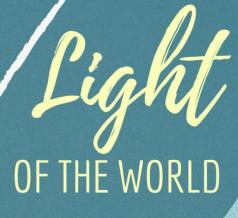
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Matthew 5:13-20

## KING OF KINGS LUTHERAN CHURCH PRAISE ALIVE!

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## **Praise Alive!** The Fifth Sunday after the Epiphany

February 9, 2020 - 11:00 AM

#### **PRESERVICE MUSIC & OPENING SONG**

#### **PASTOR'S WELCOME & GREETING**

#### **WORSHIP SONGS**

#### INVOCATION AND PRAYER OF THE DAY

- P: In the Name of God the Father, God the <sup>⊕</sup> Son and God the Holy Spirit.
- C: Amen.
- P: "In that day you will say: 'I will praise You, O Lord.
- C: Although You were angry with me, Your anger has turned away and You have comforted me.
- P: Surely God is my salvation; I will trust and not be afraid.
- C: The Lord is my strength and my song; He has become my salvation.'
- P: Sing to the Lord, for He has done glorious things;
- C: Let this be known to all the world.
- P: Shout aloud and sing for joy, people of Zion,
- C: For great is the Holy One of Israel among you." [Is 12]

#### **CHILDREN'S CHURCH**

#### READINGS

The First Lesson	Isaiah 58:3-9a	Pew Bible, page 1152
The Second Lesson	1 Corinthians 2:1-12	Pew Bible, page 1773
The Gospel Lesson	Matthew 5:13-20	Pew Bible, page 1501

#### MESSAGE

Pastor Paul Birner

#### OFFERING

### **CONFESSION AND ABSOLUTION**

- P: If we claim to have fellowship with [God] yet walk in the darkness, we lie and do not live by the truth.
- C: But if we walk in the light, as He is in the light, we have fellowship with one another, and the blood of Jesus, His Son, purifies us from all sin. [1 Jn 1:6-7]
- P: "We are consumed by Your anger, O Lord, and terrified by Your indignation. [Ps 90:7]
- C: "O Lord, do not rebuke me in Your anger or discipline me in Your wrath. [Ps 6:1]
- P: You have set our iniquities before You, our secret sins in the light of Your presence. [Ps 90:8]
- C: Be merciful to me, Lord" [Psa 6:2]
- P: As God's people, we make confession, seeking mercy.

(silence for reflection)

- P: Merciful God,
- C: We confess to You that we are by nature sinful, living in darkness. We have gone our own way, listened to lies instead of the truth, and sought to live life on our own terms. Forgive us our many sins of thought, word, and action, for the sake of Jesus. Amen.
- P: God has called you out of the darkness of sin into His wonderful light. He has shown you the way, spoken the truth, and given you new life in Jesus. As a called and ordained servant of the Word, I forgive you all your sins in the name of the Father and of the  $\oplus$  Son and of the 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. "My God turns my darkness into light." [Ps 18:28]
- C: Send forth Your light and Your truth, let them guide me." [Ps 43:3]

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: David Kutschara – February 10, T.J. Whiteley – February 12

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### BENEDICTION

- P: We do not preach ourselves, but Jesus Christ as Lord, and ourselves as Your servants for Jesus' sake.
- C: For God, who said, "Let light shine out of darkness," made His light shine in our hearts to give us the light of the knowledge of the glory of God in the face of Christ. [2 Cor 4:5-6]
- P: Blessed are those who have learned to acclaim You, who walk in the light of Your presence, O Lord. [Ps 89:15]
- C: The Lord is God, and He has made His light shine upon us. [Ps 118:27]
- P: "No eye has seen, no ear has heard, no mind has conceived what God has prepared for those who love Him; but God has revealed it to us by His Spirit." [1 Cor 2:9-10]
- C: "To God, the blessed and only Ruler, the King of kings and Lord of lords, who alone is immortal and who lives in unapproachable light, whom no one has seen or can see. To Him be honor and might forever. Amen." [1 Tim 6:15-16]

## **CLOSING SONG**

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If your worship is more comfortable while seated, you are welcome to do so. Large print bulletins are available from the ushers.