# Zion Lutheran Church, 9:00 AM Thief River Falls, MN Installation Service of Pastor Kristin Ostercamp Epiphany 5 — Holy Communion—Setting 10 February 5, 2023



## PRELUDE ANNOUNCEMENTS CALL TO WORSHIP

"Let it Shine" Senior Choir

## \*CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS

In the name of the Father, and of the + Son, and of the Holy Spirit. Amen.

Almighty God, to whom all hearts are open, all desires known, and from whom no secrets are hid: cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love you and worthily magnify your holy name, through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.** 

Let us confess our sin in the presence of God and of one another. Most merciful God.

we confess that we are captive to sin and cannot free ourselves. We have sinned against you in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done and by what we have left undone. We have not loved you with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. For the sake of your Son, Jesus Christ, have mercy on us. Forgive us, renew us, and lead us, so that we may delight in your will and walk in your ways, to the glory of your holy name. Amen.

In the mercy of almighty God, Jesus Christ was given to die for you, and for his sake God forgives you all your sins. To those who believe in Jesus Christ he gives the power to become the children of God and bestows on them the Holy Spirit. **Amen.** 

\*GATHERING SONG "Gather Us In" ELW #532

# Liturgy Setting 10 begins on page 203 in the front of the hymnal

## \*GREETING (p. 203)

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

## \*KYRIE (p. 203)

Congregation: Have mercy on us, Lord, and hear our solemn prayer. We come to hear your living word; it saves us from despair. Have mercy on us, Christ, and wash away our sin. Pour out your grace and make us whole that new life may begin. Have mercy on us, Lord, make sin and shame depart. Renew us with your saving pow'r; create in us new hearts!

<sup>\*</sup>Please stand as you are comfortable

## \*CANTICLE OF PRAISE (p. 204)

Congregation: Glory be to God in heaven; peace, goodwill to all the earth. Mighty God of all creation, Father of surpassing worth: we exalt you, we adore you, we lift high our thanks and praise. Saints and angels bow before you; here on earth our songs we raise.

Glory be to Christ forever, Lamb of God and Lord of love. Son of God and gracious Savior, you have come from heav'n above; on the cross you died to save us; now you reign at God's right hand. Hear our prayer; restore, forgive us; in your promise firm we stand.

Holy One we now acclaim you; Lord alone, to you we call; Holy One in faith we name you, God most high, yet near to all: Jesus Christ, with God the Spirit, in the Father's splendor bright. For the peace that we inherit, glory be to God on high!

#### \*PRAYER OF THE DAY

Let us pray.

Lord God, with endless mercy you receive the prayers of all who call upon you. By your Spirit show us the things we ought to do, and give us the grace and power to do them, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. **Amen.** 

#### FIRST READING: Isaiah 58:1-12

<sup>1</sup>Shout out, do not hold back! Lift up your voice like a trumpet!

Announce to my people their rebellion, to the house of Jacob their sins.

<sup>2</sup>Yet day after day they seek me and delight to know my ways,

as if they were a nation that practiced righteousness and did not forsake the ordinance of their God; they ask of me righteous judgments, they delight to draw near to God.

<sup>3</sup>"Why do we fast, but you do not see? Why humble ourselves, but you do not notice?" Look, you serve your own interest on your fast day, and oppress all your workers.

<sup>4</sup>Look, you fast only to quarrel and to fight and to strike with a wicked fist.

Such fasting as you do today will not make your voice heard on high.

<sup>5</sup>Is such the fast that I choose, a day to humble oneself?

Is it to bow down the head like a bulrush, and to lie in sackcloth and ashes? Will you call this a fast, a day acceptable to the LORD?

<sup>6</sup>Is not this the fast that I choose: to loose the bonds of injustice, to undo the thongs of the yoke, to let the oppressed go free, and to break every yoke?

<sup>7</sup>Is it not to share your bread with the hungry, and bring the homeless poor into your house; when you see the naked, to cover them, and not to hide yourself from your own kin?

