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The Second Sunday in Lent

Prelude

Ringing of the Bells

Welcome

Opening Hymn #708 Lord, Thee I Love with All My Heart



1 Lord, Thee I love with all my heart; I pray Thee, ne'er from
2 Yea, Lord, 'twas Thy rich boun-ty gave My bod - y, soul, and



me de - part, With ten - der mer - cy cheer - me. Earth
all I have In this poor life of la - bor. Lord,



has no plea - sure I would share. Yea, heav'n it - self were
grant that I in ev - 'ry place May glo - ri - fy Thy



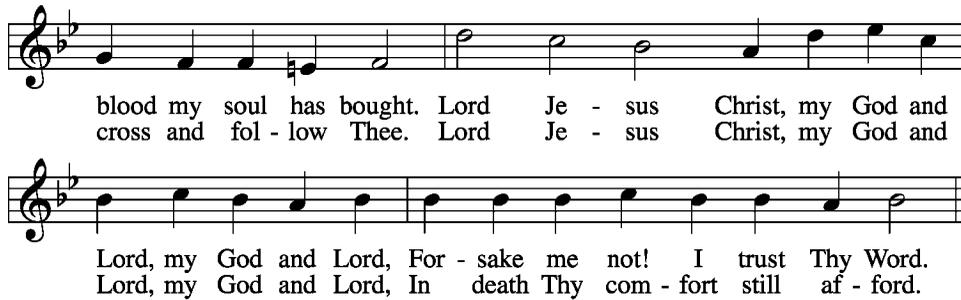
void and bare If Thou, Lord, wert not near me. And should my
lav - ish grace And help and serve my neigh - bor. Let no false



heart for sor - row break, My trust in Thee can noth - ing shake.
doc - trine me be - guile; Let Sa - tan not my soul de - file.



Thou art the por - tion I have sought; Thy pre - cious
Give strength and pa - tience un - to me To bear my



blood my soul has bought. Lord Je - sus Christ, my God and
cross and fol - low Thee. Lord Je - sus Christ, my God and

Lord, my God and Lord, For - sake me not! I trust Thy Word.
Lord, my God and Lord, In death Thy com - fort still af - ford.

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Confession and Absolution

In the name of the Father and of the + Son and of the Holy Spirit.
Amen.

Beloved in the Lord! Let us draw near with a true heart and confess our sins unto God our Father, beseeching Him in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ to grant us forgiveness.

Our help is in the name of the Lord,
who made heaven and earth.

I said, I will confess my transgressions unto the Lord,
and You forgave the iniquity of my sin.

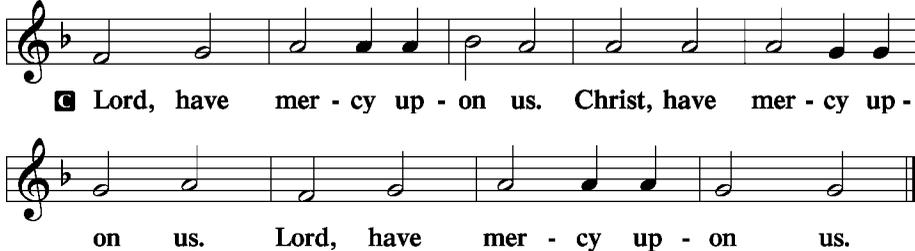
O almighty God, merciful Father,
I, a poor, miserable sinner, confess unto You all my sins and iniquities with which I have ever offended You and justly deserved Your temporal and eternal punishment. But I am heartily sorry for them and sincerely repent of them, and I

pray You of Your boundless mercy and for the sake of the holy, innocent, bitter sufferings and death of Your beloved Son, Jesus Christ, to be gracious and merciful to me, a poor, sinful being.

Upon this your confession, I, by virtue of my office, as a called and ordained servant of the Word, announce the grace of God unto all of you, and in the stead and by the command of my Lord Jesus Christ I forgive you all your sins in the name of the Father and of the + Son and of the Holy Spirit. **Amen.**

Service of the Word

Kyrie



Lord, have mer - cy up - on us. Christ, have mer - cy up -
on us. Lord, have mer - cy up - on us.

