



## **Fourth Sunday After Epiphany**

February 1, 2026

**9:15 am Worship Service**



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Gathering in Worship

*Blessed Are the Merciful*  
*Build My Life*

O. Palmer, P. Zach, I. Wardell, and O. Stroud  
Pat Barrett

Welcome & Announcements

Message

Scripture

Matthew 5:1-12

The Gospel of the Lord. **Praise to you, O Christ.**

Sermon

Community Prayers

*Centering Prayer*

Paul Zach and Kate Bluett

Offering

*My Tribute (To God Be the Glory)*

Music by Andra   Crouch, Arr. by Mark Kayes

Holy Communion

Words of Remembrance

The Meal

*All Belong Here*

Lenora and Hannah Rand

Sending

Blessing

*Draw the Circle Wide*

Words by G. Light, Music by M. A. Miller





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## Gathering

Prelude

Welcome and Announcements

Thanksgiving for Baptism

We give you thanks, O God, **for in the beginning you created us in your image and placed us in a well-watered garden. In the desert, you promised pools of water for the parched, and you gave us water from the rock. When we did not know the way, you sent the Good Shepherd to lead us to still waters. At the cross, you washed us from Jesus' wounded side, and on this day, you shower us again with the water of life.**

We praise you for your salvation through water, for the water in this font, and for all water everywhere.

**Bathe us in your forgiveness, grace, and love. Satisfy all who thirst and give us the life only you can give.**

To you be given honor and praise through Jesus Christ, our living water, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, now and forever. **Amen.**

Gathering Hymn

*As We Gather at Your Table*

Red Hymnal no. 522

Apostolic Greeting

The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all. **And also with you.**

Song of Praise

*Glory to God*

Purple Hymnal pg. 31

Prayer of the Day

Holy God, you confound the world's wisdom in giving your kingdom to the lowly and the pure in heart. Give us such a hunger and thirst for justice, and perseverance in striving for peace, that in our words and deeds the world may see the life of your Son, Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. **Amen.**

## Word

First Reading            Micah 6:1-8

Second Reading        1 Corinthians 1:18-31  
Word of God, Word of Life. **Thanks be to God.**

Gospel Acclamation    *Alleluia! Lord, to Whom Shall We Go?*    Purple Hymnal pg. 33

Gospel Reading        Matthew 5:1-12  
The Gospel of the Lord. **Praise to you, O Christ.**

Sermon

Sermon Hymn            *Let Streams of Living Justice*            Red Hymnal no. 710

Apostles' Creed

Prayers of the People  
Merciful God, **receive our prayer.**

Peace  
The peace of Christ be with you always. **And also with you.**

## Offering

Handbell Offertory    *Meditation on Beautiful Savior*            Cathy Moglebust

Offertory Prayer  
God of majesty, **no eye has seen, no ear has heard what you have prepared for those who love you, yet in this meal you reveal the wideness of your mercy. Use what we have gathered to feed us with the reign of God come near, Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. Amen.**

## The Sacrament of Holy Communion

Great Thanksgiving Dialogue

Purple Hymnal pg. 36

Preface

*Holy, Holy, Holy*

Thanksgiving at the Table

Lord's Prayer

Lamb of God

Purple Hymnal pg. 40

Communion Hymns

*O God of Mercy, God of Light* (vs. 1-4)

Red Hymnal no. 714

*In Christ There Is No East or West*

Red Hymnal no. 650

Post-Communion Prayer

**Radiant God, we have seen your glory in the face of Jesus Christ. In the sacrament of his body and blood you have drawn us to your heart. Send us from this table with delight, that our lives may reflect the beauty of your love, and bear witness to all we have seen and heard, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. Amen.**

Benediction

Sending Hymn

*Rise Up, O Saints of God* (vs. 1-3)

Red Hymnal no. 669

Dismissal

Go in peace. Serve the Lord. **Thanks be to God.**

Postlude

*A Bridge Called Faith*

Fred Gramann