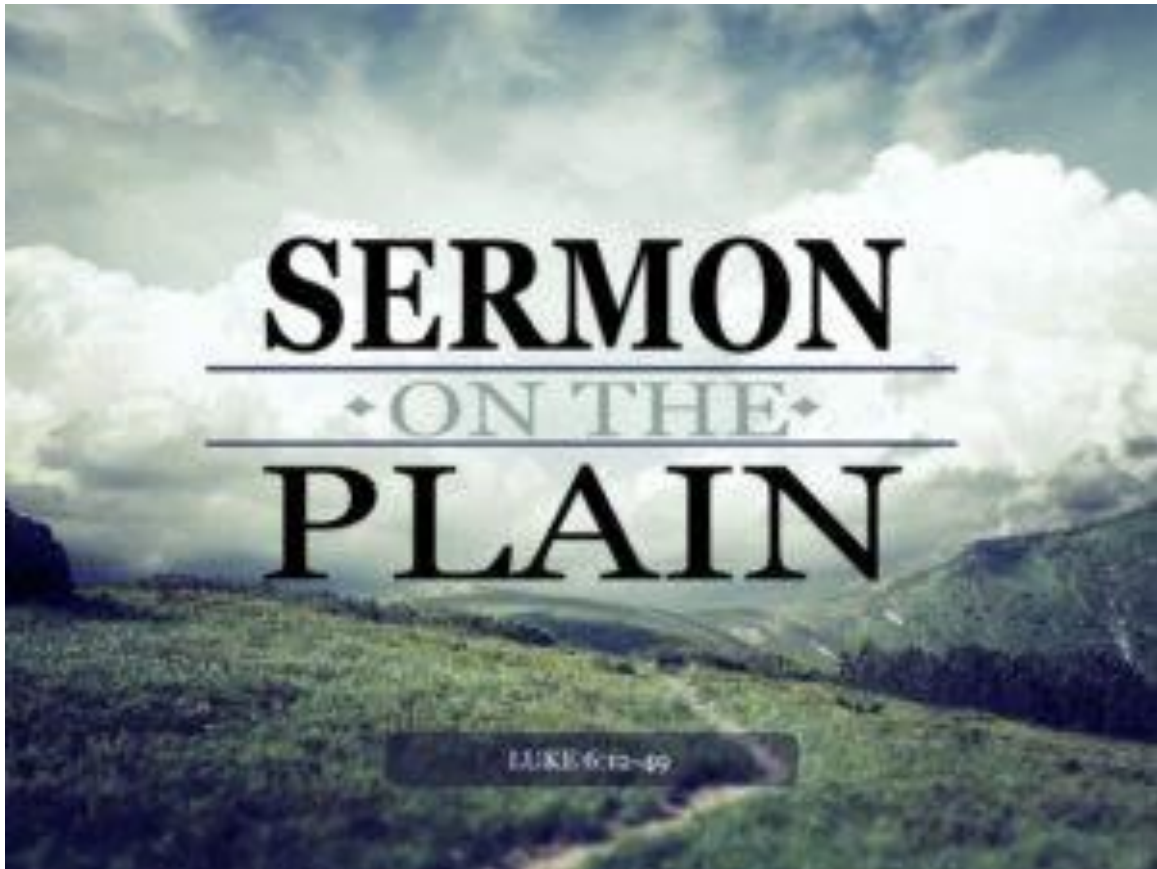


*Sixth Sunday after Epiphany*  
*February 17, 2019*



**GOLD HILL EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH**

*A CONGREGATION OF THE MONTANA SYNOD OF  
THE EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH IN AMERICA (ELCA)*

*Welcome to Gold Hill Evangelical Lutheran Church, and a special welcome to our guests and those returning after a time away. We're gathered as a Christian community to worship the Lord!*

*Please know that you are always welcome here.*

***Our Congregation's Mission Statement:  
EMPOWERED BY THE HOLY SPIRIT, UNITED TO SERVE***

***Thank you for worshipping with us this morning!***

*Please let us know if there are other ways we can be of service. Guests are invited to fill out the small green contact card in the rack in front of you and hand it to the Pastor or other worship leaders or place it in the offering plate. We promise not to 'stalk' anyone – we're just trying to let you know we care.*

***The Guiding Principles of God's People at Gold Hill Lutheran***

*Principle 1: Jesus Christ is our Lord & Savior*

*Principle 2: The Holy Spirit & worship strengthen us*

*Principle 3: We are a welcoming & inviting community in Christ*

*Principle 4: We share the Word with confidence and courage*

*Principle 5: Our faith leads us to serve joyfully*

*Principle 6: We are generous with our gifts*

**[www.Facebook.com/GoldHillLutheranChurch.ELCA.ButteMT](http://www.Facebook.com/GoldHillLutheranChurch.ELCA.ButteMT)**

**Check out our GROWING website at [www.GoldHillLutheran.org](http://www.GoldHillLutheran.org)**

934 Placer Street – Butte, MT 59701 – 406-723-4242

Mary Johnston – [ChurchOffice@GoldHillLutheran.org](mailto:ChurchOffice@GoldHillLutheran.org)

