

Third Sunday of Lent Sunday
March 12, 2023



WILL NEVER THIRST.”

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WE WELCOME YOU in the name of our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ. If you are a guest, please sign our guest book by the outside entrance. May God bless your worship here today! Members and guests, please fill out an attendance card, pass it to the side aisles to be collected by the ushers during the Hymn of the Day.

Communion Note

The Lord's Supper is a gift of Christ given to those who He has called as His own. It is a gift that He instructs His family to use with care. It is for all baptized Christians who confess their sins, see Christ's forgiveness in the true body and blood of Christ they receive with the bread and wine. If you share this oneness of faith, please commune with us. If you have any questions, please speak with our pastor. Non-alcoholic wine is available in the center of each tray for those people with special needs.

THIRD SUNDAY IN LENT
 The Lord Is Among Us, Giving Living Water
 March 12, 2023

AS WE GATHER

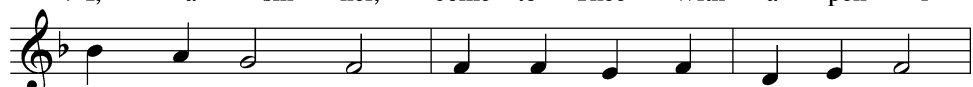
“Jesus Met the Woman at the Well” is the title of a traditional Gospel song first recorded in 1947 and made famous in 1964 through the recordings done by Ian and Sylvia, a Canadian folk duo, and Peter, Paul and Mary, an American folk trio. The words of the song recount the encounter of Jesus with the Samaritan woman. The woman was amazed that Jesus knew all about her complex and complicated life and still was willing to spend time with her. Jesus knows all about each of us and the road we are on—and yet He still remains with us and calls us His own. In worship, we spend a special time with Him. How blessed we are!

+ PREPARATION +

OPENING HYMN 609 JESUS SINNERS DOTHTH RECEIVE *sts. 1-4*



1 Je - sus sin - ners doth re - ceive; Oh, may all this
 2 We de - serve but grief and shame, Yet His words, rich
 3 Sheep that from the fold did stray No true shep - herd
 4 I, a sin - ner, come to Thee With a pen - i -



say - ing pon - der Who in sin's de - lu - sions live
 grace re - veal - ing, Par - don, peace, and life pro - claim;
 e'er for - sak - eth; Wea - ry souls that lost their way
 tent con - fes - sion. Sav - ior, mer - cy show to me;



And from God and heav - en wan - der! Here is hope for
 Here our ills have per - fect heal - ing. Firm - ly in these
 Christ, the Shep - herd, gent - ly tak - eth In His arms that
 Grant for all my sins re - mis - sion. Let these words my



all who grieve: Je - sus sin - ners doth re - ceive.
 words be - lieve: Je - sus sin - ners doth re - ceive.
 they may live: Je - sus sin - ners doth re - ceive.
 soul re - lieve: Je - sus sin - ners doth re - ceive.

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INVOCATION

Pastor In the name of the Father and of the ✠ Son and of the Holy Spirit.
 People Amen.

OPENING SENTENCES *Psalm 34:1–3, 5, 22*

Pastor I will bless the LORD at all times; His praise shall continually be in my mouth.
 People **My soul makes its boast in the LORD; let the humble hear and be glad.**
 Pastor Oh, magnify the LORD with me, and let us exalt His name together!
 People **Those who look to Him are radiant, and their faces shall never be ashamed.**

The LORD redeems the life of His servants; none of those who take refuge in Him will be condemned.

CONFESSIO AND ABSOLUTION

Pastor Almighty God, we know and admit that we are sinners. We are conceived and born sinful, and we add on to that burden of sin throughout our lives by our heedless thoughts, careless words, and loveless deeds. Indeed, we deserve God's punishment now and eternally. When we reflect honestly on our lives, we readily see that we need repentance and renewal that can only come through our Lord, Jesus Christ. Let us then make confession to our gracious God.

People Almighty God, we repent of our sins in thought and in word and in deed. You know too well our failings and our transgressions. Be merciful to us and for the sake of Jesus, grant us Your forgiveness so that, as Your redeemed people, we may find rest in You and with refreshed hearts serve You in time and in eternity.

