

STOCKHOLM LUTHERAN CHURCH

Sixth Sunday after Epiphany

February 17, 2019

GATHERING

Page and hymn numbers refer to the red hymnal ("Worship")

GATHERING MUSIC Carol Barnaal

WELCOME / ANNOUNCEMENTS

CONFESSION

P: Gathered in God's presence, let us confess our sins. (Silence)

P: Mighty and loving God...

C: we confess that we are captives to Sin and cannot get free. We seek our own way, and not yours. Too often we divide the Body of Christ. In your mercy O God, change our hearts, make us clean and heal us.

Let our words, thoughts and everything we do be filled with faith, hope, and love from you. For the sake of Jesus Christ our Savior and Lord. Amen.

WORDS OF FORGIVENESS

SONG "Gather Us In" (v. 1,2,4) # 532

GREETING

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

C: And also with you.

PRAYER P: Let us pray. Living God,

C: In Christ you make all things new. Transform the poverty of our nature by the riches of your grace, and in the renewal of our lives make known your glory, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. Amen.

WORD OF GOD

FIRST BIBLE READING Jeremiah 17:5-10

PSALM READING Psalm 1

(The Psalms begin on page 339 in the red hymnal)

SECOND BIBLE READING 1 Corinthians 15:12-20

GOSPEL SONG "Alleluia" Page 151

THE GOOD NEWS OF JESUS Luke 6:17-26

CHILDREN'S TIME

SERMON

Rev. Mark Little

RESPONSE TO GOD'S WORD

SONG "Jesus Calls Us" (v. 1, 3, 5) # 696

PROFESSION OF FAITH Page 105 / Inside back cover

WE WORSHIP GOD THROUGH OUR GIVING

OFFERING SONG "Create in Me" # 186

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

(P: Lord, in your mercy; **C: Hear our prayer.**)

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BLESSING

THREE-FOLD "AMEN"

SENDING SONG "Canticle of the Turning" # 723

DISMISSAL P: Go in Peace. Live in the Spirit!

C: Thanks be to God!

SENDING MUSIC Carol Barnaal

Welcome to all who gather here for Worship this morning! We give a special welcome to you if you are a guest with us today— Please worship with us again soon! If you are in search of a new church home, please contact Pastor Mark.

PRAYER CONCERNS – Karen Anderson, Tina Geistfeld, Family / Friends of Agnes Kautz (especially Larry Kautz and family), Nora Klima, Barb Lee, Stephanie Mattila, Kermit Moen, Annie Reinhold, Jonathon Ryan, Kerry Schmiesing, Family / Friends of Floyd Schmoll (Father of Nikki Terning and grandfather of Colin), and those serving in the armed forces as we pray for peace.

GOD'S WORD FOR YOUR HEART "Blessed are those who trust in the LORD...they shall be like a tree planted by water, sending out its roots by the stream." Jeremiah 17, verse 7-8.

THANK YOU to Heidi and Nicholas Little for leading worship at the Manor today!

SNOW DAY WILL BE HELD MARCH 3! Mark your calendars! Please volunteer to help on the sign-up sheet in the back of the church! **More details to come!**

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CONFIRMATION STUDENTS PACK SUPPLIES 1) ON Wednesday, February 27, (**Change of date due to snow storm) the Stockholm Confirmation youth will travel to the Global Health Ministries (GHM) warehouse in Coon Rapids. Executive Director of GHM, Pastor Doug Cox was our speaker at our last Missions Sunday. 2) GHM is a Lutheran Medical missions' organization that sends medical equipment and supplies of all kinds in huge shipping containers to Lutheran missionary hospitals and villages around the world. 3) All Stockholm members are welcome to come and volunteer with us. We plan to leave Stockholm at 3:45 pm, eat at 5:00 pm in the Cities, and arrive at GHM at 6:00 pm. We will assist with various tasks for 90 minutes, leave at 7:30 pm and arrive here at about 9:00 pm. If you would like to join us, and / or contribute to this ministry, please contact Pastor Mark.

LENT BEGINS MARCH 6! Carve out time in your schedule for this faith nurturing time of the year, where we have the blessing of extra time every Wednesday to soak in God's Word, and to be with one another as the Body of Christ! Lent meal is at 5:30 pm, and worship at 7:00 pm. Please sign up to serve a lent meal in the narthex!