<sup>8</sup>Then your light shall break forth like the dawn, and your healing shall spring up quickly; your vindicator shall go before you, the glory of the LORD shall be your rear guard.

<sup>9a</sup>Then you shall call, and the LORD will answer; you shall cry for help, and he will say, Here I am.

9b If you remove the yoke from among you, the pointing of the finger, the speaking of evil,

<sup>10</sup>if you offer your food to the hungry and satisfy the needs of the afflicted,

then your light shall rise in the darkness and your gloom be like the noonday.

<sup>11</sup>The LORD will guide you continually, and satisfy your needs in parched places, and make your bones strong; and you shall be like a watered garden, like a spring of water, whose waters never fail.

<sup>12</sup>Your ancient ruins shall be rebuilt; you shall raise up the foundations of many generations;

you shall be called the repairer of the breach, the restorer of streets to live in.

Word of God, word of life... Thanks be to God.

#### **PSALM: Psalm 112:1-10**

<sup>1</sup>Hallelujah! Happy are they who fear the LORD and have great delight in God's commandments!

<sup>2</sup>Their descendants will be mighty in the land; the generation of the upright will be blessed.

<sup>3</sup>Wealth and riches will be in their house, and their righteousness will last forever.

<sup>4</sup>Light shines in the darkness for the upright; the righteous are merciful and full of compassion.

<sup>5</sup>It is good for them to be generous in lending and to manage their affairs with justice.

<sup>6</sup>For they will never be shaken;

the righteous will be kept in everlasting remembrance.

<sup>7</sup>They will not be afraid of any evil rumors; their heart is steadfast, trusting in the LORD.

<sup>8</sup>Their heart is established and will not shrink, until they see their desire upon their enemies.

<sup>9</sup>They have given freely to the poor, and their righteousness stands | fast forever; they will hold up their head with honor.

<sup>10</sup>The wicked will see it and be angry; they will gnash their teeth and pine away; the desires of the wicked will perish.

#### **SECOND READING: 1 Corinthians 2:1-16**

<sup>1</sup>When I came to you, brothers and sisters, I did not come proclaiming the mystery of God to you in lofty words or wisdom. <sup>2</sup>For I decided to know nothing among you except Jesus Christ, and him crucified. <sup>3</sup>And I came to you in weakness and in fear and in much trembling. <sup>4</sup>My speech and my proclamation were not with plausible words of wisdom, but with a demonstration of the Spirit and of power, <sup>5</sup>so that your faith might rest not on human wisdom but on the power of God.

<sup>6</sup>Yet among the mature we do speak wisdom, though it is not a wisdom of this age or of the rulers of this age, who are doomed to perish. <sup>7</sup>But we speak God's wisdom, secret and hidden, which God decreed before the ages for our glory. <sup>8</sup>None of the rulers of this age understood this; for if they had, they would not have crucified the Lord of glory. <sup>9</sup>But, as it is written,

"What no eye has seen, nor ear heard, nor the human heart conceived,

what God has prepared for those who love him"—

<sup>10</sup>these things God has revealed to us through the Spirit; for the Spirit searches everything, even the depths of God. <sup>11</sup>For what human being knows what is truly human except the human spirit that is within? So also no one comprehends what is truly God's except the Spirit of God.

<sup>12</sup>Now we have received not the spirit of the world, but the Spirit that is from God, so that we may understand the gifts bestowed on us by God. [<sup>13</sup>And we speak of these things in words not taught by human wisdom but taught by the Spirit, interpreting spiritual things to those who are spiritual.

<sup>14</sup>Those who are unspiritual do not receive the gifts of God's Spirit, for they are foolishness to them, and they are unable to understand them because they are spiritually discerned. <sup>15</sup>Those who are spiritual discern all things, and they are themselves subject to no one else's scrutiny.

<sup>16</sup>"For who has known the mind of the Lord so as to instruct him?"

But we have the mind of Christ. Word of God, word of life... Thanks be to God.