Pastor 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.

People Amen.

+ WORD +

INTROIT *Psalm 84:1-4; antiphon: v. 5*

Pastor Blessed are those whose strength is in You, in whose heart are the highways to Zion.

People How lovely is Your dwelling place, O Lord of hosts!

Pastor My soul longs, yes, faints for the courts of the Lord; my heart and flesh sing for joy to the living God.

People Even the sparrow finds a home, and the swallow a nest for herself, where she may lay her young, at Your altars, O Lord of hosts, my King and my God.

Pastor Blessed are those who dwell in Your house, ever singing Your praise!

People 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. Blessed are those whose strength is in You, in whose heart are the highways to Zion.

KYRIE 648 GLORIOUS THINGS OF YOU ARE SPOKEN *sts. 1-2*



1 Glo - rious things of you are spo - ken, Zi - on, cit - y
2 See, the streams of liv - ing wa - ters, Spring - ing from e -



of our God; He whose word can - not be bro - ken Formed you
ter - nal love, Well sup - ply your sons and daugh - ters And all



for His own a - bode. On the Rock of A - ges found - ed,
fear of want re - move. Who can faint while such a riv - er



What can shake your sure re - pose? With sal - va - tion's
Ev - er will their thirst as - suage? Grace, which like the



walls sur-round - ed, You may smile at all your foes.
Lord, the giv - er, Nev - er fails from age to age.

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SALUTATION

Pastor The Lord be with you.

People And also with you.

PRAYER OF THE DAY

Pastor Let us pray. Almighty God, source of all power and restorer of health and life, draw us ever closer to You and supply us with the living water that will quench our great thirst for time and for eternity. This we ask in the name of Jesus, who offered Himself as our Savior and our Redeemer.

People Amen.

OLD TESTAMENT READING *Exodus 17:1-7* (God provides water from the rock at Rephidim.)

¹All the People of the people of Israel moved on from the wilderness of Sin by stages, according to the commandment of the LORD, and camped at Rephidim, but there was no water for the people to drink. ²Therefore the people quarreled with Moses and said, “Give us water to drink.” And Moses said to them, “Why do you quarrel with me? Why do you test the LORD?” ³But the people thirsted there for water, and the people grumbled against Moses and said, “Why did you bring us up out of Egypt, to kill us and our children and our livestock with thirst?” ⁴So Moses cried to the LORD, “What shall I do with this people? They are almost ready to stone me.” ⁵And the LORD said to Moses, “Pass on before the people, taking with you some of the elders of Israel, and take in your hand the staff with which you struck the Nile, and go. ⁶Behold, I will stand before you there on the rock at Horeb, and you shall strike the rock, and water shall come out of it, and the people will drink.” And Moses did so, in the sight of the elders of Israel. ⁷And he called the name of the place Massah and Meribah, because of the quarreling of the people of Israel, and because they tested the LORD by saying, “Is the LORD among us or not?”

Leader This is the Word of the Lord.

People Thanks be to God.

EPISTLE *Romans 5:1-8* (While we were still sinners, Christ died for us.)

¹Therefore, since we have been justified by faith, we have peace with God through our Lord Jesus Christ. ²Through him we have also obtained access by faith into this grace in which we stand, and we rejoice in hope of the glory of God. ³More than that, we rejoice in our sufferings, knowing that suffering produces endurance, ⁴and endurance produces character, and character produces hope, ⁵and hope does not put us to shame, because God’s love has been poured into our hearts through the Holy Spirit who has been given to us.

⁶For while we were still weak, at the right time Christ died for the ungodly. ⁷For one will scarcely die for a righteous person—though perhaps for a good person one would dare even to die—⁸but God shows his love for us in that while we were still sinners, Christ died for us.

Leader This is the Word of the Lord.

People Thanks be to God.

HOLY GOSPEL *John 4:5-26 (27-30, 39-42)* (Jesus meets the Samaritan woman at the well.)

Pastor The Holy Gospel according to St. John, the fourth chapter.

