

# The Morning Worship

Altar Officials

9:00 - Pastor Kotzer  
11:00 - Pastor Cornils

10:00 - Pastor Zacher  
12:00 - Pastor Hammersten

Director of Music: Dr. Beverly Claflin  
Organist: Kraig Windschitl

**The Prelude** — *Air* - - - - - Handel

**The Processional Hymn** - - - - ELW 858:1, 3, 4  
*(Please stand as you are able as the pastors enter the Chancel)*

Praise to the Lord, the Almighty,  
the King of creation!  
O my soul, praise him,  
for he is your health and salvation!  
Let all who hear now to his temple draw near,  
joining in glad adoration!

Praise to the Lord, who will prosper  
your work and defend you;  
surely his goodness and mercy  
shall daily attend you.  
Ponder anew what the Almighty can do  
if with his love he befriend you.

Praise to the Lord! Oh, let all that  
is in me adore him!  
All that has life and breath,  
come now with praises before him!  
Let the amen sound from his people again.  
Gladly forever adore him!

## The Invocation

**Pastor:** In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

**Congregation: Amen.** *(Please sing)*

## The Confession and Forgiveness

**Pastor:** 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.

**Congregation: Amen.** *(Please sing)*

**Pastor:** If we say we have no sin, we deceive ourselves, and the truth is not in us. But if we confess our sins, God who is faithful and just will forgive our sins and cleanse us from all unrighteousness.

**Congregation:** Most merciful God, we confess that we are in bondage 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.** *(Please sing)*

**Pastor:** 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.

**Congregation: Amen.** *(Please sing)*

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

**Congregation: And also with you.** *(Please sing)*

**The Kyrie** - - - - - ELW Page 138

**Pastor:** In peace, let us pray to the Lord.

**Congregation: Lord, have mercy.** *(Please sing)*

**Pastor:** For the peace from above, and for our salvation, let us pray to the Lord.

**Congregation: Lord, have mercy.** *(Please sing)*

**Pastor:** For the peace of the whole world, for the well-being of the Church of God, and for the unity of all, let us pray to the Lord.

**Congregation: Lord, have mercy.** *(Please sing)*

**Pastor:** For this holy house, and for all who offer here their worship and praise, let us pray to the Lord.

**Congregation: Lord, have mercy.** *(Please sing)*

**Pastor:** Help, save, comfort, and defend us, gracious Lord.

**Congregation: Amen.** *(Please sing)*

## The Glory in Excelsis

**Pastor:** Glory be to God on high!

**Congregation:** And on earth, peace, good will toward all.

We praise thee, we bless thee, we worship thee,  
We glorify thee, we give thanks to thee for thy great glory,  
O Lord God, heavenly King, God the Father Almighty,  
O Lord, the only begotten Son, Jesus Christ;  
O Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father,  
that takest away the sin of the world,  
have mercy upon us.

Thou that takest away the sin of the world,  
receive our prayer.

Thou that sittest at the right hand of God the Father,  
have mercy upon us.

For thou only art holy, thou only art the Lord;  
thou only, O Christ, with the Holy Ghost,  
are most high in the glory of God the Father. Amen.

## The Salutation

**Pastor:** The Lord be with you.

**Congregation: And also with you.** *(Please sing)*

## The Prayer of the Day

*(Pastor and congregation)*

Blessed Lord God, you have caused the holy scriptures to be written for the nourishment of your people. Grant that we may hear them, read, mark, learn, and inwardly digest them, that, comforted by your promises, we may embrace and forever hold fast to the hope of eternal life, through your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.** *(Please sing)*

*(Please be seated)*

**The Lesson** - - - - - **Psalm 19**  
*Old Testament p. 504*

**The Gradual Hymn** - - - - - **638:1**

Blessed assurance, Jesus is mine!  
Oh, what a foretaste of glory divine!  
Heir of salvation, purchase of God,  
born of his Spirit, washed in his blood.  
This is my story, this is my song,  
praising my Savior, all the day long:  
this is my story, this is my song,  
praising my Savior all the day long.

*(Before the reading, please stand as you are able and sing)*  
Glory to you, O Lord.

