

February 18 & 25, March 4, 11, & 18, 2018

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Sundays of Lent



**Welcome  
& Blessings  
to our visitors and  
members**

We're glad you are with us today.

*Please sign in on the YES! Sheet  
and pass it to the center aisle.*

*If you would like to request a prayer to be  
read during worship, write it on the back.  
An usher will pick it up during the Hymn of  
the Day.*

*The usher can also direct families with children age five  
and under to our Pray Ground in the front of the Sanctuary.*

*Embracing the diversity of God's creation  
and celebrating our oneness in Christ.*

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# Evangelical Lutheran Worship, Setting 10

ELW=red book hymnal    Congregation responses are **bold**

*Good Shepherd is dedicated to giving people the option of inclusive language.*

*These options are indicated in parentheses ( ).*

*After worship, please leave your bulletin in the basket located in the narthex so it can be used again in upcoming services. Take the Good Shepherd Epistle home to use throughout the week.*

## Gathering

Prelude

Announcements

 Ritual of Confession

*People sitting on the North side – nearest the musician – are #1*

*People sitting on the South Side – nearest the side lot – are #2*

VERSE 1

Presider: Forgive us our sins, O Lord.

**1: Forgive me the sins of my youth**

**2: *and the sins of my age,***

**1: the sins of my soul**

**2: *and the sins of my body,***

**1: my secret and my whispering sins,**

**2: *the sins I have done to please myself***

**1: and the sins I have done to please others.**

**2: *Forgive those sins which I know***

**1: and those sins which I do not know.**

*Nkosi, Nkosi*



*Nko - si, Nko - si, yi - ba nen - ce - ba.*  
Lord, have mer - cy, have mer - cy up - on us.



*Kres - tu, Kres - tu, yi - ba nen - ce - ba.*  
Christ, have mer - cy, have mer - cy up - on us.



*Nko - si, Nko - si, yi - ba nen - ce - ba.*  
Lord, have mer - cy, have mer - cy up - on us.

**Congregation sings Kyrie, then Ministers say verse 2 of confession**

Assisting Minister & Presider: I pour out my sins of...

**Congregation sings Kyrie, then Ministers say verse 3 of confession**

Assisting Minister & Presider: I pour out my sins of...

**Congregation sings Kyrie**

All: **Forgive us Lord. Forgive us all in your great goodness.**

**We pour out the sand of our brokenness, as we wait upon your grace.**

 Greeting

The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God,  
and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all.  
**And also with you.**

 Prayer of the Day

Let us pray ... **Amen.**

*Today's Readings*

## Word

 First Reading

Word of God, word of life. **Thanks be to God.**

*Today's Readings*

 Psalm

*Psalm will be spoken — Side #1 (north) regular verses, Side #2 (south) bold verses*

*Today's Readings*

 Second Reading

Word of God, word of life. **Thanks be to God.**

*Today's Readings*

 Gospel Acclamation



We are turn - ing, Lord, to hear you; you are mer - ci - ful and kind -



slow to an - ger, rich in bless - ing, and with love to us in - clined.

 Gospel

The Holy Gospel according to... **Glory to you, O Lord.**  
The Gospel of the Lord. **Praise to you, O Christ.**

*Today's Readings*

 Gathering Song & Mini-Meditation for Children  
*Children are invited to come forward during the song*

**Jesus loves me! he who died  
heaven's gates to open wide;  
he will wash away my sin,  
let his little child come in.**

**Yes, Jesus loves me, yes, Jesus loves me,  
yes, Jesus loves me, the Bible tells me so.**

 Hymn of the Day *During the hymn, Yes! Sheets are collected.*

Feb. 18	"O Lord, Throughout These Forty Days"	ELW 319
Feb. 25	"Lamb of God"	ELW 336
March 4	"Restore in Us, O God"	ELW 328
March 11	"Let Us Ever Walk with Jesus"	ELW 802
March 18	"Seed that in Earth is Dying"	ELW 330

 Sermon Pastor Kathy Nolte

 Blessing & Installation (Brandon - March 4)