People Glory to You, O Lord.

⁵[Jesus] came to a town of Samaria called Sychar, near the field that Jacob had given to his son Joseph. ⁶Jacob's well was there; so Jesus, wearied as he was from his journey, was sitting beside the well. It was about the sixth hour.

⁷There came a woman of Samaria to draw water. Jesus said to her, "Give me a drink."
⁸(For his disciples had gone away into the city to buy food.) ⁹The Samaritan woman said to him, "How is it that you, a Jew, ask for a drink from me, a woman of Samaria?" (For Jews have no dealings with Samaritans.) ¹⁰Jesus answered her, "If you knew the gift of God, and who it is that is saying to you, 'Give me a drink,' you would have asked him, and he would have given you living water." ¹¹The woman said to him, "Sir, you have nothing to draw water with, and the well is deep. Where do you get that living water? ¹²Are you greater than our father Jacob? He gave us the well and drank from it himself, as did his sons and his livestock." ¹³Jesus said to her, "Everyone who drinks of this water will be thirsty again, ¹⁴but whoever drinks of the water that I will give him will never be thirsty forever. The water that I will give him will become in him a spring of water welling up to eternal life." ¹⁵The woman said to him, "Sir, give me this water, so that I will not be thirsty or have to come here to draw water."

¹⁶Jesus said to her, "Go, call your husband, and come here." ¹⁷The woman answered him, "I have no husband." Jesus said to her, "You are right in saying, 'I have no husband'; ¹⁸for you have had five husbands, and the one you now have is not your husband. What you have said is true." ¹⁹The woman said to him, "Sir, I perceive that you are a prophet. ²⁰Our fathers worshiped on this mountain, but you say that in Jerusalem is the place where people ought to worship." ²¹Jesus said to her, "Woman, believe me, the hour is coming when neither on this mountain nor in Jerusalem will you worship the Father. ²²You worship what you do not know; we worship what we know, for salvation is from the Jews. ²³But the hour is coming, and is now here, when the true worshipers will worship the Father in spirit and truth, for the Father is seeking such people to worship him. ²⁴God is spirit, and those who worship him must worship in spirit and truth." ²⁵The woman said to him, "I know that Messiah is coming (he who is called Christ). When he comes, he will tell us all things." ²⁶Jesus said to her, "I who speak to you am he."

²⁷Just then his disciples came back. They marveled that he was talking with a woman, but no one said, "What do you seek?" or, "Why are you talking with her?" ²⁸So the woman left her water jar and went away into town and said to the people, ²⁹"Come, see a man who told me all that I ever did. Can this be the Christ?" ³⁰They went out of the town and were coming to him. . . .

³⁹Many Samaritans from that town believed in him because of the woman's testimony, "He told me all that I ever did." ⁴⁰So when the Samaritans came to him, they asked him to stay with them, and he stayed there two days. ⁴¹And many more believed because of his word. ⁴²They said to the woman, "It is no longer because of what you said that we believe, for we have heard for ourselves, and we know that this is indeed the Savior of the world."

Pastor This is the Gospel of the Lord.

People Praise to You, O Christ.

HYMN OF THE DAY 855 FOR ALL THE FAITHFUL WOMEN *sts. 1, 10, 3-4*



1 For all the faith-ful wom - en Who served in days of old,
 2 Re - call the out - cast wom - an With whom the Lord con-versed;
 3 O God, for saints and ser - vants, Those named and those un-known
 4 All praise to God the Fa - ther! All praise to Christ the Son!



To You shall thanks be giv - en; To all, their sto - ry told.
 Christ gave her liv - ing wa - ter To quench her deep - est thirst.
 In whom through all the a - ges Your light of glo - ry shone,
 All praise the Ho - ly Spir - it, Who binds the Church in one!



They served with strength and glad - ness In tasks Your wis - dom gave.
 Like hers, our hearts are yearn-ing; Christ of - fers us His Word.
 We of - fer glad thanks-giv - ing And fer - vent prayer we raise
 With saints who went be - fore us, With saints who wit - ness still,



To You their lives bore wit - ness, Pro - claimed Your pow'r to save.
 Then may our lips be burn - ing To wit - ness to our Lord.
 That, faith - ful in Your ser - vice, Our lives may sing Your praise.
 We sing glad Al - le - lu - ias And strive to do Your will.

