Order of Worship  
Tuesday, January 19, 2010  
+ indicates the congregation shall stand

Prelude

+“Lord, Listen to Your Children Praying”  
HYMN #752

+Call to Worship
I was glad when they said unto me, 
let us go to the house of the Lord!
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let us go to the house of the Lord!

Unless the Lord builds the house, 
in vain do the builders labor.
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in vain do the builders labor.

Surely the Lord is in this place. 
This is the house of God, 
this is the gate of heaven!
Surely the Lord is in this place. 
This is the house of God, 
this is the gate of heaven!
Oh, come let us worship!
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+Prayer of the Day
Holy and righteous God, you created us in your image. Grant us grace to contend fearlessly against evil and to make no peace with oppression. Help us, like your servant Martin Luther King, to use our freedom to bring justice among people and nations, to the glory of your Name; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.  
Amen.

Scripture Reading: Genesis 37: 5-11, 23, 24

+“All Are Welcome”  
HYMN #641
1 all; 2 women; 3 all; 4 men; 5 all

+Intercessory Prayers

+Our Lord’s Prayer

+Benediction
God is the Alpha and the Omega, the beginning and the end. May God grant you grace and peace at the dawn of this new year.  
Amen.
All flesh is grass, but the word of God remains forever. May God who is eternal keep you in hope of the resurrection.  
Amen.
The past, the present, and the future rest in God’s hands. May God guard your coming in and your going forth, this new year and forevermore.  
Amen.
Almighty God, Father, + Son, and Holy Spirit, bless you now and forever.  
Amen.

Postlude

Preacher: Gloria Roach Thomas, Pastor, Camphor Memorial United Methodist Church, St. Paul, MN  
Assisting Minister: Susan Bantz, Master of Divinity Junior  
Organist: Joshua Lindgren, Master of Sacred Music Senior
**Bulletins**

Bulletins are available at the chapel entrances each morning for worship. In order to keep the chapel in order, please return the bulletin to the chapel entrances after worship.

The order of service is found in Evangelical Lutheran Worship (red book). Numbers marked with the word "page..." in small case are found in the front portion of the hymnal with pages marked at the bottom left and right corners of the page. Numbers marked with the word "HYMN..." in upper case are found in the music portion of the hymnal.

**Bibles in the Pew Racks**

The bibles in the pew racks have been given in thanksgiving to God by David and Andrea Hayes. The bookplate within each bible reads: *Our mission at Luther Seminary is to give away the Word of God and to educate leaders for Christian communities to do the same. If you are in need of a Bible, or you know someone who needs the Word of God, please accept this Bible as a gift from the seminary. The Bible will be replaced. Pass on the Word!*

**Prayer Concerns**

When you have prayer concerns to bring before the seminary community, please send them by email to the sacristans (sacrist@luthersem.edu). Prayer requests will be posted to the Seminary website and included in the prayers of the community during worship.

**Gentle Reminders...**

- Please remember to turn off all cell phones and pagers during worship.
- We ask that you do not bring beverages into the chapel.

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**The Second Week after the Epiphany**

Luther Seminary
Chapel of the Incarnation
January 18 – 22, 2010
10:00 a.m.