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To Our Guests and Visitors

We welcome all our friends in Christ who have come to worship with us. If you are a guest, please feel at home with us, sign our guest register, and worship with us whenever you are able. If you do not have a church home, we invite you to consider becoming a part of our church family.

THIRD SUNDAY IN ADVENT DECEMBER 11, 2011

DIVINE SERVICE (Setting 3) **WITHOUT HOLY COMMUNION** **Pg 184**
(Worshippers who have difficulty rising and standing during our services may remain seated with our complete understanding.)

Upon entering the Sanctuary, please turn off cell phones, pagers, etc. and use the time as a quiet time for personal reflection and meditation in preparation for worship. This is a time for anyone to join in praying for the service, and for the church in general.

Verse for meditation: Alleluia. Behold, I send my messenger before your face, who will prepare your way before you. Alleluia. Matthew 11:10b

WE COME BEFORE GOD WITH PRAISE AND CONFESSION

HYMN	<i>Comfort, Comfort Ye My People</i>	<i>LSB 347</i>
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HYMN OF THE DAY	<i>Baptized Into Your Name Most Holy</i> LSB 590
SERMON	
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OFFERING HYMN	<i>Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow</i> LSB 805 <i>(Played as offering is brought forward, congregation rises)</i>
PRAYER OF THE CHURCH	
THE LORD'S PRAYER	
COLLECT	
BENEDICTION	
TRIPLE AMEN	
CLOSING HYMN	<i>Come, Thou Long-Expected Jesus</i> LSB 338

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Soli Deo Gloria

“Rejoice always, pray without ceasing, give thanks in all circumstances; for this is the will of God in Christ Jesus for you. Do not quench the Spirit. Do not despise prophecies, but test everything; hold fast what is good. Abstain from every form of evil.” *1 Thessalonians 5:16-22*



THE DELIVERANCE OF PETER