



This is my  
beloved Son, with  
whom I am well  
*pleased.*

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**KING OF KINGS LUTHERAN CHURCH**  
**PRAISE ALIVE!**

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**Praise Alive!**  
**The Baptism of our Lord**  
January 12, 2020 - 11:00 AM

**PRESERVICE MUSIC & OPENING SONG**

**PASTOR'S WELCOME & GREETING**

**INSTALLATION OF NEW OFFICERS**

**WORSHIP SONGS**

**INVOCATION AND PRAYER OF THE DAY**

P: In the Name of God the Father, God the † Son and God the Holy Spirit.

C: **Amen.**

P: There is one body and one Spirit... one Lord, one faith, one baptism

C: **One God and Father of all, who is over all and through all and in all.** [Eph 4:4-6]

P: Jesus said, "I tell you the truth, no one can enter the kingdom of God unless he is born of water and the Spirit." [John 3:5]

C: **Christ loved the church and gave Himself up for her to make her holy, cleansing her by the washing with water through the word.** [Ephesians 5:25-26]

P: But when the kindness and love of God our Savior appeared, He saved us, not because of righteous things we had done, but because of His mercy.

C: **He saved us through the washing of rebirth and renewal by the Holy Spirit, whom He poured out on us generously through Jesus Christ our Savior.** [Titus 3:4-6]

**CHILDREN'S CHURCH**

**READINGS**

**The First Lesson**

**Isaiah 42:1-9**

Pew Bible, page 1124

**The Second Lesson**

**Romans 6:1-11**

Pew Bible, page 1754

**The Gospel Lesson**

**Matthew 3:13-17**

Pew Bible, page 1499

**MESSAGE**

Pastor Paul Birner

**OFFERING**

## CONFESSION AND ABSOLUTION

P: Beloved in the Lord! Let us draw near with a true heart and confess our sins unto God, our Father, beseeching Him in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ to grant us forgiveness. Our help is in the Name of the Lord.

**C: "The Lord is compassionate and gracious, slow to anger, abounding in love. He will not always accuse, nor will He harbor His anger forever;**

P: He does not treat us as our sins deserve or repay us according to our iniquities

**C: For as high as the heavens are above the earth, so great is His love for those who fear Him;**

P: As far as the east is from the west, so far has He removed our transgressions from us." [Ps 103:8-12]

**C: When we were dead in our sins, God made us alive with Christ. He forgave us all our sins.** [Col 2:13]

P: Let us confess our transgressions to the Lord with confidence in His love and grace. Almighty God, We have sinned and done wrong. We have broken Your covenant.

**C: We have not loved You with our whole heart. We have not loved our neighbors as ourselves.**

P: We have hardened our hearts. We have indulged our sinful desires.

**C: We have not been faithful to You or to one another.**

P: We are sinners. Hear our confession. Have mercy on us O God.

**C: Forgive our sins. Heal us and restore us according to your grace and mercy.**

P: The Lord has heard your confession and acted on your behalf. By the power of the Gospel and the command of Christ I forgive you all your sins in the name of the Father, Son and Holy Spirit.

**C: Amen.**

## PRAYERS

P: Let us pray for the whole people of God in Christ Jesus, and for all people according to their needs. "Look to the Lord and his strength; seek His face always.

**C: Remember the wonders He has done, His miracles, and the judgments He pronounced."** [Ps 105:4-5]

*Special Prayers will be made at this time  
Petitions will end with the words, "Lord in Your mercy"  
The congregation may respond, "Hear our prayer."*

P: Into Your hands we commend all for whom we pray, trusting in Your mercy; through Your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord, who taught us to pray

**C: 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.

**Baptismal Anniversaries:** JoAnne Nobis – January 15, Don Hanson – January 18

## THE APOSTLE'S CREED

### BENEDICTION

P: Let us bless the Lord.

C: **Thanks be to God.**

P: The Lord bless us, defend us from all evil, and bring us to everlasting life.

C: **Amen.**

P: The Lord bless you and keep you. The Lord make His face to shine upon you and be gracious to you. The Lord lift up His countenance upon you and give you peace.

C: **Amen.**

### CLOSING SONG

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*The flowers this Sunday are given to the glory of God.*

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Large print bulletins are available from the ushers.