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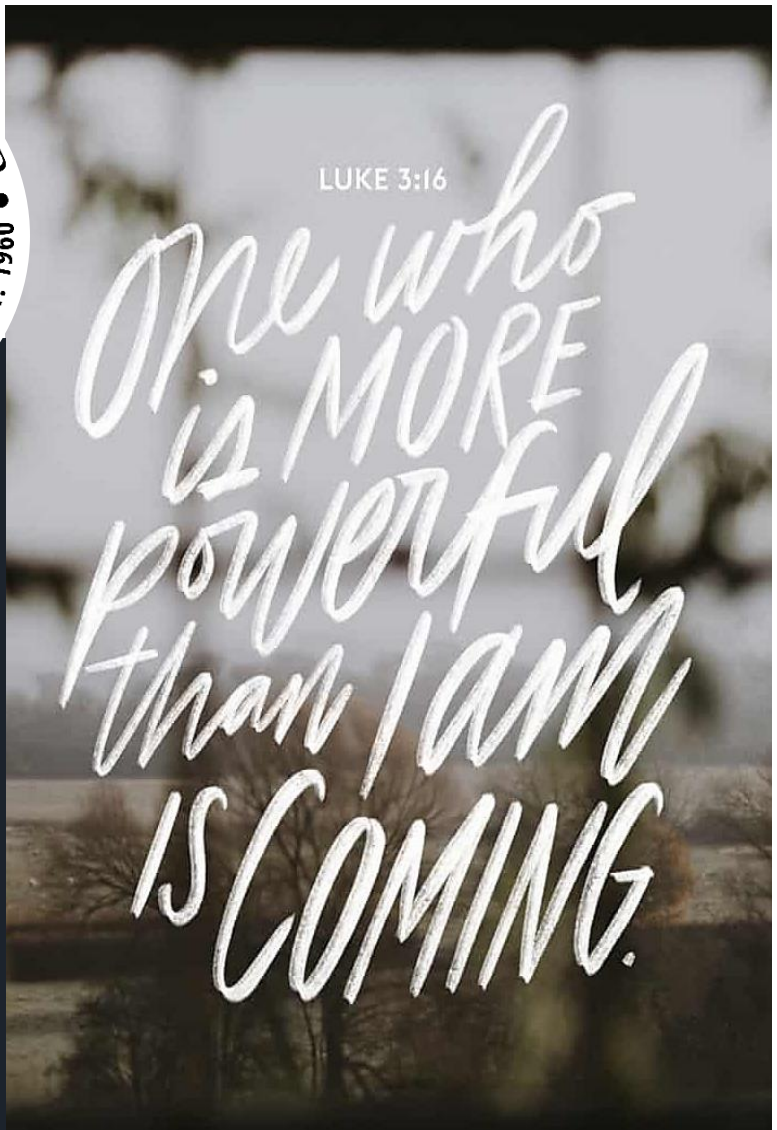
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*Beautiful Savior Lutheran Church is a traditional Lutheran Church, faithful to God's Word and His Sacraments. We equip God's people to serve, love, and encourage one another as we grow in our personal relationship with Christ. We reach out to the community as beacons of light, sharing the love of God in Christ Jesus, our Savior.*

## THE BAPTISM OF OUR LORD January 9, 2022

### *The Triune God Opens Heaven to You in Holy Baptism*

The Baptism of our Lord is an “Epiphany” of the one true God in the flesh and blood of Jesus Christ. In divine mercy, He takes His place with sinners and takes their sin upon Himself. “*When all the people were baptized,*” Jesus submitted Himself to a Baptism of repentance for the forgiveness of sins (Luke 3:21). He had no sins of His own, but He took the sins of the world upon Himself and so was baptized into His own death. Therefore, “*when you pass through the waters,*” He is with you (Is. 43:2). He created you for His glory, and He has redeemed you with His blood, that you may be His own and live with Him in His kingdom (Is. 43:1, 7). As you are baptized with a Baptism like His, so also are you united with Him in His death and resurrection that you “*might walk in newness of life*” (Rom. 6:4). For all who are baptized into Christ Jesus receive His anointing of the Holy Spirit and are named by His Father as beloved and well-pleasing sons and daughters.