(The Gloria is omitted during Lent)

Salutation and Collect of the Day

The Lord be with you.

And with thy spirit.

Let us pray.

O God, You see that of ourselves we have no strength. By Your mighty power defend us from all adversities that may happen to

the body and from all evil thoughts that may assault and hurt the soul; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. **Amen.**

Readings from Holy Scripture

Old Testament Reading: Genesis 17:1–7, 15–16

Epistle Reading: Romans 5:1–11

(The Alleluia verse is omitted during Lent)

Gospel Reading: Mark 8:27-38

Nicene Creed

I believe in one God, the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth and of all things visible and invisible. And in one Lord Jesus Christ, the only-begotten Son of God, begotten of His Father before all worlds, God of God, Light of Light, very God of very God, begotten, not made, being of one substance with the Father, by whom all things were made; who for us men and for our salvation came down from heaven and was incarnate by the Holy Spirit of the virgin Mary and was made man; and was crucified also for us under Pontius Pilate. He suffered and was buried. And the third day He rose again according to the Scriptures and ascended into heaven and sits at the right hand of the Father. And He will come again with glory to judge both the living and the dead, whose kingdom will have no end. And I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord and giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son, who with the Father and the Son together is worshiped and glorified, who spoke by the prophets. And I believe in one holy Christian and apostolic Church, I acknowledge one Baptism for the remission of sins, and I look for the resurrection of the dead and the life + of the world to come. Amen.

Hymn of the Day #437 Alas! And Did My Savior Bleed



1 A - las! And did my Sav - ior bleed, And
 2 Was it for crimes that I had done He
 3 Well might the sun in dark - ness hide And
 4 Thus might I hide my blush - ing face While
 5 But drops of grief can ne'er re - pay The



did my sov - 'reign die? Would He de - vote that
 groaned up - on the tree? A - maz - ing pit - y,
 shut his glo - ries in When God, the might - y
 His dear cross ap - pears, Dis - solve my heart in
 debt of love I owe; Here, Lord, I give my -



sa - cred head For such a worm as I?
 grace un - known, And love be - yond de - gree!
 mak - er, died For His own crea - tures' sin.
 thank - ful - ness, And melt mine eyes to tears.
 self a - way: 'Tis all that I can do.

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Sermon

Offering

Prayer of the Church

Service of the Sacrament

Preface

The Lord be with you.

And with thy spirit.

Lift up your hearts.

We lift them up unto the Lord.

Let us give thanks unto the Lord, our God.
It is meet and right so to do.

It is truly meet, right, and salutary that we should at all times and in all places give thanks to You, holy Lord, almighty Father, everlasting God, through Jesus Christ, our Lord, who overcame the assaults of the devil and gave His life as a ransom for many that with cleansed hearts we might be prepared joyfully to celebrate the paschal feast in sincerity and truth. Therefore with angels and archangels and with all the company of heaven we laud and magnify Your glorious name, evermore praising You and saying:

Sanctus



Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord God of Sab - a - oth;



heav'n and earth are full of Thy glo - ry. Ho - san - na,



ho - san - na, ho - san - na in the high - est. Bless - ed is He,



bles - ed is He, bles - ed is He that com - eth in the name of the Lord.



Ho - san - na, ho - san - na, ho - san - na in the high - est.

Lord's Prayer

Our Father who art in heaven,

hallowed be Thy name,

Thy kingdom come,

Thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven;

give us this day our daily bread;

**and forgive us our trespasses as we forgive those who
trespass against us;**

and lead us not into temptation,

but deliver us from evil.

**For Thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory forever
and ever. Amen.**

The Words of Our Lord

Our Lord Jesus Christ, on the night when He was betrayed, took bread, and when He had given thanks, He broke it and gave it to the disciples and said: "Take, eat; this is My + body, which is given for you. This do in remembrance of Me."

