

Order of Worship

January 10, 2021, 9:30AM

****Please tune into 96.3 FM****

Lyrics/words are included in this document for the bolded titles.

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Welcome and Offering

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Special Music: "Holy Spirit"

Announcements

HERE I AM TO WORSHIP

WE THREE KINGS

Confession and Forgiveness

BREATHE

Scripture Reading: Romans 10:13-17

Gospel Reading: Mark 1:4-11

Sermon: Pastor Perry Aalgaard

Sermon Song: "**Holy Spirit Rain Down**"

Apostles' Creed

[click here if you'd like to make a prayer request](#)

Lord's Prayer

Benediction

ANGELS FROM THE REALMS OF GLORY

****If you have an emergency during service and you need to leave, please locate an usher.****

Thank you for joining in worship this morning. May the love of Christ open our hearts to be able to love our neighbor. Have a good day!

Here I Am To Worship

Verse 1

Light of the world,
You stepped down into darkness,
Opened my eyes, let me see.
Beauty that made this heart adore You,
Hope of a life spent with You.

Chorus

So, here I am to worship,
Here I am to bow down,
Here I am to say that You're my God.
And You're altogether lovely,
Altogether worthy,
Altogether wonderful to me.

Verse 2

King of all days,
Oh so highly exalted,
Glorious in heaven above.
Humbly You came to the earth You created,
All for love's sake became poor. **(Chorus)**

We Three Kings

Verse 1

We three kings of Orient are
Bearing gifts we traverse afar
Field and fountain moor and mountain
Following yonder star

Chorus

O star of wonder star of night
Star with royal beauty bright
Westward leading still proceeding
Guide us to Thy perfect light

Verse 2

Glorious now behold Him arise
King and God and sacrifice
Alleluia alleluia
Peals through the earth and skies **(Chorus)**

Confession and Forgiveness

Pastor: Jesus calls us to deny ourselves.

Congregation: Yet we trust in our own works rather than in God's grace.

P: Jesus calls each of us to take up our cross.

**C: Yet rather than allow our selfishness and sin to be put to death,
we cling to what we know.**

P: Jesus calls us to follow him.

C: Yet we fear where faith will lead and what it might change in our lives.

P: In this moment of silence, we confess the sin that separates us from one another
and from God.

-Silence for reflection-

P: People of God, hear this good news. God's covenant with us is true. God is faithful
even when we fail. Through the Holy Spirit, God gives us the gift of faith and makes us
righteous.

P: Believe in the good news that you are set free to live as children of God.

C: Amen. Thanks be to God!

Breathe

Verse

This is the air I breathe
This is the air I breathe
Your holy presence living in me
This is my daily bread
This is my daily bread
Your very word spoken to me

Chorus

And I I'm desperate for You
And I I'm lost without You

Ending

This is the air I breathe
This is the air I breathe

Holy Spirit Rain Down

Chorus

Holy Spirit rain down rain down
O Comforter and Friend
How we need Your touch again
Holy Spirit rain down rain down
Let Your power fall let Your voice be heard
Come and change our hearts as we stand on Your Word
Holy Spirit rain down

Verse

No eye has seen no ear has heard
No mind can know what God has in store
So open up heaven open it wide
Over Your church and over our lives **(Chorus)**

Ending

Let Your power fall let Your voice be heard
Come and change our hearts as we stand on Your Word
Holy Spirit rain down

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.

The Lord's Prayer

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 trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever and ever. Amen.

Angels From the Realms of Glory

Verse 1

Angels from the realms of glory
Wing your flight o'er all the earth
Ye who sang creation's story
Now proclaim Messiah's birth

Chorus

Come and worship come and worship
Worship Christ the newborn King

Verse 2

Shepherds in the field abiding
Watching o'er your flocks by night
God with us is now residing
Yonder shines the infant light

Verse 3

All creation join in praising
God the Father Spirit Son
Evermore your voices raising
To the eternal Three in One

