



Second Sunday after Epiphany

Online Worship - 9am

January 16, 2022

Welcome

GATHERING HYMN "Our God" CCLI 5677416

**Water You turned into wine Opened the eyes of the blind
There's no one like You none like You
Into the darkness You shine Out of the ashes we rise
There's no one like You none like You**

Chorus **Our God is greater our God is stronger
God You are higher than any other
Our God is healer awesome in power
Our God Our God**

**Into the darkness You shine Out of the ashes we rise
There's no one like You none like You Chorus 2x**

Confession and Forgiveness

*Blessed be the holy Trinity, one God,
who creates us, redeems us, and calls us by name. Amen.*

Let us confess our sin in the presence of God and of one another.

(Silence is kept for reflection.)

Most merciful God,
**we confess that we have sinned against you and your beloved children.
We have turned our faces away from your glory when it did not appear as we expected.
We have rejected your word when it made us confront ourselves.
We have failed to show hospitality to those you called us to welcome.
Accept our repentance for the things we have done and the things we have left undone.
For the sake of Jesus Christ, have mercy on us.
Forgive us and lead us, that we may bathe in the glory of your Son born among us, and
reflect your love for all creation. Amen.**

*Rejoice in this good news: In Christ Jesus, your sins are forgiven. You are descendants of the
Most High, adopted into the household of Christ, and inheritors of eternal life. Live as freed and
forgiven children of God. Amen.*

Prayer of the Day

*Lord God, source of every blessing, you showed forth your glory and led many to faith by the
works of your Son, who brought gladness and salvation to his people. Transform us by the Spirit
of his love, that we may find our life together in him, Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. Amen.*

Readings Ben Bridges
Isaiah 62:1-5; Psalm 36: 5-10; 1 Corinthians 12:1-11

Gospel Reading
John 2:1-11

Sermon *There is More Than Enough* Pastor Jennifer Shaw

SERMON HYMN “Lord, Whose Love in Humble Service” ELW 712

**Lord, whose love in humble service bore the weight of human need,
who upon the cross, forsaken, worked your mercy's perfect deed:
we, your servants, bring the worship not of voice alone, but heart;
consecrating to your purpose ev'ry gift which you impart.**

**Still your children wander homeless; still the hungry cry for bread;
still the captives long for freedom; still in grief we mourn our dead.
As you, Lord, in deep compassion healed the sick and freed the soul,
by your Spirit send your power to our world to make it whole.**

**As we worship, grant us vision, till your love's revealing light
in its height and depth and greatness dawns upon our quickened sight,
making known the needs and burdens your compassion bids us bear,
stirring us to ardent service, your abundant life to share.**

**Called by worship to your service, forth in your dear name we go,
to the child, the youth, the aged, love in living deeds to show;
hope and health, good will and comfort, counsel, aid and peace we give,
that your servants, Lord, in freedom may your mercy know and live.**

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 to the dead. 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.

Prayers of Intercession

Lord in your mercy, hear our prayer...

Offering

As we continue to provide for the spiritual and physical needs of our community, we are deeply grateful for your financial support. You can give by 1) mailing a check to the church (42695 Washington St, Palm Desert, CA 92211), or 2) giving online through the “Give” button on the top right corner of our website (stjohnslutheran.church).

Please give as you feel called and able to do so, and please know that any amount you give is deeply appreciated.

SPECIAL MUSIC TBD

Words of Institution

The Lord's Prayer (sung)

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 debts, as we forgive our debtors; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil, for thine is the kingdom, and the power and the glory, forever. Amen.

Communion

Prayer after Communion

*Blessed Jesus, at this table, you have been for us both, host and meal.
Now send us forth to extend our tables and to share your gifts
until that day when all feast together at your heavenly banquet. Amen.*

Announcements

Benediction

SENDING HYMN “Sent Forth by God’s Blessing” ELW 547

**Sent forth by God's blessing, our true faith confessing,
the people of God from this dwelling take leave. The supper is ended.
Oh, now be extended the fruits of this service in all who believe.
The seed of Christ's teaching, receptive souls reaching,
shall blossom in action for God and for all.
Your grace shall incite us, your love shall unite us
to work for your kingdom and answer your call.**

**With praise and thanksgiving to God ever-living,
the tasks of our ev'ryday life we will face—
our faith ever sharing, in love ever caring,
embracing God's children, the whole human race. With your feast you feed us,
with your light now lead us; unite us as one in this life that we share.
Then may all the living with praise and thanksgiving
give honor to Christ and his name that we bear.**

Dismissal ~ Go in peace. Share the good news. Thanks be to God.