

MOUNT CALVARY EV. LUTHERAN CHURCH

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The Baptism of Our Lord

January 10,

2010

Nursery care is available in the Ministry Building

We realize that it is difficult for some people to stand for long periods of time, or to kneel. Please feel free to sit as necessary during the liturgy and the prayers. Sitting during the confession is also appropriate for those who cannot kneel.

Prelude: Open Now Thy Gates of Beauty

Hiltscher

Opening Hymn: Open Now Thy Gates of Beauty

TLH 1

Liturgy

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Sit

Old Testament Reading

Isaiah 43:1-7

Epistle

6:1-11

Romans

Holy Gospel

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Luke 3:15-

Apostles' Creed

I believe in God, the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth.

And in Jesus Christ, His 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 into hell. The third day He rose again from the dead. He ascended into heaven and sits at the right hand of God the Father Almighty. From thence He will come to judge the living and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy Christian Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

Sit

Children's Sermon

Hymn of the Day: Baptized into Thy Name Most Holy

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Sermon: What Happens at Our Baptism?

Rev. K. T. DeVries

What is happening to the baby?

1. The baby is going through a ritual or symbolic consecrating?

2. The baby is participating in a magic ceremony?
3. The baby is receiving its name formally?
4. The baby is receiving God's promises of His love and forgiveness in a Sacramental way and becoming a child of God?

Matthew 28:19 *"Therefore go and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit."*

Acts 2:38 *"Repent and be baptized every one of you, in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit."*

Acts 22:16 *"Get up, be baptized and wash your sins away."*

Titus 3:5-6 *"He saved us through the washing of rebirth and renewal of the Holy Spirit, whom He poured out on us generously through Jesus Christ, our Savior."*

Stand

Offertory

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Sit

The Ritual of Friendship *Please complete an attendance card found in the pew and place it in the offering plate in order that we have a record of your worshipping with us.*

Voluntary: Baptized into Thy Name Most Holy

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Prayers of the Church

The Lord's Prayer

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The Collect for the Church

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Installation of 2010 Officers, Church Council, Board and Committee Members

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Sunday School Superintendent – Karl Johnson

The Benediction

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Closing Hymn: Blessed Savior, Who hast Taught Me

TLH 333

Postlude: Processional in G Major

Stanley

*Visitors: please pick up a visitor's packet at the guest register.
Join us for coffee and fellowship in the gym after the 8:30 a.m. service.*