**Quiet preparation and prayer are encouraged before worship.** Please save conversation for the Narthex area in order to respect the sacredness of God’s house and the silent meditation of others. Please silence your cell phones and all other electronic devices. There are also several prayers for worship located in the front cover of the Lutheran Service Book. Thank you!

***Attendance Register:*** Please sign the register placed in the rack at the end of the pew and pass it to your neighbor. If you are a visitor please include your address and phone number, and the church you are a member of. Also, if you are a visitor, please sign our guest book on the cabinet below the tract display in the entryway, so we can thank you for joining us. We are glad you are here!

### **SERVING AMONG US TODAY**

**The Ushers: Andrew Lund, Mark Reetz, Terry Young  
The Organist: LeEtta Luce**

**DIVINE SERVICE – SETTING III**

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*If you are unable to, or have trouble standing, please feel free to remain seated at the times we stand.*

**GREETINGS**

**PROCESSION HYMN . . . . . “Jesus, Once with Sinners Numbered” LSB #404**

*(Please stand)*

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**SERVICE OF THE WORD**

**INTROIT - Ps. 2:7-11, 12c; antiphon: Is. 42:1a**



Behold my servant, whom | I uphold,\*  
my chosen, in whom my | soul delights.  
I will tell of | the decree:\*  
The LORD said to me, “You are my Son; today I have be- | gotten you.  
Ask of me, and I will make the nations your | heritage,\*  
and the ends of the earth your possession.  
You shall break them with a | rod of iron\*  
and dash them in pieces like a potter’s | vessel.”  
Now therefore, O | kings, be wise;\*  
be warned, O rulers | of the earth.  
Serve the | LORD with fear,\*  
and rejoice with | trembling.  
for his wrath is quickly | kindled.\*  
Blessèd are all who take ref- | uge in him.  
Glory be to the Father and | to the Son\*  
and to the Holy | Spirit;  
as it was in the be- | ginning,\*  
is now, and will be forever. | Amen.  
Behold my servant, whom | I uphold,\*  
my chosen, in whom my | soul delights.

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**SALUTATION . . . . .page 189**

## COLLECT OF THE DAY

P: Let us pray . . . Father in heaven, at the Baptism of Jesus in the Jordan River You proclaimed Him Your beloved Son and anointed Him with the Holy Spirit. Make all who are baptized in His name faithful in their calling as Your children and inheritors with Him of everlasting life; through the same Jesus Christ, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

**C: Amen.**

*(Please be seated)*

### OLD TESTAMENT READING - Isaiah 43:1-7

<sup>1</sup>But now thus says the LORD, he who created you, O Jacob, he who formed you, O Israel: “Fear not, for I have redeemed you; I have called you by name, you are mine. <sup>2</sup>When you pass through the waters, I will be with you; and through the rivers, they shall not overwhelm you; when you walk through fire you shall not be burned, and the flame shall not consume you. <sup>3</sup>For I am the LORD your God, the Holy One of Israel, your Savior. I give Egypt as your ransom, Cush and Seba in exchange for you. <sup>4</sup>Because you are precious in my eyes, and honored, and I love you, I give men in return for you, peoples in exchange for your life. <sup>5</sup>Fear not, for I am with you; I will bring your offspring from the east, and from the west I will gather you. <sup>6</sup>I will say to the north, Give up, and to the south, Do not withhold; bring my sons from afar and my daughters from the end of the earth, <sup>7</sup>everyone who is called by my name, whom I created for my glory, whom I formed and made.”

P: This is the Word of the Lord.

**C: Thanks be to God.**

### GRADUAL - Ps. 117:1-2a; 96:8



Praise the Lord, all | nations!\*

Extol him, all | peoples!

For great is his steadfast | love toward us,\*  
and the faithfulness of the Lord endures for- | ever.

Ascribe to the Lord the glory | due his name;\*  
bring an offering, and come in- | to his courts!

**EPISTLE READING - Romans 6:1-11**

<sup>1</sup>What shall we say then? Are we to continue in sin that grace may abound? <sup>2</sup>By no means! How can we who died to sin still live in it? <sup>3</sup>Do you not know that all of us who have been baptized into Christ Jesus were baptized into his death?

<sup>4</sup>We were buried therefore with him by baptism into death, in order that, just as Christ was raised from the dead by the glory of the Father, we too might walk in newness of life.

