

*"Come, follow me
and I will send you out
to fish for people."
Mark 1:17*



Abiding Savior Lutheran Church

January 24th, 2021

10:00 AM Worship

Abiding Savior Lutheran Church
3rd Sunday after Epiphany ~ January 24, 2021
10:00 AM Online Worship Service

PRELUDE

Janelle Schauer

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

CONFESSION & FORGIVENESS

P Blessed be the holy Trinity, † one God, the eternal voice from heaven, the anointed and beloved one, the Spirit moving over the waters.

C **Amen.**

P As we approach the mystery of God, let us come in confession, trusting the love of Christ crucified and risen.

{Silence for reflection & self-examination}

P God who searches us and knows us, you have shown us what is good, but we have looked to other lights to find our way. We have not been just in our dealings with others. We have chosen revenge over mercy. We have promoted ourselves instead of walking humbly with you. With what shall we come before you? Forgive us our sin, and show us your salvation in the face of Jesus Christ our Savior. Amen.

Beloved of God, you have not received the spirit of the world, but the Spirit that is from God, poured out for you in the faithfulness of Jesus Christ. Receive the promise of baptism: You are God's child; † your sins are forgiven. Rejoice and be glad, for yours is the reign of heaven.

C **Amen.**

OPENING HYMN

Listen, God Is Calling

ELW #513

Led by Pastor Lisa and Pastor Ryan, verses 1 and 3

Refrain: **(Listen,) listen, God is calling, through the Word inviting,
offering forgiveness, comfort and joy.**

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**(Jesus gave his mandate:) share the good news
(that he came to save us) and set us free.**

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**Help us to be faithful,) standing steadfast,
(walking in your precepts,) led by your Word.**

Refrain

APOSTOLIC GREETING AND PRAYER OF THE DAY

P The Lord be with you.

C **And also with you.**

P Let us pray, Almighty God, by grace alone you call us and accept us in your service.
Strengthen us by your Spirit, and make us worthy of your call, through Jesus Christ, our
Savior and Lord. Amen.

CHILDREN'S TIME

Patty Mesenbring

GOSPEL: Mark 1:14-20

SERMON

Pastor Lisa Richardson Engen

HYMN OF THE DAY *You Have Come Down to the Lakeshore*

ELW # 817

Led by Pastor Lisa, verses 1 & 4

**You have come down to the lakeshore seeking neither the wise nor the wealthy,
but only asking for me to follow.**

Refrain:

**Sweet Lord, you have looked into my eyes; kindly smiling, you've called out my name.
On the sand I have abandoned my small boat; now with you, I will seek other seas.**

**You who have fished other waters; you, the longing of souls that are yearning:
O loving Friend, you have come to call me. *Refrain***

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 Christian Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

SHARING OF THE PEACE

P The peace of the Lord be with you always.

C And also with you.

OFFERING OF OUR GIFTS AND TITHES

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OFFERTORY Janelle Schauer

OFFERTORY PRAYER

P O God, receive these gifts as you receive us: like a mother receives her child, with arms open wide. Nourish us anew in your tender care, and empower us in faithful service to tend to others with this same love, through Jesus Christ, our saving grace. Amen.

PRAYERS OF THE CHURCH

P Lord, in your mercy,

C Hear our prayer.

LORD'S PRAYER

ELW pg.145

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.

BENEDICTION

CLOSING HYMN

I Want to Walk as a Child of the Light

ELW #815

Led by Pastor Ryan, verses 1 & 2

**I want to walk as a child of the light. I want to follow Jesus.
God set the stars to give light to the world. The star of my life is Jesus.**

*Refrain: In him there is no darkness at all. The night and the day are both alike.
The Lamb is the light of the city of God. Shine in my heart, Lord Jesus.*

**I want to see the brightness of God. I want to look at Jesus.
Clear Sun of righteousness, shine on my path, and show me the way to the Father.**

Refrain

DISMISSAL

P Go in peace. Christ is with you.

C Thanks be to God.

POSTLUDE

Janelle Schauer



Thank you to those who assisted with worship today!

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Online Worship Services ~ Sundays at 10:00 AM

Bible Study with Pastor Lisa ~ Thursdays at 10:00 AM

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