## \*GOSPEL ACCLAMATION (p. 205)

Congregation: Alleluia! Lord and Savior: open now your saving word.

Let it burn like fire within us; speak until our hearts are stirred

Alleluia! Lord, we sing for the good news that you bring.

#### GOSPEL: Matthew 5:13-20

P: The holy Gospel. C: Glory to you O Lord.

[Jesus said:] 13"You are the salt of the earth; but if salt has lost its taste, how can its saltiness be

restored? It is no longer good for anything, but is thrown out and trampled under foot.

<sup>14</sup>"You are the light of the world. A city built on a hill cannot be hid. <sup>15</sup>No one after lighting a lamp puts it under the bushel basket, but on the lampstand, and it gives light to all in the house. <sup>16</sup>In the same way, let your light shine before others, so that they may see your good works and

give glory to your Father in heaven.

<sup>17</sup>"Do not think that I have come to abolish the law or the prophets; I have come not to abolish but to fulfill. <sup>18</sup>For truly I tell you, until heaven and earth pass away, not one letter, not one stroke of a letter, will pass from the law until all is accomplished. <sup>19</sup>Therefore, whoever breaks one of the least of these commandments, and teaches others to do the same, will be called least in the kingdom of heaven; but whoever does them and teaches them will be called great in the kingdom of heaven. <sup>20</sup>For I tell you, unless your righteousness exceeds that of the scribes and Pharisees, you will never enter the kingdom of heaven."

P: The Gospel of our Lord. C: Praise to you, O Christ.

SERMON BISHOP BILL TESCH

**HYMN OF THE DAY** "Be Thou My Vision" ELW #793

## \*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 to the dead. 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.

## **INSTALLATION of Pastor Kristin Ostercamp**

#### **PRESENTATION**

The assembly stands. The pastor to be installed and a representative of the calling body come before the presiding minister and the assembly. The presiding minister addresses the assembly.

Having been authorized by the church to install Kristin Emma Ostercamp, our co-worker in the gospel, as Pastor,

I now ask for certification of this call.

A representative of the calling body addresses the presiding minister.

After prayerful deliberation,

we, of Zion Lutheran Church,

have called Kristin Emma Ostercamp as Pastor.

I present her and this letter certifying the call.

The representative gives the presiding minister the letter certifying that the call has been received and accepted. The representative moves aside, and the assembly is seated.

#### ADDRESS AND QUESTIONS

The presiding minister addresses the pastor being installed.

A reading from John: Jesus said, "Peace be with you. As the Father has sent me, so I send you. Receive the Holy Spirit. If you forgive the sins of any, they are forgiven them; if you retain the sins of any, they are retained." (John 20:21-23)

A reading from Matthew: Jesus said, "All authority in heaven and on earth has been given to me. Go therefore and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, and teaching them to obey everything that I have commanded you. And remember, I am with you always, to the end of the age." (Matthew 28:18-20)

A reading from First Timothy: Set the believers an example in speech and conduct, in love, in faith, in purity. Attend to the public reading of scripture, to exhorting, to teaching. Do not neglect the gift that is in you, which was given to you through prophecy with the laying on of hands by the council of elders. Put these things into practice, devote yourself to them, so that all may see your progress. Pay close attention to yourself and to your teaching; continue in these things, for in doing this you will save both yourself and your hearers. (1 Timothy 4:12-16)

The presiding minister questions the pastor being installed.

Kristin, in the presence of this assembly will you commit yourself to this new trust and responsibility, in the confidence that it comes from God through the call of the church? *Response*:

I will, and I ask God to help me.

Will you preach and teach in accordance with the holy scriptures and with the confessions of the Lutheran church? Will you carry out this ministry in harmony with the constitutions of the Evangelical Lutheran Church in America? *Response:* 

I will, and I ask God to help me.

Will you be diligent in your study of the holy scriptures and in your use of the means of grace?
Will you love, serve, and pray for God's people,
nourish them with the word and sacraments,
and lead them by your own example in faithful service and holy living?

