



**GOOD SHEPHERD LUTHERAN CHURCH**  
**Ministers: All The People of The Congregation**  
 Pastor: Kathleen Fullarton

**Good Shepherd Lutheran Mission Statement**

**Called by God to: Grow; Serve; Love; Care and Worship**

**Fourth Sunday after Epiphany** . . . . . February 2-3, 2013  
**5:00 p.m. & 9:00 a.m. Holy Communion** . . . . . **Setting Three**

\* Please stand

Prelude

Welcome (Please remember to sign the pew pad by the center aisle of each pew. Mark your communion in the last column with HC)

\*Gathering Song . . . . . "Gather Us In" . . . . . ELW 532

\*Confession and Forgiveness. . . . . pg 94-96 (right side)

\*Greeting

L: 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.**

\*Kyrie . . . . . pg 138

\*This is the Feast. . . . . pg 140

\*Prayer of the Day

**C: Almighty and ever-living God, increase in us the gifts of faith, hope, and love; and that we may obtain what you promise, make us love what you command, through your Son, Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. Amen.**

Choir Anthem . . . . . (9:00 a.m.) "Come Down, O Love Divine". . . . . Adult Choir  
 First Lesson . . . . . Jeremiah 1:4-10

<sup>4</sup>Now the word of the Lord came to me saying, <sup>5</sup>"Before I formed you in the womb I knew you, and before you were born I consecrated you; I appointed you a prophet to the nations." <sup>6</sup>Then I said, "Ah, Lord God! Truly I do not know how to speak, for I am only a boy." <sup>7</sup>But the Lord said to me, "Do not say, 'I am only a boy'; for you shall go to all to whom I send you, and you shall speak whatever I command you. <sup>8</sup>Do not be afraid of them, for I am with you to deliver you, says the Lord." <sup>9</sup>Then the Lord put out his hand and touched my mouth; and the Lord said to me, "Now I have put my words in your mouth. <sup>10</sup>See, today I appoint you over nations and over kingdoms, to pluck up and to pull down, to destroy and to overthrow, to build and to plant."

Second Lesson . . . . . 1 Corinthians 13:1-13

If I speak in the tongues of mortals and of angels, but do not have love, I am a noisy gong or a clanging cymbal. <sup>2</sup>And if I have prophetic powers, and understand all mysteries and all knowledge, and if I have all faith, so as to remove mountains, but do not have love, I am nothing. <sup>3</sup>If I give away all my possessions, and if I hand over my body so that I may boast, but do not have love, I gain nothing. <sup>4</sup>Love is patient; love is kind; love is not envious or boastful or arrogant <sup>5</sup>or rude. It does not insist on its own way; it is not irritable or resentful; <sup>6</sup>it does not rejoice in wrongdoing, but rejoices in the truth. <sup>7</sup>It bears all things, believes all things, hopes all things, endures all things. <sup>8</sup>Love never ends. But as for prophecies, they will come to an end; as for tongues, they will cease; as for knowledge, it will come to an end. <sup>9</sup>For we know only in part, and we prophesy only in part; <sup>10</sup>but when the complete comes, the partial will come to an end. <sup>11</sup>When I was a child, I spoke like a child, I thought like a child, I reasoned like a child; when I became an adult, I put an end to childish ways. <sup>12</sup>For now we see in a mirror, dimly, but then we will see face to face. Now I know only in part; then I will know fully, even as I have been fully known. <sup>13</sup>And now faith, hope, and love abide, these three; and the greatest of these is love.

\*Gospel Acclamation. . . . . pg 142

**Announcement of Gospel**

P: The Holy Gospel according to Luke.

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

\*Gospel . . . . . Luke 4:21-30

<sup>21</sup>Then he began to say to them, "Today this scripture has been fulfilled in your hearing." <sup>22</sup>All spoke well of him and were amazed at the gracious words that came from his mouth. They said, "Is not this Joseph's son?" <sup>23</sup>He said to them, "Doubtless you will quote to me this proverb, 'Doctor, cure yourself!' And you will say, 'Do here also in your hometown the things that we have heard you did at Capernaum.'" <sup>24</sup>And he said, "Truly I tell you, no prophet is accepted in the prophet's hometown. <sup>25</sup>But the truth is, there were many widows in Israel in the time of Elijah, when the heaven was shut up three years and six months, and there was a severe famine over all the land; <sup>26</sup>yet Elijah was sent to none of them except to a widow at Zarephath in Sidon. <sup>27</sup>There were also many lepers in Israel in the time of the prophet Elisha, and none of them was cleansed except Naaman the Syrian." <sup>28</sup>When they heard this, all in the synagogue were filled with rage. <sup>29</sup>They got up, drove him out of the town, and led him to the brow of the hill on which their town was built, so that they might hurl him off the cliff. <sup>30</sup>But he passed through the midst of them and went on his way.

P: The Gospel of the Lord.

**C: Praise to you, O Christ.**

Children's Message (9:00 a.m.)

The Sermon . . . . . Pastor Kathy Fullarton

\*The Song of the Day . . . . . "Although I Speak with Angel's Tongue". . . . . ELW 644

\*The Apostles' Creed

**C: I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth. I believe in Jesus Christ, God's only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried; he descended to the dead. On the third day he rose again; he ascended into heaven, he is seated at the right hand of the Father, and he will come 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.**

The Offering

Offertory Response . . . . . "Accept, O Lord, the Gifts We Bring". . . . . ELW 691

The Prayers of the Church (kneel or sit)

\*Great Thanksgiving. . . . . pg 144

\*Sanctus. . . . . pg 144

\*Words of Institution/The Lord's Prayer

Communion

Prayer after Communion

\*The Benediction

\*Sending Song . . . . . "Joyful, Joyful We Adore Thee". . . . . ELW 836

\*Dismissal

L: Go in peace. Serve the Lord!

**C: Thanks be to God!**

**Annual Congregation Meeting** - Postponed from January 27<sup>th</sup> will be held on Feb. 3<sup>rd</sup> following the 9:00 a.m. Worship Service in the Church Sanctuary. Elections, Reports, and 2013 Budget.

**Join us in** some interesting discussions as we continue with the Modern Parables Bible Study on Feb. 3<sup>rd</sup> and 10<sup>th</sup>. We will study the parable of "The Sower."

**Caring Ministry** will meet Feb. 10<sup>th</sup> at 10:15 a.m. in the Kitchenette.

**Something new!** You are invited for coffee before the 9:00 a.m. Service beginning Sun., Feb 3<sup>rd</sup> from 8:00-8:45 a.m. Join early risers in the lower entrance to the church and enjoy casual fellowship before the church service. Hope to see you there!

**Social Concerns Ministry Team** will be selling Valentine Cookies Tues., Feb. 12<sup>th</sup> at the Wells City Hall from 10:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. Proceeds go to support the Backpack Program.

**Church Kitchen** - The church kitchen is in need of a good cleaning, which should be done annually. This includes: going through cabinets, wiping them out, some organizing and inventory. The stoves and fridge also need to be cleaned inside and out. There are ladies within the church who would like to do this, but are not able and others that could but are too busy. If this is something that interests you, please call the church office. Someone from the funeral committee would be available during the cleaning in case there are any questions. Thank you, Property & Management Ministry Team

**Souper Bowl of Caring** - Feb. 3<sup>rd</sup> Good Shepherd and UMC youth will be holding a SOUPER BOWL of Caring pan after church, all the money collected will go to the Wells Area Food Shelf.