<sup>5</sup>For if we have been united with him in a death like his, we shall certainly be united with him in a resurrection like his. <sup>6</sup>We know that our old self was crucified with him in order that the body of sin might be brought to nothing, so that we would no longer be enslaved to sin. <sup>7</sup>For one who has died has been set free from sin. <sup>8</sup>Now if we have died with Christ, we believe that we will also live with him. <sup>9</sup>We know that Christ being raised from the dead will never die again; death no longer has dominion over him. <sup>10</sup>For the death he died he died to sin, once for all, but the life he lives he lives to God. <sup>11</sup>So you also must consider yourselves dead to sin and alive to God in Christ Jesus.

P: This is the Word of the Lord.

C: Thanks be to God.

*(Please stand)*

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**HOLY GOSPEL - Luke 3:15-22**

P: The Holy Gospel according to St. Luke, the 3<sup>rd</sup> Chapter.

C: **Glory to You, O Lord.**

<sup>15</sup>As the people were in expectation, and all were questioning in their hearts concerning John, whether he might be the Christ, <sup>16</sup>John answered them all, saying, "I baptize you with water, but he who is mightier than I is coming, the strap of whose sandals I am not worthy to untie. He will baptize you with the Holy Spirit and with fire. <sup>17</sup>His winnowing fork is in his hand, to clear his threshing floor and to gather the wheat into his barn, but the chaff he will burn with unquenchable fire."

<sup>18</sup>So with many other exhortations he preached good news to the people. <sup>19</sup>But Herod the tetrarch, who had been reproved by him for Herodias, his brother's wife, and for all the evil things that Herod had done, <sup>20</sup>added this to them all, that he locked up John in prison.

<sup>21</sup>Now when all the people were baptized, and when Jesus also had been baptized and was praying, the heavens were opened, <sup>22</sup>and the Holy Spirit descended on him in bodily form, like a dove; and a voice came from heaven, “You are my beloved Son; with you I am well pleased.”

P: This is the Gospel of the Lord.

C: Praise to You, O Christ.

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**CHILDREN’S MESSAGE**

*(Please be seated)*

**SERMON HYMN . . . . . “God’s Own Child, I Gladly Say It” LSB #594**

**SERMON . . . . . “I Am Baptized” (Luke 3:15-22)**

*(Please stand)*

**OFFERTORY . . . . . page 192-193**

**OFFERING**

**DOXOLOGY . . . . . LSB #805**

**PRAYER OF THE CHURCH**

P: Let us pray to the Lord:

C: Lord, have mercy.

**SERVICE OF THE SACRAMENT**

*This morning we celebrate the Sacrament of the Altar, a feast of forgiveness in which we partake of the true body and blood of Christ along with the visible elements of bread and wine. The Bible gives specific instructions about the Lord’s Supper. As it can be received to one’s spiritual blessing or to one’s spiritual harm (1 Corinthians 11:27-29), the Lord’s Table must be approached with sincere faith and a Biblical understanding. That’s why all who are new to the Lutheran faith are instructed about this sacred meal before attending the Lord’s Supper. Moreover, this Sacrament is also a testimony of our oneness in what we believe (1 Corinthians 10:17). All guests who wish to receive the Sacrament are asked to speak with  
Pastor Norris or the Elder of the Day before the service.*

*(If unable to kneel, please remain standing. If you take the individual cup please wait for the pastor with the common cup to say, “Take, drink,” before drinking.)*

**ORDER OF HOLY COMMUNION . . . . . page 194ff**

*(Please be seated)*

**DISTRIBUTION HYMNS . . . . . LSB #'s 602, 590, 597, 595**

*(Please stand)*

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**SALUTATION AND BENEDICAMUS . . . . .pages 201-202**  
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**CLOSING HYMN . . . . .“To Jordan’s River Came Our Lord” LSB #405**

**ANNOUNCEMENTS**

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<b>THE WEEK OF JANUARY 9, 2022</b>	
<b>SUNDAY</b>	9:30 a.m. - D.S. III 10:45 a.m. - Adult Bible Study & Children's Sunday School 12:00 p.m. - Fellowship Meeting
<b>MONDAY</b>	6:30 p.m. - Confirmation
<b>TUESDAY</b>	10:00 a.m. - Women's Bible Study 7:30 p.m. - Trustees Meeting
<b>WEDNESDAY</b>	
<b>THURSDAY</b>	6:30 p.m. - Council Meeting
<b>FRIDAY</b>	Office Closed
<b>SATURDAY</b>	
<b>UPCOMING EVENTS</b>	1/16 Comfort Food Potluck 1/23 Voters Meeting