 Apostles Creed

**I believe in God, the (Parent/Father) almighty,  
creator of heaven and earth.**

**I believe in Jesus Christ,  
God's only (Child/Son), our (Sovereign/Lord),  
who was conceived by the Holy Spirit,  
born of the virgin Mary,  
suffered under Pontius Pilate,  
was crucified, died, and was buried;  
he descended to the dead.**

**On the third day he rose again;  
he ascended into heaven,  
he is seated at the right hand of the (Parent/Father),  
and he will come to judge the living and the dead.**

**I believe in the Holy Spirit,  
the holy catholic church,  
the communion of saints,  
the forgiveness of sins,  
the resurrection of the body,  
and the life everlasting. Amen.**

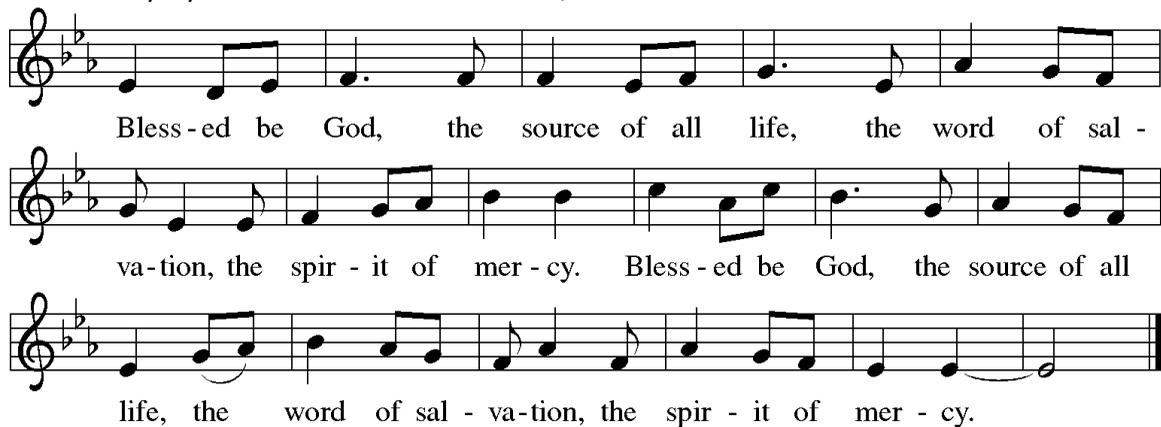
 Prayers of Intercession  
Lord, in your mercy, **hear our prayer.**

 Passing of the Peace  
The peace of Christ be with you always.  
**And also with you.**

## Meal

 Offering  
*Gifts are gathered as the table is prepared.*

 Offertory Hymn "Blessed Be God, the Source of our Life"



Bless - ed be God, the source of all life, the word of sal -  
va - tion, the spir - it of mer - cy. Bless - ed be God, the source of all  
life, the word of sal - va - tion, the spir - it of mer - cy.

**Y** Offering Prayer

*Assisting Minister:* Let us pray...

God our provider, you have not fed us with bread alone,  
but with words of grace and life.

Bless us and these your gifts, which we receive from your bounty,  
through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

**Y** Great Thanksgiving

*Presiding minister greets the assembly and invites all present to give thanks.*

The Lord be with you. **And also with you.**

Lift up your hearts. **We lift them to the Lord.**

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God. **It is right to give our thanks and praise.**

**Y** Preface

*Presiding Minister:* It is indeed right ... and join their unending hymn:

**Y** Sanctus



Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord, God of pow-er and might,



heav'n and earth are full of your glo-ry. Ho-san - na in the high - est.



Bless - ed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Ho -



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

## Eucharistic Prayer

Blessed are you, O God of the universe.  
Your mercy is everlasting and your faithfulness endures from age to age.  
Praise to you for creating the heavens and the earth.  
Praise to you for saving the earth from the waters of the flood.  
Praise to you for bringing the Israelites safely through the sea.  
Praise to you for leading your people through the wilderness  
to the land of milk and honey.  
Praise to you for the words and deeds of Jesus, your anointed one.  
Praise to you for the death and resurrection of Christ.  
Praise to you for your Spirit poured out on all nations.