Response:

I will, and I ask God to help me.

Will you give faithful witness in the world, that God's love may be known in all that you do? *Response:* 

I will, and I ask God to help me.

Almighty God, who has given you the will to do these things, graciously give you the strength and compassion to perform them.

The assembly responds:

Amen.

The assembly stands. The presiding minister addresses the assembly.

People of God,

will you receive Pastor Kristin as a messenger of Jesus Christ sent to serve all people with the gospel of hope and salvation? Will you regard *her* as a servant of Christ and a steward of the mysteries of God? We will, and we ask God to help us.

Will you pray for her, help and honor her for her work's sake, and in all things strive to live together in the peace and unity of Christ? We will, and we ask God to help us.

The presiding minister addresses the pastor being installed.
Kristin Emma Ostercamp the office of Pastor is now committed to you in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

Amen.

#### **BLESSING**

The newly installed pastor may kneel as the presiding minister proclaims God's blessing.

The God of peace, who brought again from the dead our Lord Jesus, the great shepherd of the sheep, by the blood of the eternal covenant, make you complete in everything good so that you may do God's will, working in you that which is pleasing in God's sight; through Jesus Christ, to whom be the glory forever and ever.

Amen.

The pastor stands. The following procession to the places of the word and sacraments may be used. The presiding minister escorts the pastor to the place of baptism. A representative of the congregation says: You have been called to be among us to baptize, to teach, and to forgive sins.

They proceed to the place of the word. A representative of the congregation says:

You have been called to be among us to proclaim the good news.

They proceed to the place of the meal. A representative of the congregation says:

You have been called to be among us to preside at the Lord's supper.

The presiding minister may address the assembly with these or similar words.

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People of God, I present to you Kristin Emma Ostercamp, your Pastor.

Let us welcome her in the name of Christ.

 ${\it The \ assembly \ may \ offer \ acclamation \ with \ applause.}$ 

#### \*SHARING OF PEACE

Sisters and brothers, rejoice. Mend your ways, encourage one another, agree with one another, live in peace. (2 Corinthians 13:11)

The peace of the Lord be with you always.

And also with you.

**OFFERING** *Ushers will bring the plates forward at this time.* 

**OFFERTORY** ELW #184 "Let the vineyards be fruitful Lord..." Let the vineyards be fruitful, Lord, and fill to the brim our cup of blessing. Gather the harvest from the seeds that were sown,

That we may be fed with the bread of life.

Gather the hopes and the dreams of all; unite them with the prayers we offer, Grace our table with your presence, and give us a foretaste of the feast to come.

# \*PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION

Congregational response: receive our prayer.

## \*GREAT THANKSGIVING ELW 206

The Lord be with you.

And also with you.

Lift up your hearts.

We lift them to the Lord.

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God. It is right to give our thanks and praise.

## **HOLY, HOLY** ELW page 207

Holy, holy, Lord, God of power and might, Heav'n and earth are full of your glory, Hosanna, in the highest. Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord, Hosanna in the highest, Hosanna in the highest.

# \*WORDS OF INSTITUTION

## \*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.

## O LAMB OF GOD ELW page 208

- O Lamb of God, you bear the sin of all the world away; You suffered death our lives to save, have mercy now, we pray.
- O Lamb of God, you bear the sin of all the world away; You set us free from guilt an grave; have mercy now, we pray.
- O Lamb of God, you bear the sin of all the world away, Eternal peace with God you made; give us your peace, we pray.

## **COMMUNION DISTRIBUTION**

## \*POST COMMUNION BLESSING & BENEDICTION

- \*SENDING SONG "Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise" ELW #834
- \*DISMISSAL Go in peace. Follow the way of Jesus. Thanks be to God.

# Announcements - February 5, 2022

**WELCOME!** ZION'S LAY MINISTRY/EVANGELISM BOARD SAYS A SPECIAL WELCOME TO YOU THIS MORNING AND MAY YOU BE FED SPIRITUALLY DURING THIS TIME OF WORSHIP.