<b>OFFERING AND ATTENDANCE FOR: January 2, 2021</b>	
<b>OFFERING: \$4,247.00</b>	<b>ATTENDANCE CHURCH SERVICE: 61</b>
<b>SPECIAL: \$260.10</b>	<b>ADULT SUNDAY SCHOOL: 15</b>
<b>PRESCHOOL: \$0.00</b>	<b>YOUTH SUNDAY SCHOOL: 4</b>
<b>SUNDAY SCHOOL: \$15.36</b>	
<b>TOTAL DEPOSIT: \$4,522.46</b>	

<b>ELDER ASSIGNMENTS</b>	
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<b>Ron Schill (253-293-8176)</b>	<b>Adams - Fischer</b>
<b>Terry Young (253-355-2154)</b>	<b>Fjone - Lee</b>
<b>Matt Perkovich (253-840-1863)</b>	<b>Lehner - Pfeiffer</b>
<b>John Lee (253-863-1529)</b>	<b>Philbrick - Young</b>



## EVENTS & ANNOUNCEMENTS

### WEEKLY BIBLE STUDY - JOIN US!

- **Women's Bible Study** - Tuesday mornings at 10am with a study on the Minor Prophets!
- **Ladies' Bible Study** - Bible Study is currently on hold, but we plan to start soon. If you are interested in joining us on our Skype study of the Book of Ezra, please send your email to Elizabeth at [Gods.project@gmail.com](mailto:Gods.project@gmail.com) and we will let you know when we plan to begin.
- **Men's Bible Study** - day and time are TBA
- **Sunday Morning Adult Bible Class** - Luther's Smalcald Articles from the Lutheran Confessions.

### CONGREGATIONAL

- **The January Newsletter has been distributed!** If you do not have a box, but would like a copy of the newsletter, **there are extra copies by the church office. It is also posted on the church website,** and will be sent out via email.
- **Join us NEXT Sunday January 16<sup>th</sup> as we host a comfort food potluck. Feel free to bring anything that makes you smile, reminds you of home or just something you really enjoy.** There will be a sign-up sheet posted so we know who is bringing what.
- **There will be a Voter's Meeting at the end of the month, on January 23<sup>rd</sup>.**
- **There is a new flower chart for 2022 posted out in the Narthex.**
- **NEW Church Directories are out! They have been distributed into your boxes.**

### SUNDAY SCHOOL

- **We are in need of a Pre-K - K Sunday School teacher. If interested please speak with Cathy Coleman, 253-332-4880. Thanks!**

### STEWARDSHIP

- **The free will offering on January 2nd collected \$259 dollars for LCMS Disaster Relief. Thank you for your support of those impacted by the tornados!**
- **Today begins the collection period for the third quarter mission supporting LCMS Ministry to the Armed Forces and will run through March. This ministry supports all LCMS chaplains who deliver Word and Sacrament ministry to our military personnel and their families. Please visit [lcms.org/armedforces](http://lcms.org/armedforces) for more information. There will also be information about the ministry on the board near the coffee pots. The free will offerings can be placed in the labeled box in the narthex. Thank you!**

### PRESCHOOL

- **We are still looking for a part-time Preschool Director. Contact Pastor or Natasha Schuldheisz with any questions.**

### LWML

- **Next Sunday is Mite Box Sunday! Be sure to bring your offerings to support the work of missions supported by the LWML.**

### LUTHERAN RESOURCES

- **MORE TOPICS, MORE GUESTS, MORE JESUS...**This week's topics include: The Persecution of Christians in India, The Introit, What Can We Learn from "The Benedict

Option”?, Jesus Healing Ten Lepers and more. You can listen on-demand at issuesetc.org, the LPR mobile app and your favorite podcast provider.

