## SUNDAY MORNING WORSHIP

First Sunday after Epiphany~January 12, 2025 We Welcome All Who Worship Here This Morning!

PRELUDE Grace~SueAnn Berntson, Roxanne Stensland Zion~Stacey Berntson ANNOUNCEMENTS ~ Opening Prayer Call to Worship ~ Psalm 50:1-15

Grace #183 Zion #59 (Green) "All Creatures of Our God and King"

## Baptism of Reagan Nicole Powers

ORDER OF SERVICE Grace- Ambassador Pg. 2; Zion-Concordia Pg. 408 CONFESSION OF SIN

SCRIPTURE LESSONS

Romans 12:1-5 (G-pg 1351; Z-pg 1188) Luke 2:41-52 (G-pg 1217; Z-pg 1073)

CONFESSION OF FAITH ~ Apostles' Creed SPECIAL MUSIC~ Grace~ Powers Family OFFERING

Grace #262 Zion #224 (Green) "How Firm a Foundation"

Pastor Dennis Norby 1 Kings 8:6-13 (G-pg 420; Z-pg 358)

Grace #419 Zion #253 (Concordia) "Come to Calvary's Holy Mountain"

## LORD'S PRAYER AND BENEDICTION THREE-FOLD AMEN - DOXOLOGY

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#### COMING EVENTS AT GRACE

**Baptized Today**~ Reagan Nicole Powers, daughter of Shayne & Paige Powers will be brought to the Lord in Baptism. Sponsors are Cade & Kate Powers.

Wednesday, January 15 Confirmation	6:00 PM
Answers For Kids Youth Group	7:00 PM 7:00 PM
Adult Bible Study	7:00 PM
Thursday, January 16 Women's Bible Study	10:00 AM
Saturday, January 18	
Men's Prayer Sunday, January 19	7:00 AM
Sunday, January 19 Sunday School Fellowship	9:00 AM 10:00 AM
Divine Worship Stewardship Meal following the service	10:30 AM
Annual Meeting	12:30 PM

**Sundays:** Lift High the Cross KOVC (1490) <u>10 AM</u> KSJB(600) <u>8 AM</u> **Listen Live!** Sunday Mornings at 10:30 AM at www.gracefree.com

## **COMING EVENTS AT ZION**

Wednesday, January 15	
Answers For Kids at Grace	7:00 PM
Youth Group at Grace	7:00 PM
Adult Bible Study at Grace	7:00 PM
Sunday, January 19	
Divine Worship	9:00 AM
Fellowship	10:00 AM
Monday, January 20	
WMF	7:00 PM
Saturday, January 25	
Annual Meeting	

Pray for one another. HOME: Eileen Berntson, Bonnie & Eldwyn Van Bruggen, Jim & Sharon Jensen, Ronda Richards, Toby Larson, Etta Pritchett, Gerri Knutson, Cheryll Borg, Jan Kjelland, Kathleen Schierkolk CARE CENTER: Bette Munkeby, Laverne Leach, Paul Rieth ELIM FARGO: Gary Skramstad, MARYHILL MANOR: Doug Richman Our nation's leaders, military & families, local elected officials. Our church leaders. Pray for wisdom and guidance for the deacons as they consider God's direction in caring for the needs of the congregation. AFLTS & AFLBS Students. Pastor Norby & family AFLC Missionaries: Paul & Becky Abel, Brazil AFLC Congregations: Stillwater Free Lutheran, Kalispell, MT Bethany Lutheran, Astoria, OR If you know of someone who is sick or hospitalized please contact the church office.

Scripture readings for Sunday, January 19, 2025 Call to Worship: Psalm 128 Scripture Lesson: 1 Corinthians 12:1-11; John 2:1-11 Sermon Text: Isaiah 62:1-5

Sanctity of Human Life Sunday will be February 19. A special offering will be taken for the life fund. Designation of funds will be voted on at the annual meeting.

The Grace Annual Meeting will be held Sunday, January 19. There will be a Stewardship fundraiser meal for the Scholarship Fund following the service. Please note this will NOT be a potluck, so no need to bring anything. The meeting will begin at approximately 12:30pm. In case of bad weather, the meeting will be held Sunday, January 26.

# Message & Notes