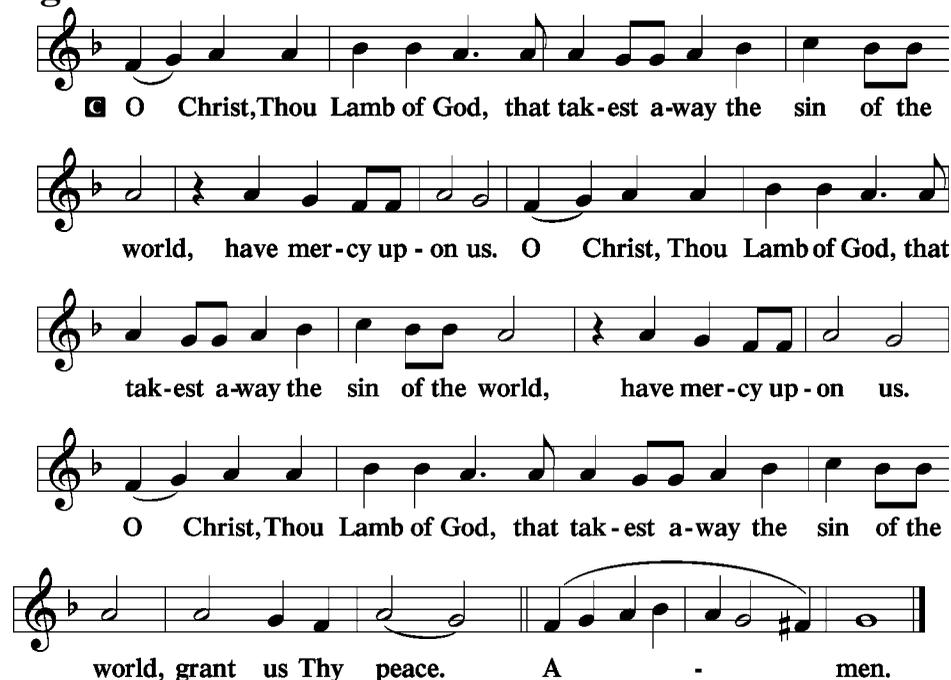
In the same way also He took the cup after supper, and when He had given thanks, He gave it to them, saying: "Drink of it, all of you; this cup is the new testament in My + blood, which is shed for you for the forgiveness of sins. This do, as often as you drink it, in remembrance of Me."

Pax Domini

The peace of the Lord be with you always.

Amen.

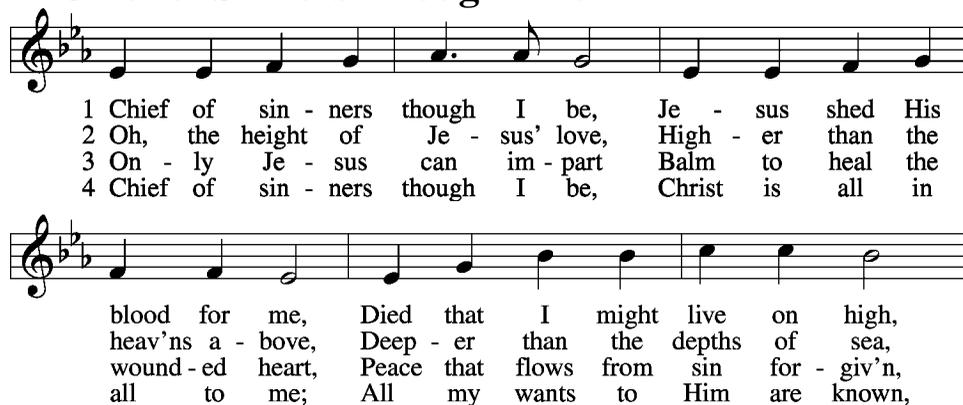
Agnus Dei



O Christ, Thou Lamb of God, that tak-est a-way the sin of the
 world, have mer-cy up - on us. O Christ, Thou Lamb of God, that
 tak-est a-way the sin of the world, have mer-cy up - on us.
 O Christ, Thou Lamb of God, that tak - est a-way the sin of the
 world, grant us Thy peace. A - - men.