- **Thoughts on Witness and Outreach:** Luke 3:15-22: Jesus came to fully carry out the will of His Father. This included being baptized to fulfill all righteousness and take our place under the holy Law of God. He lived in perfect obedience to that Law in our place so that we might be the redeemed children of God who now have some really Good News to share with others who need to hear some. Don't deprive your friends, co-workers, neighbors, or anyone else the blessing of hearing from God when He says to them "You are Mine!"
- **Thoughts on Stewardship:** Luke 3:21 - "Now when all the people were baptized, and when Jesus also had been baptized and was praying, the heavens were opened." We know why the people were baptized, but why was Jesus baptized? He didn't need repentance or forgiveness. The answer is that He did it for us. The reason God sent His Son into the world is to fulfill all righteousness for us, to do what we could not do. The whole of Jesus' life, everything He did and said, was one great offering to the Father in our stead to fulfill all righteousness for us. With our righteousness fulfilled in Jesus and given to us in Baptism, our hearts now overflow with thanksgiving and praise.

### IN OUR PRAYERS

#### CANCER

- **Dale Campbell** (Lueck) - diagnosed with lung cancer and going through chemo treatments
- **Marlene Cole** (Schulz daughter) - continued breast cancer treatments
- **Doug Pariseau** (Schuldheisz) - diagnosed with brain cancer
- **Peggy Jacks** (M. Byarlay) - recently diagnosed with pancreatic cancer
- **Steve** (Remick) - battling cancer
- **Chuck Lundin** (member) - melanoma continues to metastasize, but treatments no longer an option
- **June Pittelko** (M. Mantey grandma) - recent cancer diagnosis and awaiting new test results
- **Bishop Bielec** (Boyer son-in-law) - is home and continuing treatment for infections and lymphoma leukemia
- **Becky** (Baldwin) - recent lung cancer diagnosis and upcoming treatments
- **Cindy** (V. Cook) - battling breast cancer
- **Cheryl** (V. Cook) - battling breast cancer
- **Collette** (DeLaPaz) - going through treatment for pancreatic cancer
- **Don Schill** (R. Schill brother) - diagnosed with bladder cancer
- **John Bratek** (M. McNally brother) - diagnosed with liver cancer

#### SICK & HEALING

- **Michele Millet** (C. Coleman sister) - battling covid
- **Irene Feller** (member) - battling covid
- **Ronald Gulbranson** (M. Gulbranson father) - in intensive care with COPD

**STRENGTH & GUIDANCE**

- Louise Dunn (member) - traveling to Zambia
- Emil Augustine (member) - safe trip to Tanzania through January
- Robb Kramp & Family (Kramp) - prayers for peace and strength as they move to Texas

**THANKSGIVING & PRAISE**

- Gerald Wolf (T. Wolf son) - for new safe residency in the memory care section of Brookdale

**BEREAVEMENT**

- Family of Pastor Steve Cox (S. Carlington) - as they mourn his passing prior to Thanksgiving
- Family of Dan Flint (husband of Gloria Flint - aide in 3's class) - as they mourn his passing on 12/5
- Family of Shirley Brown (member) - as they mourn her passing on 11/18
- Family of Mikko Peterson (Lee)- as they mourn his passing

**WEDDING ANNIVERSARIES**

- Jerry & Jan Whittig - January 15<sup>th</sup>

**SHUT-IN MEMBERS**

Jeanette Mitchell  
Nancy Bellack  
Margaret Donnelly

Marilyn Bauer  
Joy Longé  
Moki Kaahui

Ken Giese  
Carol Myers

**MEN & WOMEN SERVING OUR COUNTRY**

**US ARMY**

- Gerad Nelson (Lee) Special Forces
- Jimmy Soto (De La Paz)
- Conor Curry
- Sean Sobus (Smith)
- Douglas Smith, SSG
- Aaron Spratt

- Michael Broch, Capt. (Hunsberger)
- Kirsten Villalpando (Schill)
- Alex Villalpando (Schill)
- David Brumbaugh, 1<sup>st</sup> Lt.
- Robert Paz, Col. (DeLaPaz)
- Casi Soto (DeLaPaz)
- Sean Wilson, Captain (member)

**US MARINES**

- Chaplain Mario Ancira, Lt.

**US NAVY**

- Logan Tiefel (member)
- Alex Klein (Schill)

**US AIR FORCE**

- Curtis Sinewe, Pilot



# Comfort Food Potluck

JANUARY 16TH

Make sure you sign-up so we know what's on the menu!

