

## **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

Thanks to Judy Lyon for sponsoring the bulletin this month:  
“In memory of Gilbert & Elaine Erdman”

Elizabeth Circle Ladies: Thank you to all who participated in the  
“12 Days of Christmas”. All submissions were excellent.

January Circle Program: Tuesday, January 19 at 1:30 pm via  
Facebook. Guest Speaker – “Leap of Faith”

### **PRAYER CONCERNS**

- Kayla DeChant
- Angie Federer
- Delores Duer
- Ryan Giese
- Deb Kok
- David Schrader, son of Susan
- Mason, grandson of Susan Schrader
- Those impacted by the coronavirus

#### **Remember our homebound**

At Home: Doris Laurain (in Indiana), Viola McRobert

Christian Home: Louise Miescke

Prairie Place, Ripon: Elaine Stanton

Prairie Ridge: June Witowich, Phyllis McDowell, Alice Chase

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**Come, let us worship God!**

Prelude                      Words of Welcome                      Announcements

Musical Call to Worship

**Call to Worship**

We celebrate together this day the Christ, our Lord and Savior!

**For we were once wandering in a world of uncertainty and despair.**

But Christ has given us eternal hope and a life of true joy!

**And in our Baptism we are united as one with the risen Christ.**

Let our hearts sing with joy and our voices praise our beloved God!

**Blessed be the name of the Lord!**

Opening Music                      **"Shall We Gather At the River"**

**Prayer of the Day**

Holy God, source of all that is good, we gather before You seeking Your grace and love.

**Be present in our lives.**

**Fill us with Your light.**

**Be generous with Your love.**

**Count us among Your children.**

**Be compassionate toward our mistakes.**

**Forgive our failings.**

**Be gracious with Your Power.**

**Strengthen us for Your service.**

We ask these things through the name of Jesus Christ our Savior, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

**Amen.**

Children's Message                      "More Than Water"

Bible Reading                      on insert                      Mark 1:4-11

Hymn                      **"Water, River, Spirit, Grace"**

Bible Reading                      on insert                      Acts 19:1-7

Message                      "Life is too short to be ..."

**Affirmation of Faith                      on insert**

**Tithes and Offerings**

**Song of Thanksgiving                      Refrain                      "Give Thanks"**

**Give thanks with a grateful heart, give thanks to the Holy One, give thanks because He's given Jesus Christ His Son.**

**Repeat**

**And now let the weak say, "I am strong;  
let the poor say, "I am rich  
because of what the Lord has done for us."**

**Repeat**

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**Prayer of Dedication**

Scripture makes it clear that God has blessed us that we might be a blessing to others.

**Lord, set our spirits ablaze with this truth;**

That we might overflow with generosity.

**And then use our gifts**

To bless others

**As you have blessed us.**

Amen.

**The Prayers of the People**

Pastoral Prayer

**The Lord's Prayer**

**Closing Music                      "Spirit of God"**

Blessing

Today's Worship Ministers:                      **All of us**

Tech Team:                      Gary Schulz & Val Dolgner

Pianist:                      Sue Rens Guell

Pastor/Worship Leader:                      Steve Miller

Counters:                      Wayne Strehlow