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SERMON John 4:5-30, 39-42 “Who are the Samaritans today”?

CATECHISM *The First Article*

Pastor As we reflect on how God intersects with His people at the crossroads of life and graciously meets their physical and spiritual needs, we speak the First Article of the Apostles’ Creed and its meaning as is set forth in the Small Catechism, which relates the loving work of God the Father for us.

People I believe in God, the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth.

Pastor What does this mean?

People I believe that God has made me and all creatures; that He has given me my body and soul, eyes, ears, and all my members, my reason and all my senses, and still takes care of them.

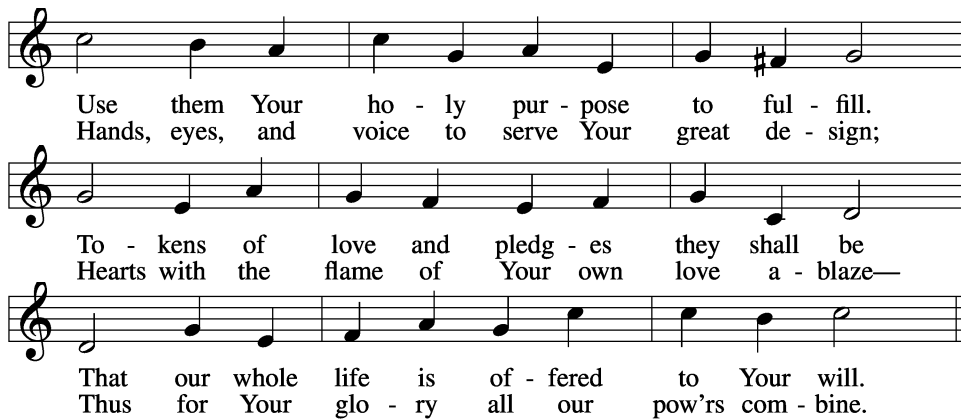
He also gives me clothing and shoes, food and drink, house and home, wife and children, land, animals, and all I have. He richly and daily provides me with all that I need to support this body and life.

He defends me against all danger and guards and protects me from all evil. All this He does only out of fatherly, divine goodness and mercy, without any merit or worthiness in me. For all this it is my duty to thank and praise, serve and obey Him. This is most certainly true.

OFFERTORY 786 LORD OF ALL GOOD *sts. 1–2*



1 Lord of all good, our gifts we bring You now;
 2 We give our minds to un - der - stand Your ways;



Use them Your ho - ly pur - pose to ful - fill.
 Hands, eyes, and voice to serve Your great de - sign;
 To - kens of love and pledg - es they shall be
 Hearts with the flame of Your own love a - blaze—
 That our whole life is of - fered to Your will.
 Thus for Your glo - ry all our pow'rs com - bine.

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PRAYER OF THE CHURCH

Pastor Let us pray for the whole Church. Gracious Father, we ask Your blessing on all in Your Church throughout the world. Fill the Church with all truth and peace. Where it is in error, reform it; where it is in need, supply it; where it is right, strengthen and confirm it; and where it is in conflict, heal divisions. Lord, in Your mercy,

People **hear our prayer.**

Pastor We pray this day for the fellowship of faith and love that we enjoy as God’s baptized and holy people, asking that we may gather for worship with great joy and full anticipation of the blessings of God that come to us through it. Lord, in Your mercy,

People **hear our prayer.**

Pastor We pray for those who serve in leadership positions in our national Synod, in our district, and in our local People, that God may work among us through their examples and that we grow in devotion and dedication in Jesus’ name. Lord, in Your mercy,

People **hear our prayer.**

Pastor We make petitions for the sick, the shut-in, the sorrowing, those undergoing hardship or challenges, and all who this day need our prayers, [*especially . . .*], that their prayers may be soon answered and that they be supported by God’s people as they experience His good and gracious will for their lives. Lord, in Your mercy,