**OUR THANKS** TO TODAYS WORSHIP LEADERS/ASSISTANTS

Pastor: Kristin Ostercamp
Pianist: Laura Rude

Worship leader: Millie Reierson
Organist: Marie Longo

Greeters: Gaylord & Sonya Pederson

Ushers: Rude family Usher/Greeters: Syver Bertilrud, Mikkel Bertilrud

Acolyte: Parker Lundgren, Brielle Walseth Reader: Denny Minks

Communion assistants: Dick Haugen, Patty Schob, Lydia Walseth, Lexi Walseth

**HOLY COMMUNION** is offered at worship today. Those believing that Jesus Christ is truly present in the bread and wine are welcome to participate. Please tell the communion assistant if you prefer grape juice. If you desire to commune where you are seated, please notify an usher who will direct communion ministers to come and serve you. Communion registration cards are available in the narthex.

Communion will be served continuously with one dismissal after all have communed. Form two single lines up the center aisle; receive the elements standing; then return to your pew by the side aisle. Children are welcome to come forward for a blessing

**OUR PRAYERS TO** Andy Hart recovering in Rochester.

**ZION WORSHIP SERVICE ONLINE** Sunday mornings you can listen to the 9:00AM service online. Go to: www.ziontrf.org. in the black banner click Listen Online, Click on the RED link to KTRF.

BROADCASTS today are sponsored in memory of Karen Johnson by Leon Johnson.

**ZION'S WEBSITE** for February is sponsored by Zion memorials

LISTENING DEVICES & LARGE PRINT bulletins are available from an usher.

WELCOME TO THE INSTALLATION SERVICE for Pastor Kristin Ostercamp, Bishop Bill Tesch will preside at the installation.

SUSTAINING RURAL MINISTRY FUND - This morning, you are invited to participate in a special offering. This fund was established by the Synod to help new Pastors with their educational debt. Seminarians have on average \$70,000. in educational debt at graduation. Newly Called Pastors are eligible to apply for funds in the first 5 years of call. This fund is made known at Ordinations and Installations to bring awareness of this need. If you would like to donate to this fund, please pick up a brochure. Brochures are available on the table in the narthex.

**ENVELOPE BOXES FOR 2023** are available to pick up in the narthex. If you do not currently have envelopes and would like them contact the church office.

VANCO ELECTRONIC GIVING forms are on the table by the office. You can also set up contributions thru the link on Zion's website.

STEWARDSHIP (Envelopes/Vanco Electronic Giving/Silver Creek included in all totals)

Jan 23-29 income: \$ 2,255. Jan 1-29 income: \$ 30,873.

2023 Budget \$340,444. \$6,547. needed per week to meet budgeted expenses.

**OUTDOOR ELECTRONIC SIGN** Donations & Pledges: \$16,968. If you wish to contribute to this project you can drop off or mail to the church office. Placement of the sign has been delayed until spring. *Thank you for your continued donations!* 

LSS CAREGIVERS SUPPORT GROUP will meet on Thursday, February 9th from 10-11:00 AM at Zion. All caregivers are welcome, you do not need to register. More info Julie Praska Moser 218-686-6228

LSS RESPITE CARE - Thursdays, 12 Noon to 4:00 PM in the Lounge. For more info or to sign up please contact Julie Praska Moser at 218-686-6229

**PARISH NURSE NOTES** - As we begin our Lenten journey, we can use this time to **reflect upon our hearts...** physically, emotionally, and spiritually. The following suggestions for our physical hearts are adapted from the American Heart Association's pamphlet, "Heart Health Education."

#### How to Reduce your risk of Heart Disease

- Quit smoking permanently
- Control your blood pressure and have it checked regularly
- Exercise at least 3 times a week for 20 minutes or more at your target heart rate.
- Eat a balanced diet reduced in fat, cholesterol, and salt.

Love, acceptance, and affirmation in our relationships helps us to care for our emotional hearts. Learning about all of our emotions assists us in experiencing harmony and wholeness in our lives.

