

# The Baptism of Our Lord

January 9, 2022

**Welcome** to Pilgrim Lutheran Church.

Serve the Lord with fear, and rejoice with trembling, for his wrath is quickly kindled. Blessed are all who take refuge in him. *Psalm 2:11,12c*

**Pastor**..... Rev. Paul Landgraf

**Organist**...Lois Gerschefske

**Altar Guild**..... Cindy Bossaller and Peggy Otten

**Order of Worship**..... **DIVINE SERVICE, Setting Three**  
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**Hymns**.....400 "Brightest and Best of the Stars of the Morning"

405 "To Jordan's River Came Our Lord"

602 "The Gifts Christ Freely Gives"

605 "Father Welcomes"

**Sermon Text**..... Luke 3:15-22

**Attendance Last Sunday**.....Church cancelled

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**Remember Our Sick and Shut-Ins** in your daily prayers; Lillian Hellebusch, James Lacy, William Buscher, and any others that may be experiencing health problems.

**Altar flowers** today are given by the Maddox children, grandchildren, and great grandchildren, in remembrance of their parent's birthdays . . . John (January 9) and Ruby (February 25).

The annual **Voters meeting** will be held after the service on January 16.

If anyone is interested in serving as **church custodian** during 2022, a sign-up sheet is located on the table in the narthex.

The members of **Pilgrim Ladies Aid/LWML** are most appreciative of you, the members of Pilgrim, for your assistance with our projects again this year. These include: the Annual Picnic/chicken dinner, Best Choice Bar Code Rewards, Pre-Thanksgiving Dinner Can Bank Offerings, and Osage Caring Christmas Project. With your help we have again been able to fund Altar Guild expenses and congregational dinners and receptions, donate to the Linn Good Shepherd Food Pantry (\$700.00), furnish Christmas gifts for a family of four through Osage Caring, and contribute to many other charitable organizations in our community and beyond. Your participation in our observance of the 100th Anniversary of Freedom Ladies Society (now Pilgrim Ladies Aid/LWML) was also appreciated.

We also take this opportunity to include an invitation to all women of the congregation to join Pilgrim Ladies Aid/LWML – an opportunity for spiritual growth and Christian fellowship among the women of our church and to participate in planning and developing activities of this group. Our Bylaws state, "Any woman who is a communicant member of an LCMS congregation, who expresses a desire to join and has made the object of the organization her own, is eligible for membership". Watch bulletin for meeting date and time. You are invited!

It is our prayer that you will continue to work together with us as a TEAM (Together Everyone Accomplishes More), as we continue to "Serve The Lord With Gladness". THANK YOU!

**THANK YOU** to everyone for the monetary Christmas gift. May God bless you richly in 2022! Organist - Lois Gerschefske

**A Circuit Forum** ... what's that? There will be a Circuit Forum for the Washington Circuit on Sunday, January 23rd, from 2-3 pm at St. Paul, Union. This is a time for important congregational concerns to be brought forward to the other congregations of our circuit and, ultimately, the district. Both a pastor and a lay delegate from each congregation are invited to attend. One important issue is that of the next Circuit Visitor for our Washington Circuit. Any member of the congregation may nominate a pastor for such a position. If you have any questions or concerns, please talk to Pastor.

Bulletin items may be given to Ed Bossaller or e-mailed to [ebossaller@centurytel.net](mailto:ebossaller@centurytel.net)

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PO Box 585  
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9:45 a.m. Sunday School  
10:30 a.m. Worship Service



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