People **hear our prayer.**

Pastor We pray that our lives be offerings of the best that we have and are in response to the great offering of our Lord Jesus for us on the cross and that what we give of our time, talent, and treasure for the work of the Lord bring blessing to many. Lord, in Your mercy,

People **hear our prayer.**

Pastor Almighty God, since You have given us grace at this time with one accord to make our common supplications to You and have promised that when two or three are gathered in Your name You will give ear to their requests, fulfill now, O Lord, the desires and petitions of Your servants, as may be best for them, granting us in this world knowledge of Your truth, and in the world to come, life everlasting; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, forever and ever. Into Your hands, O Lord, we commend all for whom we pray, trusting in Your mercy through Your Son, Jesus Christ, our Lord.

People **Amen.**

LORD’S PRAYER

+ SACRAMENT +

PREFACE

Pastor The Lord be with you.
People **And also with you.**
Pastor Lift up your hearts.
People **We lift them to the Lord.**
Pastor Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.
People **It is right to give Him thanks and praise.**

PROPER PREFACE

Pastor It is truly good, right, and salutary that we should at all times and in all places give thanks to You, holy Lord, almighty Father, everlasting God. And now we bless You that in Jesus Christ, who shares our humanity with us, You have shown us complete and limitless love. Grant us grace to carry out the special designs You have for our lives with whatever challenges or hardships there may be, that we remain steadfast in hope throughout our earthly lives, awaiting the final coming of our Lord in glory and the fullness of the heavenly kingdom. 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 HOLY, HOLY, HOLY

1 Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly, Lord God Al -
2 Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly, Lord God Al -
might - y! Day and night we join to praise Your
might - y! We re - joice to join the hymns Of
love and maj - es - ty. You a - lone are
earth and sky and sea. Gen - er - a - tions
ho - ly, wor - thy, and righ - teous.
praise You, with saints and an - gels.
God in three per - sons, bless - ed Trin - i - ty!
Ho - ly and bless'd through all e - ter - ni - ty.

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PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

Pastor Blessed are You, O Lord our God, King of all creation, for all You have done for Your people in Jesus Christ, our Lord. We thank You for all of creation and for every good gift with which You bless us. Accept our praise, Lord, and grant that all who partake of Christ's holy body and blood this day be refreshed and filled with Your heavenly peace and joy. As we receive the forgiveness of sins, life, and salvation, grant that

we be sanctified in body and soul and spirit and finally be granted our place with all Your saints in glory. This we ask through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

People Amen.

THE WORDS OF OUR LORD

Pastor 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 \times 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 \times 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

Pastor The peace of the Lord be with you always.

People Amen.

AGNUS DEI O LAMB OF GOD, WE PRAY

O Lamb of God, we pray: Take all our sins a-way—
Our faith in - crease. Have mer - cy on us all,
Strength - en us when we fall, An - swer our
fer - vent call And grant us peace.

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COMMUNION HYMN 431 NOT ALL THE BLOOD OF BEASTS *sts. 1, 3-4*

1 Not all the blood of beasts On Jew - ish al - tars slain
3 My faith would lay its hand On that dear head of Thine,
4 My soul looks back to see The bur - den Thou didst bear

Could give the guilt - y con - science peace Or wash a - way the stain.
While as a pen - i - tent I stand, And there con - fess my sin.
When hang - ing on the curs - ed tree; I know my guilt was there.

Text: Isaac Watts, 1674–1748, alt. Tune: William Daman, c. 1540–1591 Text and tune: Public domain

COMMUNION HYMN 429 WE SING THE PRAISE OF HIM WHO DIED



1 We sing the praise of Him who died, Of Him who
 2 In - scribed up - on the cross we see In shin - ing
 3 The cross! It takes our guilt a - way; It holds the
 4 It makes the cow - ard spir - it brave And nerves the



died up - on the cross. The sin - ner's hope let
 let - ters, "God is love." He bears our sins up -
 faint - ing spir - it up; It cheers with hope the
 fee - ble arm for fight; It takes the ter - ror



all de - ride; For this we count the world but loss.
 on the tree; He brings us mer - cy from a - bove.
 gloom - y day And sweet - ens ev - 'ry bit - ter cup.
 from the grave And gilds the bed of death with light;

5 The balm of life, the cure of woe,
 The measure and the pledge of love,
 The sinner's refuge here below,
 The angels' theme in heav'n above.