Pastor Laurie Jungling, Interim Pastor –

[PastorGoldHill@gmail.com](mailto:PastorGoldHill@gmail.com); 406-565-2227

**Today's Worship Leaders**

**Worship Leaders: Pastor Laurie Jungling & Margie Fiedler**

**Assisting Minister: Ruthe Meeks**

**Music Ministers: Shelly Clark**

**Communion Ministers: Miriam Haley & Dorothy Tallon**

**Ushers: Paul & Kay Vang**

**Roving Greeter: Mike Lawson**

**Additional Servant Ministers: Ruschelle Tyvand, Tavia Broudy**



**Prayer of the Day**

**C: Loving God, in Christ you make all things new.**

**Transform the poverty of our nature by the riches of your grace, and in the renewal of our lives make known your glory, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. Amen**

**WORD** (all scriptures are on the back pages of the bulletin)

**Old Testament** Jeremiah 17:5-10

**Psalm 1** (read responsively)

**Reading from the Early Church** 1 Corinthians 15:12-20

**Gospel Acclamation** ELW p. 205

**Gospel** Luke 6:17-26

**Young People's Message**

Margie Fiedler

**Sermon**

Margie Fiedler

**Hymn** "Blest Are They" ELW #728

**Apostles Creed** (see the back inside cover of your hymnal)

**Prayers of Intercession**

Respond to each petition with **Hear our Prayer.**

**Sharing the Peace**

P: The Peace of Christ be with you always.

C: **And also with you.**

**Gathering of Offering**

**Offertory** "We Are an Offering"

ELW #692

## **Offering Prayer**

**C: God of all creation, all you have made is good and your love endures forever. You bring forth bread from the earth and fruit from the vine. Nourish us with these gifts, that we might be for the world signs of your gracious presence in Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. Amen.**

## **MEAL**

|                           |            |
|---------------------------|------------|
| <b>Great Thanksgiving</b> | ELW p. 206 |
| Holy, Holy, Holy          | ELW p. 207 |
| Words of Institution      |            |
| The Lord's Prayer         | ELW p. 208 |
| Lamb of God               | ELW p. 208 |

## **Hymns during Communion**

“When the Poor Ones” ELW #725

## **The Sacrament of Holy Communion**

(Served Continuously)

## **Communion Blessing**

## **Prayer After Communion**

## **SENDING**

### **Benediction**

### **Announcements**

**Sending Song** “Canticle of the Turning” ELW #723

### **Dismissal**

**A: Go in peace. Christ is your light!**

**C: We go, empowered by the Holy Spirit, united to Serve.**

**Thanks be to God!**

### **Jeremiah 17:5-10**

5 Thus says the Lord: Cursed are those who trust in mere mortals and make mere flesh their strength, whose hearts turn away from the Lord. 6 They shall be like a shrub in the desert, and shall not see when relief comes. They shall live in the parched places of the wilderness, in an uninhabited salt land. 7 Blessed are those who trust in the Lord, whose trust is the Lord. 8 They shall be like a tree planted by water, sending out its roots by the stream. It shall not fear when heat comes, and its leaves shall stay green; in the year of drought it is not anxious, and it does not cease to bear fruit.

9 The heart is devious above all else; it is perverse — who can understand it? 10 I the Lord test the mind and search the heart, to give to all according to their ways, according to the fruit of their doings.

### **Psalm 1**

A: Blessed are those who do not follow the advice of the wicked,

**C: or take the path that sinners tread, or sit in the seat of scoffers;**

A: but their delight is in the law of the Lord,

**C: and on his law they meditate day and night.**

A: They are like trees planted by streams of water, which yield their fruit in its season, and their leaves do not wither.

**C: In all that they do, they prosper.**

A: The wicked are not so, but are like chaff that the wind drives away.

**C: Therefore the wicked will not stand in the judgement, nor sinners in the congregation of the righteous;**

A: for the Lord watches over the way of the righteous,

**C: but the way of the wicked will perish.**

### **1 Corinthians 15:12-20**

12 Now if Christ is proclaimed as raised from the dead, how can some of you say there is no resurrection of the dead? 13 If there is no resurrection of the dead, then Christ has not been raised; 14 and if Christ has not been raised, then our proclamation has been in vain and your faith has been in vain. 15 We are even found to be misrepresenting God, because we testified of God that he raised Christ -- whom he did not raise if it is true that the dead are not raised. 16 For if the dead are not raised, then Christ has not been raised. 17 If Christ has not been raised, your faith is futile and you are still in your sins.

18 Then those also who have died in Christ have perished. 19 If for this life only we have hoped in Christ, we are of all people most to be pitied. 20 But in fact Christ has been raised from the dead, the first fruits of those who have died.

### **Luke 6:17-26**

17 He came down with them and stood on a level place, with a great crowd of his disciples and a great multitude of people from all Judea, Jerusalem, and the coast of Tyre and Sidon. 18 They had come to hear him and to be healed of their diseases; and those who were troubled with unclean spirits were cured. 19 And all in the crowd were trying to touch him, for power came out from him and healed all of them.

20 Then he looked up at his disciples and said: "Blessed are you who are poor, for yours is the kingdom of God. 21 Blessed are you who are hungry now, for you will be filled. Blessed are you who weep now, for you will laugh. 22 Blessed are you when people hate you, and when they exclude you, revile you, and defame you on account of the Son of Man. 23 Rejoice in that day and leap for joy, for surely your reward is great in heaven; for that is what their ancestors did to the prophets.

24 "But woe to you who are rich, for you have received your consolation. 25 Woe to you who are full now, for you will be hungry. Woe to you who are laughing now, for you will mourn and weep. 26 Woe to you when all speak well of you, for that is what their ancestors did to the false prophets."