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I will tell of your name to my brothers;

in the midst of the congregation I will praise you.

**All the ends of the earth shall remember and turn to the LORD,
and all the families of the nations shall worship before you.**

For kingship belongs to the LORD,
and he rules over the nations.

**All the prosperous of the earth eat and worship;
before him shall bow all who go down to the dust, even the
one who could not keep himself alive.**

Posterity shall serve him;

it shall be told of the Lord to the coming generation;

**they shall come and proclaim his righteousness to a people yet
unborn,**

that he has done it.

***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.***

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Old Testament: Isaiah 9:1-4

¹ There will be no gloom for her who was in anguish. In the former time he brought into contempt the land of Zebulun and the land of Naphtali, but in the latter time he has made glorious the way of the sea, the land beyond the Jordan, Galilee of the nations.

² The people who walked in darkness

have seen a great light;

those who dwelt in a land of deep darkness,
on them has light shined.

³ You have multiplied the nation;

you have increased its joy;

they rejoice before you as with joy at the harvest,
as they are glad when they divide the spoil.

⁴ For the yoke of his burden,

and the staff for his shoulder, the rod of his oppressor,
you have broken as on the day of Midian.

P This is the Word of the Lord.

C Thanks be to God.

Epistle: 1 Corinthians 1:10-18

¹ Paul, called by the will of God to be an apostle of Christ Jesus, and our brother Sosthenes,

² To the church of God that is in Corinth, to those sanctified in Christ Jesus, called to be saints together with all those who in every place call upon the name of our Lord Jesus Christ, both their Lord and ours:

³ Grace to you and peace from God our Father and the Lord Jesus Christ.

⁴ I give thanks to my God always for you because of the grace of God that was given you in Christ Jesus, ⁵ that in every way you were enriched in him in all speech and all knowledge—⁶ even as the testimony about Christ was confirmed among you—⁷ so that you are not lacking in any spiritual gift, as you wait for the revealing of our Lord Jesus Christ, ⁸ who will sustain you to the end, guiltless in the day of our Lord Jesus Christ. ⁹ God is faithful, by whom you were called into the fellowship of his Son, Jesus Christ our Lord.

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Holy Gospel: Matthew 4:12-25

P The Holy Gospel according to St. Matthew, the fourth chapter.

C Glory to You, O Lord.

¹² When [Jesus] heard that John had been arrested, he withdrew into Galilee. ¹³ And leaving Nazareth he went and lived in Capernaum by the sea, in the territory of Zebulun and Naphtali, ¹⁴ so that what was spoken by the prophet Isaiah might be fulfilled:

¹⁵ "The land of Zebulun and the land of Naphtali,

the way of the sea, beyond the Jordan, Galilee of the Gentiles—

¹⁶ the people dwelling in darkness have seen a great light, and for those dwelling in the region and shadow of death, on them a light has dawned."

¹⁷ From that time Jesus began to preach, saying, "Repent, for the kingdom of heaven is at hand."

¹⁸ While walking by the Sea of Galilee, he saw two brothers, Simon (who is called Peter) and Andrew his brother, casting a net into the sea, for they were fishermen. ¹⁹ And he said to them, "Follow me, and I will make you fishers of men." ²⁰ Immediately they left their nets and followed him. ²¹ And going on from there he saw two other brothers, James the son of Zebedee and John his brother, in the boat with Zebedee their father, mending their nets, and he called them.

²² Immediately they left the boat and their father and followed him.

²³ And he went throughout all Galilee, teaching in their synagogues and proclaiming the gospel of the kingdom and healing every disease and every affliction among the people. ²⁴ So his fame spread throughout all Syria, and they brought him all the sick, those afflicted with various diseases and pains, those oppressed by demons, epileptics, and paralytics, and he healed them. ²⁵ And great crowds followed him from Galilee and the Decapolis, and from Jerusalem and Judea, and from beyond the Jordan.

P This is the Gospel of the Lord.

C Praise to You, O Christ.

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Hymn 412

“The People That in Darkness Sat”

The Collect of the Day

Almighty and everlasting God, mercifully look upon our infirmities and stretch forth the hand of Your majesty to heal and defend us; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

Amen.

The Readings:

Isaiah 9:1-4—For to us a Child is born
1 Corinthians 1:10-18 – Divisions in the church
Matthew 4:12-25 – Jesus begins His ministry

Hymn of the Day 839

“O Christ, Our True and Only Light”

The Sermon

Text: John 1:29-42
Theme: The Lamb Calls

Distribution Hymns:

395 “O Morning Star, How Fair and Bright”
731 “O God, Forsake Me Not”
644, “The Church’s One Foundation”

Closing Hymn: 643

“Sent Forth by God’s Blessing”

WELCOME! Holy Cross Lutheran Church extends a warm welcome to you. We invite you to share with us the blessings of the Gospel of Jesus Christ. It is our prayer that our services will be helpful to you in your spiritual life.