We share the good news that it is the Lord who creates purity and wholeness in hearts. At the same time, we understand our need to nourish our spirits; they were not created to thrive on neglect! We can care for our spiritual health by setting aside regular time in our schedules for worship, Bible studies, individual and family devotions, prayer and meditation, and celebration of the Lord's supper.

May your Lenten experience bring your heart healing peace. — God's Blessing's and Peace, Parish Health.

**THE GROCERIES TO GO PROGRAM** is available through our church if you'd like to use that option. If you need this service or would like to be a volunteer for grocery delivery, call the church office at 218-681-3296 and we'll get back to you.

#### SCHEDULE FOR THE WEEK:

## Today, Feb. 5: Installation of Pastor Kristin

9:00 Zion Holy Communion worship; Broadcast ch. 3; KTRF

10 Sunday School

10 Coffee & Cake Fellowship

10 Blood Pressure Screening in lounge

No Silver Creek worship

12:00 Zion broadcast on cable ch. 37

#### Monday, Feb 6:

9 SAIL Exercise

6:30 Scouts

#### Tuesday, Feb. 7:

9:30 Staff Meeting

Noon - Pastor's text study

5:15 Public Relations meeting

5:30 Education committee mtg.

## Wednesday, Feb. 8:

9:30 TRF Ministerial meeting

11 Evangelism meeting

5:15 Confirmation supper

6 Confirmation classes

6 God's Joy Choir

7 Senior Choir

#### Thursday, Feb. 9:

9 SAIL Exercise

10 Caregivers Discussion Group

#### Friday, Feb. 10:

9:30 Coffee with Staff

#### Next Sunday, Feb. 12:

9:00 Zion worship; Broadcast ch. 3; KTRF

10 Sunday School

10 Food & Fellowship

10:30 Silver Creek worship

12:00 Zion broadcast on cable ch. 37

1:30 Blue & Gold Banquet at Zion/ Scouts



## Sunday School 10:00-11:00 AM

## February Noisy Offering: Pathways Bible Camp

Parents are invited to stay for coffee fellowship in the basement following worship. All are welcome!

Muffin Makers: Thank you for providing treats for Coffee Fellowship! (proceeds go to youth funds) (Please bring 2 dozen baked goods to the fellowship hall on or before Sunday morning.)

Feb. 5: Joel & Laura Rude, Jon & Erica Hruby, Josh & Amber Knott, Josh & Tina Haugen, Josh & Angie Jensen

Feb. 19: Josh & Sallie Lawrence, Justin & Katie Kunz, Justin & Sarah Van de Streek, Kelsey DeFrang, Kelsey Dondelinger

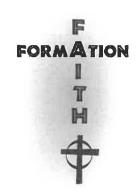
Feb. 26: Kerry Melin, Kevin & Alisha Walseth, Kevin & Tayna Ek, Kim Hanson, Krista Johnson

Feb. 5 Coffee assistants: Gwen Wojciechowski, Syver Bertilrud

## FOOD AND FELLOWSHIP – February 12th

Come and enjoy a French toast breakfast! Free will donation will go to the Andy Hart family. Andy recently had a heart transplant.





## **CONFIRMATION SCHEDULE -**

Meal at 5:15, Classes at 6 PM

Feb. 8 No Class

Feb. 15 Lasagna & Garlic toast

Feb 22 Ash Wednesday - No Class



## **BUENA VISTA SKI TRIP**

Grades 6-12

# **MONDAY, FEBRUARY 20, 2023**

Cost: \$38 Lift ticket only (if you have your own skis or snowboard)
\$64 Lift ticket & ski rental; \$70 Lift ticket & snowboard rental

Zion is joining with Trinity youth again this year. Prices listed do not include transportation or food. You will need to bring money to purchase food at the lodge. More information to follow with departure and return times. Contact Kami Spears to sign up or for more information, message at 218-689-4266. or contact Lisa LeClaire at Trinity at youth@trinitylutherantrf.org