Distribution Hymns:

611 Chief of Sinners Though I Be



1 Chief of sin - ners though I be, Je - sus shed His
 2 Oh, the height of Je - sus' love, High - er than the
 3 On - ly Je - sus can im - part Balm to heal the
 4 Chief of sin - ners though I be, Christ is all in
 blood for me, Died that I might live on high,
 heav'ns a - bove, Deep - er than the depths of sea,
 wound - ed heart, Peace that flows from sin for - giv'n,
 all to me; All my wants to Him are known,



Lives that I might nev - er die. As the branch is
 Last - ing as e - ter - ni - ty! Love that found me—
 Joy that lifts the soul to heav'n, Faith and hope to
 All my sor - rows are His own. He sus - tains the



to the vine, I am His, and He is mine.
 won - drous thought! Found me when I sought Him not.
 walk with God In the way that E - noch trod.
 hid - den life Safe with Him from earth - ly strife.

5 O my Savior, help afford
 By Your Spirit and Your Word!
 When my wayward heart would stray,
 Keep me in the narrow way;
 Grace in time of need supply
 While I live and when I die.

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763 When Peace, like a River



1 When peace, like a riv - er, at - tend - eth my way; When
 2 Though Sa - tan should buf - fet, though tri - als should come, Let
 3 He lives— oh, the bliss of this glo - ri - ous thought; My
 4 And, Lord, haste the day when our faith shall be sight, The

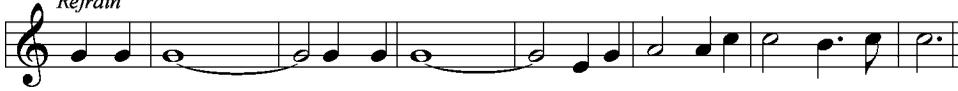


sor - rows, like sea bil - lows, roll; What - ev - er my lot, Thou hast
 this blest as - sur - ance con - trol, That Christ hath re - gard - ed my
 sin, not in part, but the whole, Is nailed to His cross, and I
 clouds be rolled back as a scroll, The trum - pet shall sound and the



taught me to say, It is well, it is well with my soul.
 help - less es - tate And hath shed His own blood for my soul.
 bear it no more. Praise the Lord, praise the Lord, O my soul!
 Lord shall de-scend; E - ven so it is well with my soul.

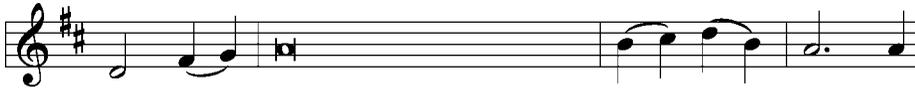
Refrain



It is well with my soul, It is well, it is well with my soul.

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Nunc Dimittis



♩ Lord, now lettest Thou Thy servant de - part in peace ac-



cord-ing to Thy word, for mine eyes have seen Thy salvation,



which Thou hast pre - pared be - fore the face of all people,



a light to light - en the Gen - tiles and the glo - ry of Thy



peo-ple Is - ra - el. Glo - ry be to the Father and



to the Son and to the Ho-ly Ghost; as it was in the beginning,



is now, and ev - er shall be, world without end. A - men.

O give thanks unto the Lord, for He is good,
and His mercy endureth forever.

Let us pray.

We give thanks to You, almighty God, that You have refreshed us through this salutary gift, and we implore You that of Your mercy You would strengthen us through the same in faith toward You and in fervent love toward one another; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. **Amen.**

The Lord be with you.
And with thy spirit.

Benedicamus

Bless we the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

Benediction

Closing Hymn #708 Lord, Thee I Love with All My Heart

3 Lord, let at last Thine an - gels come, To A - br'ham's bos - om
 bear me home, That I may die un - fear - ing; And
 in its nar - row cham - ber keep My bod - y safe in
 peace - ful sleep Un - til Thy re - ap - pear - ing. And then from
 death a - wak - en me, That these mine eyes with joy may see,
 O Son of God, Thy glo - rious face, My Sav - ior
 and my fount of grace. Lord Je - sus Christ, my prayer at -
 tend, my prayer at - tend, And I will praise Thee with - out end.