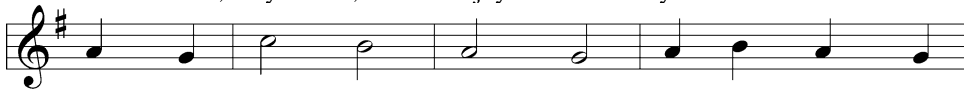
6 To Christ, who won for sinners grace
 By bitter grief and anguish sore,
 Be praise from all the ransomed race
 Forever and forevermore.

Text (sts. 1-5): Thomas Kelly, 1769-1855; (st. 6): Hymns Ancient and Modern, 1861 Tune: attr. Daniel Read, 1757-1836 Text and tune: Public domain

POST COMMUNION CANTICLE 632 O JESUS, BLESSED LORD, TO THEE



1 O Je - sus, bless - ed Lord, to Thee My heart - felt
 2 Break forth, my soul, for joy and say: What wealth is



thanks for - ev - er be, Who hast so lov - ing -
 come to me this day! My Sav - ior dwells with -



ly be - stowed On me Thy bod - y and Thy blood.
 in my heart: How blessed am I! How good Thou art!

Text: Thomas Hansen Kingo, 1634-1703; tr. Arthur J. Mason, 1851-1928 Tune: Trente quatre Pseaumes de David, 1551, Geneva, ed. Louis Bourgeois Text and tune: Public domain

POST-COMMUNION THANKSGIVING

Pastor Let us pray.

Almighty and ever-living God, we thank You for having fed us with the body and blood of our Savior, Jesus Christ, assuring us thereby that we are truly members of His Body, the Church. Be among us with Your sacred and refreshing gifts, O Lord,

and enlighten us by the working of Your Holy Spirit that we may continue in this fellowship and do the good works which You desire us to do; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, to whom, with You and the same Spirit, be all honor and glory, forever and ever.

People Amen.

BENEDICTION

Pastor The Lord bless you and keep you.

The Lord make His face shine on you and be gracious to you.

The Lord look upon you with favor and ✠ give you peace.

People Amen.

SENDING HYMN 824 MAY GOD BESTOW ON US HIS GRACE



1 May God be - stow on us His grace, With bless - ings rich pro -

2 Thine o - ver all shall be the praise And thanks of ev - 'ry

△ 3 O let the peo - ple praise Thy worth, In all good works in -



vide us; And may the bright - ness of His face

na - tion; And all the world with joy shall raise

creas - ing; The land shall plen - teous fruit bring forth,



To life e - ter - nal guide us, That we His sav - ing

The voice of ex - ul - ta - tion. For Thou shalt judge the

Thy Word is rich in bless - ing. May God the Fa - ther,



health may know, His gra - cious will and plea - sure,

earth, O Lord, Nor suf - fer sin to flour - ish;

God the Son, And God the Spir - it bless us!



And al - so to the na - tions show Christ's rich - es with - out

Thy peo - ple's pas - ture is Thy Word Their souls to feed and

Let all the world praise Him a - lone, Let sol - emn awe pos -



mea - sure And un - to God con - vert them.

nour - ish, In righ - teous paths to keep them.

sess us. Now let our hearts say, "A - men!"

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PRAYERS

Please remember these people in your personal prayers.

Members with health concerns:

Jeanette Bunting	Millie Kroll	Lloyd Wessels
Phyllis Dunger	JP Dunger	Bettye Johnson
Melodie Bradley	Don Richter	Dorothy Herrod
Kimberly Brinkerhoff	Zac Dodge	Siri Richter
Joann Wessels Rook	Mike McKenzie	

Mary Lehmann, Pat's mom, health concerns

Ashley James, fighting a brain tumor, cousin of Brettlynn & Tyler Blankenship

Dean Jones, recovering from cancer surgery.

