**Glory be to the Father and to the Son**

**and to the Holy Spirit;**

**as it was in the beginning,**

**is now, and will be forever. Amen.**

I have not hidden your deliverance within my heart;

**I have spoken of your faithfulness and your salvation.**

**Kyrie** [LSB 152]

**This Is The Feast** [LSB 155]

**Salutation and Collect of the Day** [LSB 156]

*(Please be seated)*

**First Reading**

*1 Samuel 3:1–20*

<sup>1</sup>The young man Samuel was ministering to the LORD under Eli. And the word of the LORD was rare in those days; there was no frequent vision. <sup>2</sup>At that time Eli, whose eyesight had begun to grow dim so that he could not see, was lying down in his own place. <sup>3</sup>The lamp of God had not yet gone out, and Samuel was lying down in the temple of the LORD, where the ark of God was. <sup>4</sup>Then the LORD called Samuel, and he said, “Here I am!” <sup>5</sup>and ran to Eli and said, “Here I am, for you called me.” But he said, “I did not call; lie down again.” So he went and lay down. <sup>6</sup>And the LORD called again, “Samuel!” and Samuel arose and went to Eli and said, “Here I am, for you called me.” But he said, “I did not call, my son; lie down again.” <sup>7</sup>Now Samuel did not yet know the LORD, and the word of the LORD had not yet been revealed to him. <sup>8</sup>And the LORD called Samuel again the third time. And he arose and went to Eli and said, “Here I am, for you called me.” Then Eli perceived that the LORD was calling the young man. <sup>9</sup>Therefore Eli said to Samuel, “Go, lie down, and if he calls you, you shall say, ‘Speak, LORD, for your servant hears.’” So Samuel went and lay down in his place. <sup>10</sup>And the LORD came and stood, calling as at other times, “Samuel! Samuel!” And Samuel said, “Speak, for your servant hears.” <sup>11</sup>Then the LORD said to Samuel, “Behold, I

am about to do a thing in Israel at which the two ears of everyone who hears it will tingle. <sup>12</sup>On that day I will fulfill against Eli all that I have spoken concerning his house, from beginning to end. <sup>13</sup>And I declare to him that I am about to punish his house forever, for the iniquity that he knew, because his sons were blaspheming God, and he did not restrain them. <sup>14</sup>Therefore I swear to the house of Eli that the iniquity of Eli’s house shall not be atoned for by sacrifice or offering forever.” <sup>15</sup>Samuel lay until morning; then he opened the doors of the house of the LORD. And Samuel was afraid to tell the vision to Eli. <sup>16</sup>But Eli called Samuel and said, “Samuel, my son.” And he said, “Here I am.” <sup>17</sup>And Eli said, “What was it that he told you? Do not hide it from me. May God do so to you and more also if you hide anything from me of all that he told you.” <sup>18</sup>So Samuel told him everything and hid nothing from him. And he said, “It is the LORD. Let him do what seems good to him.” <sup>19</sup>And Samuel grew, and the LORD was with him and let none of his words fall to the ground. <sup>20</sup>And all Israel from Dan to Beersheba knew that Samuel was established as a prophet of the LORD.

**Second Reading**

*1 Corinthians 6:12–20*

<sup>12</sup>“All things are lawful for me,” but not all things are helpful. “All things are lawful for me,” but I will not be enslaved by anything. <sup>13</sup>“Food is meant for the stomach and the stomach for food”—and God will destroy both one and the other. The body is not meant for sexual immorality, but for the Lord, and the Lord for the body. <sup>14</sup>And God raised the Lord and will also raise us up by his power. <sup>15</sup>Do you not know that your bodies are members of Christ? Shall I then take the members of Christ and make them members of a prostitute? Never! <sup>16</sup>Or do you not know that he who is joined to a prostitute becomes one body with her? For, as it is written, “The two will become one flesh.” <sup>17</sup>But he who is joined to the Lord becomes one spirit with him. <sup>18</sup>Flee from sexual immorality. Every other sin a person commits is outside the body, but the sexually immoral person sins against his own body. <sup>19</sup>Or do you not know that your body is a temple of the Holy Spirit within you, whom you have from God? You are not your own, <sup>20</sup>for you were bought with a price. So glorify God in your body.

*(Please stand)*

**Alleluia and Verse** [LSB 156]

**Holy Gospel**

*John 1:43–51*

<sup>43</sup>The next day Jesus decided to go to Galilee. He found Philip and said to him, “Follow me.” <sup>44</sup>Now Philip was from Bethsaida, the city of Andrew and Peter. <sup>45</sup>Philip found Nathanael and said to him, “We have found him of whom Moses in the Law and also the prophets wrote, Jesus of Nazareth, the son of Joseph.” <sup>46</sup>Nathanael said to him, “Can anything good come out of Nazareth?” Philip said to him, “Come and see.” <sup>47</sup>Jesus saw Nathanael coming toward him and said of him, “Behold, an Israelite indeed, in whom there is no deceit!” <sup>48</sup>Nathanael said to him, “How do you know me?” Jesus answered him, “Before Philip called you, when you were under the fig tree, I saw you.” <sup>49</sup>Nathanael answered him, “Rabbi, you are the Son of God! You are the King of Israel!” <sup>50</sup>Jesus answered him, “Because I said to you, ‘I saw you under the fig tree,’ do you believe? You will see greater things than these.” <sup>51</sup>And he said to him, “Truly,