In the night in which he was betrayed,  
our Lord Jesus took bread, and gave thanks;  
broke it, and gave it to his disciples, saying:  
Take and eat; this is my body, given for you.  
Do this for the remembrance of me.

Again, after supper, he took the cup, gave thanks,  
and gave it for all to drink, saying:  
This cup is the new covenant in my blood,  
shed for you and for all people for the forgiveness of sin.  
Do this for the remembrance of me.

With this bread and cup we remember our Lord's Passover from death to life  
as we proclaim the mystery of faith:

**Christ has died. Christ is risen. Christ will come again.**

O God of resurrection and new life:  
Pour out your Holy Spirit on us and on these gifts of bread and wine.  
Bless this feast. Grace our table with your presence.

With your holy ones of all times and places,  
with the earth and all its creatures,  
with sun and moon and stars, we praise you, O God,  
blessed and holy Trinity, now and forever. **Amen.**

 Lord's Prayer

Gathered into one by the Holy Spirit, let us pray as Jesus taught us:

**(Abba Imma/Our Father) in heaven,  
hallowed be your name, your kingdom come,  
your will be done on earth as in heaven.**

**Give us today our daily bread.**

**Forgive us our sins as we forgive those who sin against us.**

**Save us from the time of trial and deliver us from evil.**

**For the kingdom, the power,  
and the glory are yours, now and forever. Amen.**

 Invitation to Communion

All who thirst, all who hunger, come and be filled with the goodness of God.

 Communion

*Please come forward to the railing as the ushers direct and kneel if you are able. As you come up please take a cup from the tray unless you want to drink wine from the common cup. You will be given a wafer. Gluten free communion wafers are available. You may choose to be served wine from the silver cup or grape juice from the golden cup. If you do not have a cup you will be offered the common cup with wine. Feel free to light a prayer candle.*

 Communion Song

"Lamb of God"



1 O Lamb of God, you bear the sin of all the world a - way;  
2 O Lamb of God, you bear the sin of all the world a - way;  
3 O Lamb of God, you bear the sin of all the world a - way;



you suf-fered death our lives to save: have mer-cy now, we pray.  
you set us free from guilt and grave: have mer-cy now, we pray.  
e - ter-nal peace with God you made: give us your peace, we pray.

 Table Blessing

The body and blood of our Lord Jesus Christ  
strengthen you and keep you in his grace.  
Amen.

 Post Communion Cantic



**☩** Lord, now you let your ser- vant go in peace; your word has been ful -  
filled. My own eyes have seen the sal - va - tion which you have pre -  
pared in the sight of ev - 'ry peo - ple: A light to re - veal you to the  
na - tions and the glo - ry of your peo - ple Is - ra - el.  
Glo - ry to the Fa - ther, and to the Son, and to the Ho - ly Spir - it,  
as it was in the be - gin - ning, is now,  
and will be for - ev - er. A - men

# Sending

## ✚ Blessing

The blessing of God Almighty,  
the wisdom and power of ☩ Christ Jesus,  
and the light of the Holy Spirit  
be among you and remain with you always.  
**Amen.**

## ✚ Sending Hymn

"That Priceless Grace"

ELW 591



1 That price-less grace, that price-less grace, that price-less  
2 That price-less blood, that price-less blood, that price-less  
3 That pain-ful death, that pain-ful death, that pain-ful  
4 That pre-cious word, that pre-cious word, that pre-cious



grace, which gave me life: Je - sus' life is price-less grace.  
blood was shed for me: Je - sus' blood is price-less grace.  
death took sins a - way: Je - sus' death is price-less grace.  
word, which brought me light: Je - sus' word is price-less grace.



That price - less grace is life for me.

## ✚ Dismissal

*Assisting Minister:*

Go in peace to love and serve our God.

**Thanks be to God.**

## Postlude

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