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

- **OUR CHRISTIAN LOVE AND SYMPATHY IS EXTENDED TO:**
 - Cody and Sarah Tunland and family as they mourn the loss of Cody's grandfather, Burton Tunland, who passed away on December 22nd. Cards may be sent to: 1980 180th Street, Milford, IA 51351
 - Ty and Karen Currier and family as they mourn the loss of Ty's father, Lee Currer, who passed away on December 30th. Cards may be sent to: 608 20th Street, Spirit Lake, IA 51360
 - Harold Vugteveen, Jennifer Siemers and family as they mourn the loss of Mary Vugteveen, who passed away on January 6th. Cards may be sent to: 2013 32nd Street, #8, Spirit Lake, IA 51360
 - Linda McHugh and family as they mourn the loss of Willy McHugh, who passed away on January 6th. Cards may be sent to: PO Box 773, Okoboji, IA 51355
 - John Adams, John Jr. and Michelle Adams, and their entire family as they mourn the loss of Mary Adams who passed away on January 8th. A small family service will be held at First Lutheran on Wednesday, January 13th. The service will be live streamed. Cards may be sent to: PO Box 731, Arnolds Park, IA 51331
- **WE PRAY FOR:** Jim Valen, Don Walsmith, Suzi Barnes, Connie Love
- **CONGRATULATIONS AND BLESSINGS** to Jen Crane (our office manager) and Michael Salvner on their recent marriage, in which they eloped on January 1st in Des Moines.
- **THANK YOU:** We would like to say a special thank you to our many dear friends here at First Lutheran for sending cards, gifts & memorials to us while dealing with the loss of my mother. It greatly helped us to get through this sad time. It's lifted us up so much when so many dear friends show they care in such loving ways. We feel so blessed to belong to such a loving & caring community like First Lutheran. God's blessings sent to all. -Dick & Sally Brown
- **WORSHIP SERVICES UPDATE:** Beginning on Sunday, January 24th, First Lutheran will provide an indoor worship service at 8:30am and an outdoor worship service at 10:00am. **Note the time change on the outdoor service** If you'd like to view the guidelines for indoor worship, please click [HERE](#).
- **ANNUAL MEETING:** The annual meeting will be held on Sunday, February 14th at 9:30am. The indoor service and the outdoor service will be held at 8:30am with the meeting immediately following. Members can attend via their vehicles, indoor, or online. A 100 member quorum is required! Please plan to attend. The agenda includes approval of the 2021 budget, election of new officers, board and committee members for 2021, and a discussion on the

future vision of First Lutheran Church. The annual report will be available one week prior in the church narthex and on our website.

- **MILFORD CHANNEL 12:** If you have Milford Communications Local Channel 12, you can now watch our recorded service every Monday at 10am and 7pm.
- **SUNDAY SCHOOL UPDATE:** This month we will be shifting gears for @home Sunday School and trying new things! We will email out some '**Children's Messages with Reagan and Bobbie**' along with some discussion guidelines that dig deeper into the lessons. Parents, please check your emails for more information from Reagan on what January Sunday School is going to look like and email her at children@3cross.org with any questions, or if you have not received an email from her this week!
- **UPDATE YOUR INFO:** We have a link on our website homepage to update your address, phone number, or email. Click [HERE](#) if you want to make a change!
- **BACKPACK PROGRAM:** First Lutheran will continue to be a drop off location for the Okoboji Schools. A list of food can be found [HERE](#).



FIRST LUTHERAN DRIVE-IN RULES

- 1. ENTRANCE:** Drive-In Worship is held on the South Side of Church. We will have two parking ushers to help coordinate and direct parking.
- 2. WINDOWS:** Windows may be rolled down for the service or you may tune in to 96.3FM if you'd rather not.
- 3. OFFERING:** Ushers will go around with buckets if you feel comfortable giving in person or you may give online at www.3cross.org or by mail: 1525 Three Cross Road, Milford, IA 51351
- 4. BULLETIN:** We will not have any printed bulletins available. They are on our website. Please open them on your phones, tablets, etc. or print one before leaving home.
- 5. DO NOT LEAVE YOUR CARS:** No one is allowed to leave their vehicles before, during, or after the service.
- 6. OTHER:** There will not be donuts, a porta-potty, or outside seating during the service.

Thank You

We want to thank you for worshipping with us and following these rules set by First Lutheran Church. May God bless you always! For more information visit: www.3cross.org