Laurel Stricklin, Cindy Jones Monteith's daughter, severe back issues

Pastor Chad Phillip, cancer

Amy Ingle, (a Pastor friend's wife) - breast cancer

James Marshall-Jernigan, Chronic Myeloid Leukemia

Desiree Kuhs, friend of Melodie Bradley, brain tumor and a rare disease called Wegners

Melodie Bradley's cousin, Lindsay, cancer

David Witt, cousin of Bill Witt, cancer

Kathryn Lincecum, daughter of Siri & Don Richter—heart & health concerns

Janell Burrer, stage 4 renal failure

Ginger Burrer Segner, cancer

Lisa Sayers, mother of missing daughter Sam, has breast cancer for the 3rd time

Prayers for people needing silent prayer requests.

Sandra Boone, friend of Lura Campbell, cancer

Sharon Niswonger, Cancer

Prayers for the Sayers family get answers, on their missing daughter Sam

Vanessa Upton, friend of Lynne Russell's, metastatic breast cancer, spot on her lung, getting treatment.

Rev. Michael Harnack Pastor in Burbank Cal. Has been diagnosed with an autoimmune disease called CIDP

Ruby Green, health concerns

Georgetta Gregory, health concerns

Princella Gardner, cancer

Linda Morris, Cancer

Linda Eubank, cancer

Dan & Betty Rice

Stephanie Owen, healthy pregnancy

Edie Allsopp, Donna's aunt

Ken Jernigan, healing

Bea Daily, adrenal cancer

Arlene Russell, Lynne's step mom, health concerns

Melodie Bradley, health concerns

Margaret Alexander, broken arm

Prayers for those on our hearts

Care givers - For the family and friends who provide care and support for the ill and shut-ins.
For our congregations, our members, our nation, all Military and their families, 1st Responders,

Firemen, Police and for Pine Bluff, all those around the world in need of prayers

ANNOUNCEMENTS

See our worship video:

Worship service on <https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCnkah2JqGwLDiudmTBDQaGQ>

Tuesday at 9:00 Pastor's circuit meeting at Grace Lutheran in LR

Wednesday, Newsletter Deadline

Wednesday, Lenten Service at 6:30

Thursday morning Bible Study at 10:00

We now have available next to the bulletins 2 Large Print Hymnals for those who need to use them.

The LWML is collecting items for personal care kits, light weight bath -size towel dark color recommended, 2 or 3 bath size bars of soap, adult toothbrushes, 1 sturdy comb, metal nail clippers. There is a box in the narthex to place these items in.

Jefferson County Home & Garden Show is April 15th from 9-3 and we are bringing Job the Comfort Dog here to be at our booth. There is a sign up sheet on the table in the Narthex to sign up to help at the booth.

Donna has extra Rada catalogs on the table in the Narthex. You may submit your orders directly to her or online.

We need ushers and readers please, men or women. If you are able, please see Donna.

We are looking for a Property Chairman. Please pray about it and if so inclined to take on the position let Pastor or Bill Witt know. **Anyone wanting a copy of the Property Chairman duties please let Donna know.**

Please remember to turn off cell phones during worship. Thank You!

In His Service This Week
March 12th–March 19th

Sunday, March 12th, 3rd Sunday in Lent

9:30 Sunday School/Adult Bible Class
10:45 Worship with Communion

Tuesday, March 14th

9:00 Pastor's circuit meeting at Grace LR

Wednesday, March 15th

Newsletter Deadline
6:30 Mid-Week Lenten Service

Thursday, March 16th

10:00 Bible Study

Sunday, March 19th, 4th Sunday in Lent

9:30 Sunday School
10:45 Worship w/Communion
12:00 Council Meeting
5:00 Pastor preaches in Crossett.

Text for next Sunday - IS. 42:14-21
Eph. 5:8-14
John 9:1-41

Attendance: SS/ABC 19 Worship: in person 38 Online 4

The Flowers that grace our altar this morning are provided by **Maribeth & Robert Floyd "In Celebration of Maribeth's birthday"**