EPIPHANY OF OUR LORD

JANUARY 5, 2025

Epiphany C Psalm 45:6-8a; antiphon: v. 17

P I will cause your name to be remembered in all generations; therefore nations will praise you forever and ever.

■ Your throne, O God, is forever and ever. The scepter of your kingdom is a scepter of uprightness; you have loved righteousness and hated wickedness.

Therefore God, your God, has anointed you with the oil of gladness beyond your companions; your robes are all fragrant with myrrh and aloes and cassia.

Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit; as it was in the beginning is now, and will be forever. Amen.

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CATECHISM

The First Commandment

You shall have no other gods.

What does this mean?

We should fear, love, and trust in God above all things.

LEARN BY HEART 1 John 1:9

If we confess our sins, he is faithful and just to forgive us our sins and to cleanse us from all unrighteousness.

COLLECT

O God, by the leading of a star You made known Your only-begotten Son to the Gentiles. Lead us, who know You by faith, to enjoy in heaven the fullness of Your divine presence; through the same Jesus Christ, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

READINGS FOR NEXT SUNDAY: Is 43:1-7; Rom 6:1-11; Luke 3:15-22

CONGREGATION AT PRAYER

INVOCATION

INTROIT (front page)

MEDITATION: Portals of Prayer and Catechism

LEARN BY HEART: Bible Verse (front page)

DAILY READINGS:

SU:	1/5	Isaiah 65:8–25	Luke 3:1–20
M:	1/6	Isaiah 66:1–20	Luke 3:21–38
T:	1/7	Ezekiel 1:1–14, 22–28 (Habakkuk 1:1—3:19)	Romans 1:1–17
W:	1/8	Ezekiel 2:1—3:11	Romans 1:18–32
TH:	1/9	Ezekiel 3:12-27 (4:1-11:25)	Romans 2:1–16
F:	1/10	Ezekiel 18:1–4, 19–32 (Ezekiel 19:1—24:27)	Romans 2:17–29
SA:	1/11	Ezekiel 33:1–20	Romans 3:1–18

HYMN OF THE MONTH: LSB #394 Songs of Thankfulness and Praise

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IN OUR PRAYERS THIS WEEK:

- For marriage and family, that husband and wives, parents and children live in ordered harmony according to the Word of God
- Birthdays this upcoming week: Tina, Judy, Wayne
- Baptism Birthdays this upcoming week: None

COLLECT (front page); **LORD'S PRAYER**

BENEDICTION

P The almighty and merciful Lord, the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit, bless and preserve us.

C Amen