# The People Walking in Darkness Have Seen a Great Light



9:00 AM ROSEVILLE SUNDAY, LUTHERAN FEBRUARY CHURCH 9, 2025

# THE PROMISE OF LIGHT

# 9:00 AM Sunday, February 9, 2025 Roseville Lutheran Church

Words in **BOLD** are for congregational participation, either said or sung.

Words to hymns are printed in this bulletin, but you are encouraged to open up and use the red ELW (Evangelical Lutheran Worship) hymnal found below or in front of your seat. Hymn numbers are provided.

**P**RELUDE

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

CHORAL INVOCATION Come and Fill Our Hearts

OPENING HYMN Let the Whole Creation Cry ELW 876

Let the whole creation cry, "Glory to the Lord on high!" Heav'n and earth, awake and sing, "Praise to our almighty king!" Praise God, angel hosts above, ever bright and fair in love; Sun and moon, lift up your voice, night and stars, in God rejoice!

Servants striving for the Lord, prophets burning with the word, Those to whom the arts belong add their voices to the song. Pow'rs of knowledge and of law, to the glorious circle draw; All who work and all who wait, sing, "The Lord is good and great!"

Men and women, young and old, raise the anthem loud and bold, And let children's happy hearts in this worship take their parts; From the north to southern pole let the mighty chorus roll: "Holy, Holy, Holy One, glory be to God alone!"

Storytime is for the entire congregation as we begin our exploration of our text for the day.

Children are invited forward for Storytime as the congregation sings:

# Halle, halle, hallelujah! Halle, halle, hallelujah! Halle, hallelujah! Hallelujah! Hallelujah!

As storytime ends, children in grades 1st-6th are invited to leave the worship center for RLC Kids time and activities in the Activity Center. They will rejoin families at offering time. Children in Pre-K through Kindergarten are welcomed to go to Room 45A at the beginning of the service and stay for the entirety of the worship service.

#### CALL TO WORSHIP

Kyrie and Hymn of Praise ELW p. 120-122

In peace, let us pray to the Lord.

Lord, have mercy.

For the peace from above, and for our salvation,

Let us pray to the Lord.

Lord, have mercy.

For the peace of the whole world, for the well-being of the church of God,

And for the unity of all, let us pray to the Lord.

Lord, have mercy.

For this holy house, and for all who offer here their worship and praise,

Let us pray to the Lord.

Lord, have mercy.

Help, save, comfort, and defend us, gracious Lord.

Amen

Refrain:

Glory to God in the highest, and peace to God's people on earth.

Lord God, heavenly King, almighty God and Father, we worship you, We give you thanks, we praise you for your glory. *Refrain* 

Lord Jesus Christ, only Son of the Father, Lord God, Lamb of God, You take away the sin of the world: have mercy on us; You are seated at the right hand of the Father, receive our prayer. *Refrain* 

For you alone are the Holy One, you alone are the Lord, You alone are the Most High, Jesus Christ, With the Holy Spirit, in the glory of God the Father. Amen Refrain

#### THE APOSTLES' CREED

I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth. I believe in Jesus Christ, God's only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the virgin Mary. 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, he is seated at the right hand of the Father, and he will come to judge the living and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins. the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen

Anthem TBA Composer

Preparing for the Word Listen, God Is Calling (Vs. 1) ELW 513

Leader: Listen,

All: Listen, God is calling, through the Word inviting,

Offering forgiveness, comfort and joy.

Leader: Jesus gave his mandate:
All: Share the good news
Leader: That he came to save us

All: And set us free.

READING ?????

GOSPEL Luke 5:1-11

Once while Jesus was standing beside the Lake of Gennesaret and the crowd was pressing in on him to hear the word of God, he saw two boats there at the shore of the lake; the fishermen had gotten out of them and were washing their nets. He got into one of the boats, the one belonging to Simon, and asked him to put out a little way from the shore. Then he sat down and taught the crowds from the boat. When he had finished speaking, he said to Simon, "Put out into the deep water and let down your nets for a catch." Simon answered, "Master, we have worked all night long but have caught nothing. Yet if you say so, I will let down the nets." When they had done this, they caught so many fish that their nets were beginning to burst. So they signaled

their partners in the other boat to come and help them. And they came and filled both boats, so that they began to sink. But when Simon Peter saw it, he fell down at Jesus's knees, saying, "Go away from me, Lord, for I am a sinful man!" For he and all who were with him were astounded at the catch of fish that they had taken, and so also were James and John, sons of Zebedee, who were partners with Simon. Then Jesus said to Simon, "Do not be afraid; from now on you will be catching people." When they had brought their boats to shore, they left everything and followed him.

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

Message Pastor Tori Kraus

HYMN OF THE DAY

Here I Am, Lord

ELW 574

I, the Lord of sea and sky, I have heard my people cry.
All who dwell in dark and sin, my hand will save.
I who made the stars of night, I will make their darkness bright.
Who will bear my light to them? Whom shall I send?

#### Refrain

Here I am, Lord. Is it I, Lord? I have heard you calling in the night. I will go Lord, if you lead me. I will hold your people in my heart.

I, the Lord of snow and rain, I have borne my people's pain.
I have wept for love of them. They turn away.
I will break their hearts of stone, give them hearts for love alone.
I will speak my word to them. Whom shall I send? *Refrain* 

I, the Lord of wind and flame, I will tend the poor and lame. I will set a feast for them. My hand will save. Finest bread I will provide till their hearts be satisfied. I will give my life to them. Whom shall I send? *Refrain* 

OFFERING

We gather as a people of God, in the presence of God, to offer up our thanks and praise.

Offering is one way in which we support and sustain our shared ministry.

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Children are invited to bring their offering up to the front of the Worship Center.

Offering Music Deep Waters Pepper Choplin

#### 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

#### BLESSING

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

CLOSING HYMN

The Lord Now Sends Us Forth

**ELW 538** 

The Lord now sends us forth with hands to serve and give, To make of all the earth a better place to live. (Repeat)

The angels are not sent into this world of pain To do what we were meant to do in Jesus' name; That falls to you and me and all who are made free. Help us, O Lord, we pray, to do your will today. (Repeat)

The Lord now sends us forth with hands to serve and give, To make of all the earth a better place to live. (Repeat)

#### DISMISSAL

Go in peace and serve the Lord. Thanks be to God!

#### **POSTLUDE**



## **Participants**

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Pastor Marty Wyatt
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### SUNDAY WORSHIP VOLUNTEERS

INDIVIDUALS AND FAMILY HELPERS NEEDED

It takes many helpers to make a Sunday run smoothly at RLC, and to show good hospitality to all who enter our doors. If you or members of your family are interested in helping on Sunday mornings, please contact Brittany in the church office at bflores@rosevillelutheran.org or 651-487-7752, or stop by the Welcome Desk this morning. We are looking for ushers, communion servers, greeters, and readers.