**The Gospel** - - - - - **Luke 4:14-21**  
*New Testament p. 57*

*(After the reading, please sing)*  
Praise to you, O Christ.

## The Apostles' Creed

I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth.

I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord. He was conceived by the power of the Holy Spirit and born of the virgin Mary. He suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried. He descended into hell. On the third day he rose again. He ascended into heaven, and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again 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.

*(Please be seated)*

*[\* Universal/Christian]*

**The Anthem**

9:00 and 10:00 — *Ain'a That Good News* - arr. Mark Patterson  
Chapel Choir; Elaine Sergeant, Director  
11:00 and 12:00 — *With All I Am* - - - Taylor Davis  
Chancel Choir; Amanda Jenkins, Director

**The Welcome**

**The Offertory** — *Prelude to G Major Suite* - - J. S. Bach  
Diane Loudon, cello

**The Offertory Prayer**

*(Please stand as you are able and sing)*

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; Praise him, all  
creatures here below; Praise him above, ye heavenly host;  
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

*(Please be seated)*

**The Pulpit Hymn- - - - - 800:1, 4**

Spirit of God, descend upon my heart;  
wean it from earth, through all its pulses move;  
stoop to my weakness, strength to me impart,  
and make me love you as I ought to love.

Teach me to love you as your angels love,  
one holy passion filling all my frame:  
the baptism of the heav'n-descended dove,  
my heart an altar, and your love the flame.

**The Sermon — Pastor Kalland**

*“Whose Spirit?”*

*(Please stand as you are able and sing)*

**The Closing Hymn - - - - - 773:1**

Precious Lord, take my hand,  
lead me on, help me stand,  
I am tired, I am weak, I am worn.  
Through the storm, through the night,  
lead me on to the light.  
Take my hand, precious Lord, lead me home.

**The Lord's Prayer**

**The Benediction**

**The Threefold Amen**

*(The congregation is asked to pause for a moment of silent prayer)*

**The Postlude** — *Now Thank We All Our God* - Karg-Elert

**ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**Welcome Visitors**

We are delighted you are worshiping with us today. If you  
have any questions about our ministry at Mount Olivet  
Church, please stop by the Information Desk in the Narthex.

Visitors are invited to the church lounge for coffee and a tour  
of our church. Members of the Board of Life and Growth will  
be pleased to assist you.

**Baptisms**

Nikolas Andrew Kozar, son of Vesna Hampel-Kozar and Peter  
Kozar; and Brayden Andre Joseph Levy, son of Melissa and  
Michael, will be received into the fellowship of Christ and His  
Church through the sacrament of Holy Baptism today.

**Altar Flowers**

The flowers on the altar in the main sanctuary are given in  
honor of Darline Lewis by her family.

The flowers by the pulpit are given in loving memory of Jim  
Jenison by his wife, Darlene.

The flowers by the lectern are given in celebration of Marion  
Rustvold's 90th birthday by her family.

The flowers on the altar in the Serley Chapel are given in loving  
memory of Roy Nelson on the anniversary of his birthday by  
his wife, Marcella, and family.

**Next Sunday**

Sunday morning worship services will be at 9, 10, 11 am, and  
12 noon with Pastor Kotzer speaking on the topic, *“Insider  
Religion.”*

Holy Communion will be observed at 8:30 am and 12:45 pm.

There will be nursery service for 6-weeks through 2-year olds  
and Sunday Church School/The Way for 3-year olds through  
6th grade at 9, 10, and 11 am.

Worship at Mount Olivet Church – West Campus at 9:15 and 10:30 am.

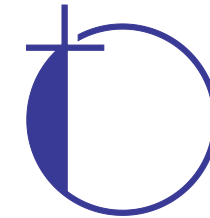
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**THE SERVICE**

**The Third Sunday  
After Epiphany  
January 24, 2010**



**MOUNT OLIVET LUTHERAN CHURCH  
MINNEAPOLIS CAMPUS**

**BELIEVING....**

**BELONGING....**

**BECOMING....**

**Believing in Jesus Christ through the gift of the Holy Spirit.  
Belonging to the community of Jesus Christ.  
Becoming like Jesus Christ through servanthood.**

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