



Jesus Turns Water into Wine
John 2:1-12

Good Hope Lutheran Church

SECOND SUNDAY AFTER EPIPHANY

January 19, 2025

10:30 a.m.

The Prelude & Meditation

The Ringing of the Bell

The Welcome & Announcements

The Special Music

-Spark Choir

*The Hymn

“Love Divine, All Loves Excelling”

LBW #315

*The Greeting & Kyrie

*The Hymn of Praise

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*The Prayer of the Day

(unison)

Lord God, source of every blessing, you showed forth your glory and led many to faith by the works of your Son, who brought gladness and salvation to his people. Transform us by the Spirit of his love, that we may find our life together in him, Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

Amen.

The Baptismal Hymn

“I Was There to Hear Your Borne Cry”

WOV #770

(NOISY OFFERING WILL BE COLLECTED DURING THIS HYMN)

The Children’s Sermon

The Baptism

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The First Reading

-Isaiah 62:1-5

¹For Zion’s sake I will not keep silent, and for Jerusalem’s sake I will not rest, until her vindication shines out like the dawn, and her salvation like a burning torch. ²The nations shall see your vindication, and all the kings your glory; and you shall be called by a new name that the mouth of the LORD will give. ³You shall be a crown of beauty in the hand of

the LORD, and a royal diadem in the hand of your God. ⁴You shall no more be termed Forsaken, and your land shall no more be termed Desolate; but you shall be called My Delight Is in Her, and your land Married; for the LORD delights in you, and your land shall be married.⁵For as a young man marries a young woman, so shall your builder marry you, and as the bridegroom rejoices over the bride, so shall your God rejoice over you.

L: The word of the Lord. **C: Thanks be to God.**

The Psalm

-Psalm 36:5-10

⁵Your love, O Lord, reaches to the heavens,
and your faithfulness to the clouds.

⁶Your righteousness is like the strong mountains, your justice like the great deep;

you save humankind and animals, O Lord.

⁷How priceless is your love, O God!

All people take refuge under the shadow of your wings.

⁸They feast upon the abundance of your house;

you give them drink from the river of your delights.

⁹For with you is the well of life,

and in your light we see light.

¹⁰Continue your lovingkindness to those who know you,

and your favor to those who are true of heart.

The Second Reading

-1 Corinthians 12:1-11

¹Now concerning spiritual gifts, brothers and sisters, I do not want you to be uninformed. ²You know that when you were pagans, you were enticed and led astray to idols that could not speak. ³Therefore I want you to understand that no one speaking by the Spirit of God ever says "Let Jesus be cursed!" and no one can say "Jesus is Lord" except by the Holy Spirit. ⁴Now there are varieties of gifts, but the same Spirit; ⁵and there are varieties of services, but the same Lord; ⁶and there are varieties of activities, but it is the same God who activates all of them in everyone. ⁷To each is given the

manifestation of the Spirit for the common good. ⁸To one is given through the Spirit the utterance of wisdom, and to another the utterance of knowledge according to the same Spirit, ⁹to another faith by the same Spirit, to another gifts of healing by the one Spirit, ¹⁰to another the working of miracles, to another prophecy, to another the discernment of spirits, to another various kinds of tongues, to another the interpretation of tongues. ¹¹All these are activated by one and the same Spirit, who allots to each one individually just as the Spirit chooses

L: The word of the Lord. **C: Thanks be to God.**

*The Verse & Responses

“Alleluia...”

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*The Holy Gospel

A reading from the Gospel of John 2:1-11

C: Glory to you O Lord.

¹On the third day there was a wedding in Cana of Galilee, and the mother of Jesus was there. ²Jesus and his disciples had also been invited to the wedding. ³When the wine gave out, the mother of Jesus said to him, “They have no wine.” ⁴And Jesus said to her, “Woman, what concern is that to you and to me? My hour has not yet come.” ⁵His mother said to the servants, “Do whatever he tells you.” ⁶Now standing there were six stone water jars for the Jewish rites of purification, each holding twenty or thirty gallons. ⁷Jesus said to them, “Fill the jars with water.” And they filled them up to the brim. ⁸He said to them, “Now draw some out, and take it to the chief steward.” So they took it. ⁹When the steward tasted the water that had become wine, and did not know where it came from (though the servants who had drawn the water knew), the steward called the bridegroom ¹⁰and said to him, “Everyone serves the good wine first, and then the inferior wine after the guests have become drunk. But you have kept the good wine until now.” ¹¹Jesus did this, the first of his signs, in Cana of Galilee, and revealed his glory; and his disciples believed in him.

P: The Gospel of the Lord. **C: Praise to you O Christ.**

The Sermon

The Hymn

“*Bind Us Together*”

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*The Prayers

*The Confession & Forgiveness

Blessed be the holy Trinity, one God, our creator, our protector,
our wellspring of life. **Amen.**

Trusting that God receives our words and the meditations of our hearts, let
us confess our sin.

Silence is kept for reflection.

Merciful God,

**you speak blessing and compassion into the world. Forgive us for the
ways we act with judgment, cruelty, or indifference. We ignore the
needs of our neighbors; we resist your call to oppose injustice; we give
in to scarcity and fear; we assume the worst about one another. Cleanse
us from our faults and release us from their grasp. Show us your
lovingkindness. Restore our hearts and repair your world, that we may
live in Christ’s ways. Amen.**

God proclaims these words of assurance: “Do not fear, for I have redeemed
you. I have called you by name. You are mine.” In Christ, you are forgiven.
In the Spirit, you are made free. Refreshed by the waters of mercy, live anew
as beloved children of God. **Amen.**

*The Exchange of Peace

The Offering

*The Offertory

“*Create in me...*”

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*The Prayers

*The Lord’s Prayer

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*The Blessing

The Spirit of the triune God bless you with joy, anoint you with compassion,
and send you in love. **Amen.**

*The Closing

Go in peace. Live in hope. **Thanks be to God.**

*The Hymn

“Jesus Shall Reign”

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Go in Peace to Serve the Lord – **Thanks be to God!**

*The Silent Prayer

*The Postlude

*Congregation stand if you are able

***WELCOME** to all who have joined us for worship this morning. If you are a visitor, please sign the guest registry and do come visit us again. May the Lord bless each of us.*

THE OFFERING TODAY is for current expenses. The offering next Sunday is for Benevolence.

THE ANNUAL MEETING will be held **next Sunday, January 26th** immediately following worship in the Fellowship Hall. Lunch will follow the morning services and the meeting will begin immediately after lunch. Soups and sandwiches will be served with a free will offering collected. **It is important that everyone attend the meeting! Please bring your copy of the report that was put in your box on January 10th. Thank you!**

THIS WEEK AT GOOD HOPE

Mon., Jan. 20	Martin Luther King Jr. Day
Tues., Jan. 21	9:00 a.m. Quilting
Wed., Jan.22	3:00 p.m. Summit House Worship
	6:30 p.m. Confirmation
Sun., Jan. 26	9:15 a.m. Sunday School
	9:30 a.m. Senior Choir Practice
	10:30 a.m. Worship/Communion
	11:30 a.m. Dinner followed by the Annual Mtg.

WE WELCOME MEN & WOMEN who are willing to come and help tie and put together quilts for our Lutheran World Relief Project every Tuesday during January, February and March. Contributions of material are needed to make quilt tops; blankets, old sheets, and used drapes are needed for liners and backs. Monetary donations are also accepted. Please put these items in the Stewardship Room in the lower Sunday school hallway. Join us for coffee at 9:00 a.m., a sack lunch at noon, and spend the day with us in the Fellowship Hall. Thank you!!



