

West St. Olaf Lutheran Church

70640 260th Avenue – Hayfield, MN

Sunday, February 17, 2019

Pastor Paul Thompson

Organist: Kim Jacobson

Introduction to the day

Blessings and curses abound on the sixth Sunday after Epiphany. We would do well to listen closely to whom the “blessed are” and the “woe to” are directed and to find our place in the crowd among those who desire to touch Jesus. The risen Christ stands among us in the mystery of the holy supper with an invitation to live in him and the power to heal us all.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

BRIEF ORDER FOR CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS

ENTRANCE HYMN (LBW 494)

GREETING (LBW p. 57)

KYRIE (LBW p. 57)

HYMN OF PRAISE (LBW p. 58)

PRAYER OF THE DAY (LBW p. 62)

The Lord be with you.

And also with you.

Let us pray. . . .

Lord God, mercifully receive the prayers of your people. Help us to see and understand the things we ought to do, and give us grace and power to do them; through your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord.

Amen

FIRST LESSON: Jeremiah 17:5-10

PSALM: Psalm 1

They are like trees planted by streams of water. (*Ps. 1:3*)

Happy are they who have not walked in the counsel of the wicked,

nor lingered in the way of sinners, nor sat in the seats of the scornful!

**Their delight is in the law of the LORD,
and they meditate on his law day and night.**

They are like trees planted by streams of water, bearing fruit in due season, with leaves that do not wither;
everything they do shall prosper.

**It is not so with the wicked;
they are like chaff which the wind blows away.**

Therefore the wicked shall not stand upright when judgment comes,

nor the sinner in the council of the righteous.

**For the LORD knows the way of the righteous,
but the way of the wicked is doomed.**

SECOND LESSON: 1 Corinthians 15:12-20

VERSE (LBW p. 62)

GOSPEL: Luke 6:17-26

The Holy Gospel according to St. Luke, the 6th chapter.

Glory to you, O Lord.

The Gospel of the Lord.

Praise to you, O Christ.

SERMON (LBW p. 63)

HYMN OF THE MONTH: *I Am the Bread of Life* (WOV 702)

NICENE CREED (LBW p. 64)

OFFERING (LBW p. 75)

THE PRAYERS

United as one body in Christ, let us pray for the church, the world, and all those in need.

Prayer response: Lord, in your mercy, **hear our prayer.**

Receive our prayers and fill us with the radiance of your love; through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Amen.

LORD'S PRAYER

BLESSING (LBW p. 76)

The Lord bless you and keep you.

The Lord make his face shine on you and be gracious to you.

The Lord look upon you with favor and ✠ give you peace.

Amen

SENDING SONG (LBW 165)

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### **WELCOME TO THOSE VISITING**



If you're visiting, we're glad you chose to worship with us. Please sign our guestbook in the narthex. Times for services rotate monthly between East & West churches.

**THANK YOU TO THOSE SERVING US**

**WELCA Chairpersons (Feb.):** Jane Estby, Jan Nordland  
**Altar Guild:** Cindy Senjem, Donna Larsen  
**Acolytes:** Ushers cover until schedule developed  
**Reader:** Donna Larsen  
**Ushers:** Don Alrick, Greg Brandt, Neil Rabehl, Craig Steinfeldt.  
**Deacon:** Sheryl Wohlers  
**Stewardship:** Margaret Senjem

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WEST Attendance and Contributions:
(2/10) Attendance: 43. Current Total: \$810.00

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**Save the date:**  
Holy Hotdish returns on April 7, 2019!

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**Installation of officers**  
will take place next Sunday, February 24, 2019.

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WELCA rescheduled
Due to the weather last week, quilting, meeting and Bible study
will be held this week, February 19 and 20.

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**Newsletter deadline**  
Deadline for submitting articles for the March newsletter  
is February 18. Newsletter will be printed and assembled  
on February 21.