

Fourth Sunday after Epiphany
February 3, 2019

Hometown Hero or Zero?



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

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Today's Worship Leaders

Worship Leaders:	Pastor Laurie Jungling
Assisting Minister:	Julie Corbin
Music Ministers:	Shelly Clark, Sue Repola, & GHELC Choir
Communion Ministers:	Julie Corbin
Ushers:	Vern & Jeanette Nielsen
Roving Greeter:	Judy Aaker
Additional Servant Ministers:	Ruschelle Tyvand, Tavia Broudy

Today's Liturgy: Setting 10 ELW, p. 203

P=Presiding Minister A=Assisting Minister

C=Congregation

GATHERING

Welcome

Confession & Forgiveness

P: Blessed be the holy Trinity, † one God, who creates us and forms us, who redeems us and calls us, who unites us and sends us. **Amen.**

P: Gathered in God's presence, let us confess our sin.

Silence is kept for reflection.

P: Mighty and loving God,

C: we confess that we are captive to sin and cannot free ourselves. We seek our own way. We divide the body of Christ. In your mercy, cleanse us and heal us. Let the words of our mouths, the thoughts of our hearts, and everything that we do be filled with faith, hope, and love. Amen.

P: Hear the voice of Jesus: "The Spirit of the Lord is upon me to proclaim release to the captives." In the name of † Jesus Christ, I proclaim to you that your sins are forgiven and you are released. The joy of the Lord is your strength, and the gifts of the Holy Spirit are yours forever.

C: Amen.

Gathering Song "Listen! God is Calling" ELW #513

Greeting ELW p. 203

Kyrie ELW p. 203

"Glory to God" ELW p. 204

Prayer of the Day

C: Almighty and ever-living God, increase in us the gifts of faith, hope, and love so that in and through these gifts we may obtain what you promise, new life and love through your Son, Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. Amen.

Choir Anthem *Holy and Anointed One*
by John Barnett

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

Old Testament Jeremiah 1:4-10

Psalm 19 (*Cong: Antiphon Choir: Verses*)

Reading from the Early Church 1 Corinthians 13:1-13

Gospel Acclamation ELW p. 205

Gospel Luke 4:16-30

Young People's Message Pastor Laurie Jungling

Sermon Pastor Laurie Jungling

Hymn of the Day "I Love to Tell the Story" ELW #661

The Apostles Creed (see the back inside cover of 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

Great Thanksgiving	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

“Where Charity & Love Prevail” ELW #359

The Sacrament of Holy Communion

(Served at the Rail)

Communion Blessing

Prayer After Communion

SENDING

Benediction

Announcements

Sending Song “Hallelujah! We Sing...” ELW #535

Dismissal

A: Go in peace. Christ is your light!

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

Thanks be to God!

THE PEOPLE OF
NAZARETH DON'T
BELIEVE JESUS
BECAUSE HE'S
FROM THERE?



I THINK IT'S
MORE INSIDIOUS
THAN THAT.



THEY THINK HE **OWES THEM**
BECAUSE HE'S FROM THERE BUT
THE RULE AND REIGN OF GOD
DOESN'T PLAY FAVORITES.



I FIND THAT BOTH
REASSURING AND
FRIGHTENING.



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LUKE 4:21-30

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Jeremiah 1:4-10

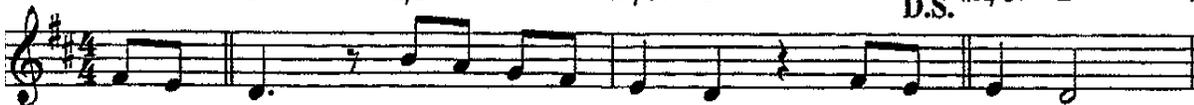
4 Now the word of the Lord came to me saying, 5 "Before I formed you in the womb I knew you, and before you were born I consecrated you; I appointed you a prophet to the nations." 6 Then I said, "Ah, Lord God! Truly I do not know how to speak, for I am only a boy." 7 But the Lord said to me, "Do not say, 'I am only a boy'; for you shall go to all to whom I send you, and you shall speak whatever I command you. 8 Do not be afraid of them, for I am with you to deliver you, says the Lord." 9 Then the Lord put out his hand and touched my mouth; and the Lord said to me, "Now I have put my words in your mouth. 10 See, today I appoint you over nations and over kingdoms, to pluck up and to pull down, to destroy and to overthrow, to build and to plant."

Psalm 71 (please sing)

ANTIPHON  D G/B

1.	to Verses
A/C# D	A/C# D

D.S.



I will sing, sing of your sal - va - tion. I will va - tion.

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1 Corinthians 13:1-13

1 If I speak in the tongues of mortals and of angels, but do not have love, I am a noisy gong or a clanging cymbal. 2 And if I have prophetic powers, and understand all mysteries and all knowledge, and if I have all faith, so as to remove mountains, but do not have love, I am nothing. 3 If I give away all my possessions, and if I hand over my body so that I may boast, but do not have love, I gain nothing.

4 Love is patient; love is kind; love is not envious or boastful or arrogant 5 or rude. It does not insist on its own way; it is not irritable or resentful; 6 it does not rejoice in wrongdoing, but rejoices in the truth. 7 It bears all things, believes all things, hopes all things, endures all things.

8 Love never ends. But as for prophecies, they will come to an end; as for tongues, they will cease; as for knowledge, it will come to an end. 9 For we know only in part, and we prophesy only in part; 10 but when the complete comes, the partial will come to an end. 11 When I was a

child, I spoke like a child, I thought like a child, I reasoned like a child; when I became an adult, I put an end to childish ways. 12 For now we see in a mirror, dimly, but then we will see face to face. Now I know only in part; then I will know fully, even as I have been fully known. 13 And now faith, hope, and love abide, these three; and the greatest of these is love.

Luke 4:14-21

16 When Jesus came to Nazareth, where he had been brought up, he went to the synagogue on the sabbath day, as was his custom. He stood up to read, 17 and the scroll of the prophet Isaiah was given to him. He unrolled the scroll and found the place where it was written: 18 "The Spirit of the Lord is upon me, because he has anointed me to bring good news to the poor. He has sent me to proclaim release to the captives and recovery of sight to the blind, to let the oppressed go free, 19 to proclaim the year of the Lord's favor." 20 And he rolled up the scroll, gave it back to the attendant, and sat down. The eyes of all in the synagogue were fixed on him. 21 Then he began to say to them, "Today this scripture has been fulfilled in your hearing."

21 Then he began to say to them, "Today this scripture has been fulfilled in your hearing." 22 All spoke well of him and were amazed at the gracious words that came from his mouth. They said, "Is not this Joseph's son?" 23 He said to them, "Doubtless you will quote to me this proverb, 'Doctor, cure yourself!' And you will say, 'Do here also in your hometown the things that we have heard you did at Capernaum.'" 24 And he said, "Truly I tell you, no prophet is accepted in the prophet's hometown. 25 But the truth is, there were many widows in Israel in the time of Elijah, when the heaven was shut up three years and six months, and there was a severe famine over all the land; 26 yet Elijah was sent to none of them except to a widow at Zarephath in Sidon. 27 There were also many lepers in Israel in the time of the prophet Elisha, and none of them was cleansed except Naaman the Syrian." 28 When they heard this, all in the synagogue were filled with rage. 29 They got up, drove him out of the town, and led him to the brow of the hill on which their town was built, so that they might hurl him off the cliff. 30 But he passed through the midst of them and went on his way.