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Advent Midweek 2

Vespers

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+ *In Nomine Jesu* +

**Opening Hymn**

*Let the Earth Now Praise the Lord*

LSB 352

**Opening Versicles**

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**Psalm**

Psalm 50:1-15 (ESV)

Antiphon vs. 15

- P: And call upon me in the day of | trouble;\*  
I will deliver you, and you shall glo- | rify me.
- P: The Mighty One, God the LORD, speaks and sum- | mons the earth\*  
from the rising of the sun to its | setting.
- C: **Out of Zion, the perfection of | beauty,\***  
**God | shines forth.**
- P: Our God comes; he does not keep | silence;\*  
before him is a devouring fire, around him a mighty | tempest.
- C: **He calls to the heav- | ens above\***  
**and to the earth, that he may judge his | people:**
- P: Gather to me my | faithful ones,\*  
who made a covenant with me by | sacrifice!
- C: **The heavens declare his | righteousness,\***  
**for God him- | self is judge!**
- P: Hear, O my people, and I will speak; O Israel, I will testify a- | gainst  
you.\*  
I am | God, your God.
- C: **Not for your sacrifices do I re- | buke you;\***  
**your burnt offerings are continually be- | fore me.**
- P: I will not accept a bull | from your house\*  
or goats | from your folds.
- C: **For every beast of the for- | est is mine,\***  
**the cattle on a | thousand hills.**
- P: I know all the birds | of the hills,\*  
and all that moves in the | field is mine.
- C: **If I were hungry, I would not | tell you,\***  
**for the world and its full- | ness are mine.**
- P: Do I eat the | flesh of bulls\*  
or drink the | blood of goats?

**C:**      **Offer to God a sacrifice of thanks- | giving,\***  
             **and perform your vows to the | Most High,**  
**P:**      and call upon me in the day of | trouble;\*  
             I will deliver you, and you shall glo- | rify me.

**All:**      **Glory be to the Father and | to the Son\***  
             **and to the Holy | Spirit;**  
             **as it was in the be|ginning,\***  
             **is now, and will be forever. | Amen.**

**P:**      And call upon me in the day of | trouble;\*  
             I will deliver you, and you shall glo- | rify me.

## **Hymn**

*O Lord, We Praise Thee*

LSB 617

## **Reading**

Luke 1:26-56 (ESV)

In the sixth month the angel Gabriel was sent from God to a city of Galilee named Nazareth, to a virgin betrothed to a man whose name was Joseph, of the house of David. And the virgin's name was Mary. And he came to her and said, "Greetings, O favored one, the Lord is with you!" But she was greatly troubled at the saying, and tried to discern what sort of greeting this might be. And the angel said to her, "Do not be afraid, Mary, for you have found favor with God. And behold, you will conceive in your womb and bear a son, and you shall call his name Jesus. He will be great and will be called the Son of the Most High. And the Lord God will give to him the throne of his father David, and he will reign over the house of Jacob forever, and of his kingdom there will be no end."

And Mary said to the angel, "How will this be, since I am a virgin?"

And the angel answered her, "The Holy Spirit will come upon you, and the power of the Most High will overshadow you; therefore the child to be born will be called holy, the Son of God. And behold, your relative Elizabeth in her old age has also conceived a son, and this is the sixth month with her who was called barren. For nothing will be impossible with God." And Mary said, "Behold, I am the servant of the Lord; let it be to me according to your word." And the angel departed from her.

In those days Mary arose and went with haste into the hill country, to a town in Judah, and she entered the house of Zechariah and greeted Elizabeth. And when Elizabeth heard the greeting of Mary, the baby leaped in her womb. And Elizabeth was filled with the Holy Spirit, and she exclaimed with a loud cry, "Blessed are you among women, and blessed is the fruit of your womb! And why is this granted to me that the mother of my Lord should come to me? For behold, when the sound of your greeting came to my ears, the baby in my womb leaped for joy. And blessed is she who believed that there would be a fulfillment of what was spoken to her from the Lord."

And Mary said, "My soul magnifies the Lord, and my spirit rejoices in God my Savior, for he has looked on the humble estate of his servant. For behold, from now on all generations will call me blessed; for he who is mighty has done great things for me, and holy is his name. And his mercy is for those who fear him from generation to generation. He has shown strength with his arm; he has scattered the proud in the thoughts of their hearts; he has brought down the mighty from their thrones and exalted

those of humble estate; he has filled the hungry with good things, and the rich he has sent empty away. He has helped his servant Israel, in remembrance of his mercy, as he spoke to our fathers, to Abraham and to his offspring forever.”

And Mary remained with her about three months and returned to her home.

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P: Stir up our hearts, O Lord, to make ready the way of Your only-begotten Son, that by His coming we may be enabled to serve You with pure minds; through the same Jesus Christ, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

C: **Amen.**

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+ *Solo Deo Gloria* +

<b>Advent / Christmas / Epiphany</b>			
<b>Special Services</b>			
Advent Weekday services begin at 12:00 p.m.			
Evening services begin at 7:00 p.m.			
<i>Date</i>	<i>Day Name</i>	<i>Title</i>	<i>Text</i>
12/10/25	Advent Midweek 2	Advent: Lord's Supper	1 Corinthians 11:27
12/17/25	Advent Midweek 3	Advent: Absolution	John 20:23
12/24/25	Christmas Eve	Christmas: The Savior	Luke 2:1-14
12/25/25	Christmas Day	Christmas: The Word	John 1:14-18
12/31/25	New Year's Eve	The Name Above All Names	Luke 2:21
01/06/26	Epiphany	Joint at St. Paul — Fulda	Pastor Williams preaching