COMMUNION TODAY: If anyone has difficulty going to the altar to receive communion, please let an usher know, and pastor will come to your pew to commune you individually.

WE WILL BE CELEBRATING THE LORD’S SUPPER during our worship service next Sunday morning. Please fill out a communion registration card today if you plan to use this Sacrament for the strengthening of your faith and place it in the basket at the back of the church.

THOSE USING THE MEANS OF GRACE LAST WEEK

Worship Service: 104; Children’s Sermon: 18; Visitors: 6,
No Adult Bible Class due to Voters’ Meeting; Sunday School: 19.

CHURCH CALENDAR FOR THE WEEK January 26 thru February 2

TODAY: HOLY COMMUNION

MON.: National Lutheran Schools Week begins

WED.: LSA Chapel, 8:35 a.m. (everyone is welcome!)

THUR.: Men’s Bible Class at Classic, 7:00 a.m.

Women’s Bible Study at Trinity, 9:30 a.m.

Bulletin Deadline to Karen by noon on Thursdays. (ph. 660-668-2425)

Communion at Good Samaritan, 2:30 p.m. and at Ambrose at 3:30 p.m.

SAT.: Saturday evening worship at Trinity, 6:30 p.m., Bible Class at 7:30 p.m.

NEXT SUN.: Worship Service with Holy Communion at Holy Cross, 8:00 a.m.

Sunday School and Bible Class at Holy Cross, 9:00 a.m.

Bible Class at St. John’s, 9:30 a.m.

Worship Service with Holy Communion at St. John’s, 10:30 a.m.

LYF (High School age) Youth at Trinity, 6:30 p.m.

ACOLYTES: Jan 26—Lille Douglas; Feb 2—Cole Hargrave; Feb 9—Kadence Hargrave; Feb 16—Tyler Howard; Feb 23—Skylar Mummert.

COMMUNION ASSISTANTS: January 26—Jim Gosen and Scott Harms.
February 2—Scott Harms and Randy Meyer

HOLY CROSS GREETER: January - Marvin Dieckman;
February – Janet Mummert.

REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS: Arthur Hagen; Eileen Brandes, Ethelene Jagels, Thomas Eckhoff, Lora Harms, Fred Oelrichs, Bill Talbott, Greg Ives, and members and loved ones in nursing homes or restricted to their homes.

NATIONAL LUTHERAN SCHOOLS WEEK is being observed at our own Lutheran School Association in Cole Camp this week. The enclosed insert shares some valuable insights and benefits to students who attend Lutheran Schools, and also offers information on how to learn more. Check it out!

ENROLLING NOW for the 2020-2021 school year at the Lutheran School Association. “Learning for life, through Christ.” LSA is an LCMS accredited school located at 204 E Butterfield Trail in Cole Camp, MO You may contact us at 660-668-4614 or office@lasschool.com or www.lsaschool.com. All applications will be considered with an educational consult. Call 660-668-4614 to set up your educational consult. Enrollment will open up to church and community members on Monday, February 3rd.

COLE CAMP FRESH MARKET: Remember to save your Cole Camp Fresh Market receipts. LSA will receive \$500 when we collect \$50,000 in Cole Camp Fresh Market receipts. The collection period runs from the first of school to the last day of School, May 15, 2020. Thank you, Cole Camp Fresh Market!

FOR THE 5th YEAR IN A ROW, the Cole Camp Food Pantry challenges you to participate in the Souper Bowl of Caring! Once again the Pantry is seeking donations of cans of soup and boxes of crackers. (Please, no Ramen noodles.) The congregation or organization in the Cole Camp area that collects the most individual items wins the Souper Bowl traveling trophy for the year, in addition to supporting our local pantry. Items need to be collected by next Sunday, February 2nd. On this day, the big win happens when we can take another step toward eliminating hunger in our area. Thank you for your participation!

COLE CAMP P.A.W.S. COMMITTEE CHILI SUPPER - also serving Chicken Noodle Soup, Desserts and Drinks. It will be held on Saturday evening February 8th at Triple Creek Golf Course. Serving will be from 5:30 pm – 8:00 pm. There will be a Free Will Donation. Come and enjoy some chili while supporting our furry friends! There will be a 50/50 giveaway cutest animal photo contest! Vote for your favorite committee member’s animal photo! Be a part of something greater by supporting CCPC today!

OUR SERVICES CAN BE VIEWED on YouTube on the Holy Cross website (the address is printed on the front of the bulletin). When you go to the website, on the list to the left of the picture of the church, hover over or click on “gallery”, then click on “videos”. You may click on the date of the service that you would like to view. A special thank-you to our videographers, Marvin Dieckman and Art Heimsoth for making this valuable service available to us!

THE LUTHERAN HOUR can be heard on Sunday mornings on KSIS radio, 1050 AM, at 10:10 a.m. Our Savior Lutheran Church also broadcasts their Sunday morning worship service on KSIS, 1050 AM at 9:00 a.m. each Sunday.