Gathering Music "How Great Is Our God"

Greeting/Announcements

Song "Jesu, Jesu, Fill Us with Your Love" WOV #765

Brief Order for Confession and Forgiveness...... WOV pg. 10

Prayer of the Day

Immortal and everlasting God, with your power you strengthen the weak and make the ill whole in body, mind, and spirit. Strengthen and heal us through your Son's presence in Word and Sacrament that we may be bearers of your grace to the ends of the earth; through Jesus Christ, our Lord, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.

First Reading Isaiah 40:18-31 L: The Word of the Lord. C: Thanks be to God.

Second Reading I Corinthians 9:16-27 L: The Word of the Lord. C: Thanks be to God.

Faith Seeds Courtney Corrente Faith Seeds is a time for children of all ages to come forward for a lesson geared to them.

The Verse: "Alleluia" Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia to you alone. Lord, to whom shall we go? You alone have the words of eternal life. Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia, to you alone.

Gospel Mark 1:29-39
Sermon "The Healing Touch" Pastor Scott Grorud
Song "One Bread, One Body" WOV 710

Apostles' Creed

I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth.

I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord. He was conceived by the power of the Holy Spirit and born of the virgin Mary. He suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried. He descended into hell. On the third day he rose again. He ascended into heaven, and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again to judge the living and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy Christian Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

Offering/Special Music

Offertory Response ... "Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow" Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; Praise him, all creatures here below; Praise him above, ye heav'nly host; Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen. LBW #565 Text: Thomas Ken, 1637-1711 Tune: Louis Bourgeois, c. 1510-1561 Prayers of the Church The Words of Institution The Lord's Prayer Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name, thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever and ever. Amen. The Distribution Benediction

Closing Song "Day by Day WOV #746

Faith Lutheran Church

LCMC Hutchinson, Minnesota 10:10 a.m. Sanctuary Service February 4, 2024 Fifth Sunday after the Epiphany

"What Does This Mean?"

- 1. What made Jesus' healing touch so compelling to the people around him?
- 2. Why is it hard for us to relate to texts like today's Gospel reading?
- 3. How does a text like this still speak to us and our world today?
- 4. How can we be agents of Jesus' healing power?

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