St. John Lutheran Church
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The Rev. Raymond H. Phyles	Mrs. Margaret Knowlton
Pastor (phone 531-2264)	Organist
Fourth Sunday after the Epiphany	January 31, 2010
Service of the Word II	9:30 a.m.

Preparation

Prelude		Enter quietly to Worship
*The Confession of Sins		p. 77
#*The Entrance Hymn	(4)	# 315
*The Greeting	(5)	p. 78
*The Kyrie	(6)	p. 78
*The Hymn of Praise	(7)	p. 79
*The Prayer of the Day	(8)	p. 16

#Latecomers may be seated

The Word

The First Lesson	(9)	Jeremiah 1: 4-10
The Psalm 71: 1-6		p. 247
The Second Lesson		I Corinthians 13: 1-13
*The Alleluia	(14)	p. 83
*The Holy Gospel		Luke 4: 21-30
The Sermon		Pastor Phyles

The Response to the Word

*The Hymn of the Day	(19)	# 492
The Apostles' Creed		p. 85
The Offering and Offertory		p. 96
*The Anthem		Chancel Choir
*The Pastoral Prayer	(47)	p. 96
*The Lord's Prayer (either version)		p. 97
*The Benediction	(48)	p. 97
*The Departure Hymn		# 415
A Moment of Reflection		
*The Postlude		Depart joyfully to serve

***Congregation Standing**

Lay Assistant: Angie Cornwell
Lector: Judy Othote **Acolyte:** John Caves
Ushers: Tom Knowlton
Nursery: Rick & Cheryl

Please disable all cell phones and other devices upon entering the sanctuary.
Thank you.

The flowers on the Altar this morning have been presented by the Dancewicz family to the glory of God and in honor of Kyle's twenty-first birthday.

We extend a cordial welcome to all visitors who may be worshipping with us today. St. John is a fellowship of God's people worshipping and serving in the Reformation tradition. We celebrate with you our fellowship in Christ and welcome your participation in our congregational life and ministry. Please sign our Guest Book before you leave, and please join us downstairs following the service for coffee and refreshments.

The Annual Meeting of the congregation will be called to order following the coffee hour today. Annual reports are available downstairs prior to the meeting. We invite everyone to stay for the meeting and the pot-luck luncheon that will follow. Our thanks go to all who have prepared reports and have provided food. Our Sunday Church School will not meet today.

We are all aware of the terrible devastation and need in Haiti. There are many opportunities to give funds to aid in rescue and recovery efforts. We invite you to join in the outpouring of assistance by placing your gift on the offering plate in a specifically designated envelope, checks made out to St. John. All donations will be forwarded to the Beyond the River Academy, a non-profit institution based in Haiti that guarantees that 100% of all moneys received will be used to provide direct relief.

Calendars and offering envelopes for 2010 are available on the cabinet shelf downstairs. Please take yours with you today. If you wish to receive envelopes, please let Sue Reed know. If you have not yet made an indication of support for the new year we invite your prayerful consideration to do so. We genuinely appreciate your generous commitment to St. John.

Openings remain on the Flower Chart. Please sign for the Sunday(s) you wish to reserve. The cost remains $30.00 per Sunday from Evans Florists.

A sheet is posted downstairs to sign up for snow shoveling as needed and as you are available. Your help is greatly appreciated.

Canned and dry goods are always welcome at Haven from Hunger. Please place any donations you may wish to make in the designated carton downstairs. Thank you for your ongoing support.

We shall celebrate the sacrament of holy communion next Sunday. Plan now to be present at our Lord's Table.

We ask your prayers and concern for these members and friends of St. John today and throughout the coming week.
Ellen Hepburn Anna Snow David Fredricksen