

**MESSIAH IN MISSION
SERVICE OF THE WORD
GATHERING**

Organ Prelude	“Hail Thee, Festival Day-Meditation” (Callahan)	Doug
Hicks		
Greetings & Announcements		
Opening Hymn*	“I Want Jesus To Walk With Me”	No. 325
Confession & Forgiveness		screen/insert
Apostolic Greeting		page 120
Kyrie		page 120
Canticle of Praise	“Glory To God”	pages 121-122
Prayer of the Day		

WORD

First Reading		Nehemiah 8:1-3, 5-6, 8-10
Psalm	(see black tab on hymnal margin)	Psalm 19
Second Reading		1 Corinthians 12:12-31a
Gospel Acclamation*		page 124
The Holy Gospel		Luke 4:14-21
Children’s Message		
Sermon		Pastor Woyen
Hymn of the Day	“Christ, Be our Light”	No. 715
Apostle’s Creed		page 127
Passing of the Peace		page 128
Piano Offertory	“Turn My Eyes Upon Jesus”	Doug Hicks
Offertory Hymn*	“The Doxology”	No. 884
Offertory Prayer		
Prayers of the People		

SENDING

The Lord’s Prayer		page 134
The Benediction		page 136
Dismissal		
Sending Hymn	“Jesus the Very Thought of Thee” (vs. 1,2,4)	No. 754
Sending Prayer		
Postlude		Doug Hicks

*please stand as you are able

The glory of the Lord is revealed in the reading of scripture. People stand at attention. People weep. People prostrate themselves in prayer. The unity of the church is another reflection of the glory of God. Most gloriously, the promises of God are fulfilled in the person of Jesus Christ. Gather round. Listen up. Glimpse the glory of God.

We welcome you to **Messiah Lutheran Church**. We pray that you find Jesus in our gathering and worship. A Nursery is available for small children. Large print bulletins are available at the entrance. If you have any questions, feel free to ask one of our ushers, the person sitting next to you, or our pastor.

God bless you today and this week!

Serving in Worship Today

The Rev. Eileen L. Woyen
Doug Hicks, Music Director

Greeter: Patty Ondecker
Lay Reader: Kathy Wagner
Acolyte: Harlie McKee

The Altar Flowers are given today by the Mooney Family in memory of Dale Funk.

Pastor Eileen’s Office Hours: Pastor Eileen is in the office Monday – Thursday from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. Feel free to call her at 330/962-9492, Email her at pastor@messiahlutheran.cc, or friend her on Facebook.

Worship Responsibilities for January 31st:

Greeter: Bob and Brenda Porter
Lay Reader: Bob Porter
Acolyte: Sophia Cope
Altar Flowers: **Available**

The **Annual Congregational Meeting** is TODAY after worship. We will be sharing our plans and dreams for 2016. Please bring something to share for a Potluck meal. Please come even if you did not bring a Potluck item!

There will not be Tuesday Bible Study this week. Bible Study will return next Tuesday, February 2.

Check out our new **Today’s Vision; Tomorrow’s Mission** tracker in the lobby! Thank you Brenda Porter! We’ve raised \$50,000 of our goal. Keep up the good work!