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“Some of our worship services are regularly, live streamed, video recorded and posted online. If you have a question, please contact Pastor Graves

Information for February 28, 2021**2/21/21 Attendance: 93****THIS WEEK'S ACTIVITIES:****2/17/21 Attendance: 63**

Today: 8:30am Worship Service with Communion
 10:00am Adult Sunday School
 11:00am Worship Service with Communion
 12:15 pm Council Meeting

Wed. 6:00 pm Confirmation
 7:00 pm Lent Service

UPCOMING EVENTS:**Lutheran Hour "A Place to Belong"** Speaker: Rev. Dr. Michael Zeigler

A house is not a person—but, could a Person be a house, a place to belong? Dr. Michael Zeigler talks about finding that place, in Christ. (Mark 11: 1-26) The Lutheran Hour can be heard on: 97.5 FM at 7am and WECO-FM 101.3 at 9:00am Sunday or on the web at: www.lutheranhour.org.

If you are interested in being on any of the committees in the church such as altar, finance, communion ware, flower and shrub maintenance please contact the office. Although there are several committees, they're very few volunteers to do these jobs and we were just hoping that we could get a few more in order to make it easier on the volunteers that we do have.

Board members please check your box for payment vouchers

If anyone is interested in taking over the maintenance on the flowers and shrubs on the church property please contact Tommy Aslinger.

If you should have any changes to your phone numbers, addresses, email, etc. please let the office know so that we may update your information.

Lutheran Women's Missionary League membership dues for 2021 are \$13.00. Payment can be given to President Sandy Leopper or Treasurer Amanda Leopper or they may be dropped off at the office. Deadline to turn in is February 28th.

We have recently changed from the **One Call** system to **MemberCaller**. When this call comes into your phone it will come from the number **888-996-3623**. It may come into some cell phones as a spam call and there is nothing that we can do for this. If you are

not receiving these calls, please let us know and we will attempt to correct this although in the past we have found there is nothing that can be done for which are greatly sorry for. If you should want to add your cell number to this call list as these calls tend to go through better on a cell phone, please contact the office.

There will be a Council Meeting today immediately after 2nd service.

March Birthdays

Alli Freels Adams 3/1
Kayla Lively 3/1
Gus Ed Chilton 3/3
Gil Monroe 3/3
Everett Kreis 3/8
Kristen Justice 3/15
Regina Davis 3/16
Amelia Marcum 3/18
Larry Marcum 3/18
Paula Kirby 3/21
Logan Heidel 3/22

Betty Longmire 3/22
Louis Heidle 3/25
Margaret Messer 3/25
Billy Kreis 3/26
Nellie Fisher 3/27
Jeanne Hamby 3/30
Joel Hembree 3/30
Darlene Jones 3/31
Lauren Kilby 3/31
Jennifer Monroe 3/31

Those Who Serve Schedule

Service	ALTAR Committee	FINANCE Committee	ELDER USER 8:30am/11:30am	COMMUNION WARE CARE
Feb. 28	Tom & Pat Aslinger Angie Jones	Joe & Peggy Hamby	Marty Heidel Freddie Taylor	Barbara Heidel Peggy Hamby
Mar. 3 Lent	Linda Taylor Mary Ann McPeters	Carol Martin Carrie Goodman	Dave Hamby Mitchell Heidel	Bob & Sue Nerger
Mar. 7	Linda Taylor Mary Ann McPeters	Joe & Karen Barkley	Nathan Lively Jacob Aslinger	Bob & Sue Nerger
Mar.10 Lent	Linda Taylor Mary Ann McPeters	Jessica Webb Donna Melhorn	Marty Heidel Jerry Mehlhorn	Bob & Sue Nerger
Mar. 14	Linda Taylor Mary Ann McPeters	Ann & Chuck Heidel	Dave Hamby Freddie Taylor	Bob & Sue Nerger
Mar. 17 Lent	Linda Taylor Mary Ann McPeters	Carol Martin Carrie Goodman	Nathan Lively Matt Mehlhorn	Bob & Sue Nerger
Mar. 21	Linda Taylor Mary Ann McPeters	Joe & Karen Barkley	Marty Heidel Mitchell Heidel	Bob & Sue Nerger
Mar. 24 Lent	Linda Taylor Mary Ann McPeters	Jessica Webb Donna Melhorn	Dave Hamby Jacob Aslinger	Bob & Sue Nerger
Mar. 28	Linda Taylor Mary Ann McPeters	Ann & Chuck Heidel	Nathan Lively Jerry Mehlhorn	Bob & Sue Nerger