2024 *"Worship the God of Wonders"*



WELCOME TO WORSHIP FIFTH SUNDAY IN LENT

Outdoor worshipers, tune your car radio to 106.1 FM to hear and join in today's Worship service

It is my pleasure to tell you about the miraculous signs and wonders that the Most High God has performed for me. How great are His signs, how mighty His wonders! His kingdom is an eternal kingdom; His dominion endures from generation to generation.. Daniel 4:2,3

Call Statement:

"My call is to share my Faith in Christ"

Mission Statement:

"To live my Faith in Christ I will build loving relationships so others will become disciples with Jesus as Lord and Savior."

WELCOME AND PRAYER

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THE PASSING OF THE PEACE

Leader: The peace of the Lord be with you always.

All: And also with you (Greet each other sharing Christ's peace.)

<u>HYMN</u>

LBW #98

Alas! And Did My Savior Bleed

Verse 1

Alas! And did my Savior bleed. And did my Sov'reign die? Would He devote that sacred head for sinners such as I?

Verse 2

Was it for sins that I had done He groaned upon the tree? Amazing pity, grace unknown, And love beyond degree!

Verse 3

Well might the sun in darkness hide And shut its glories in When God, the mighty maker Died For His own creatures' sin.

Verse 4

Thus might I hide my blushing face While His dear cross appears, Dissolve my heart in thankfulness, And melt my eyes to tears.

Verse 5

But tears of grief cannot repay The debt of love I owe; Here, Lord, I give myself away: It's all that I can do.

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THE PRAYER OF THE DAY

Pastor: Let us pray: O LORD,

All: Our Maker Redeemer and Comforter we are assembled in Thy presence to hear Thy Holy Word. We pray Thee so to open our hearts by Thy Holy Spirit that through the preaching of Thy word we may be taught to repent of our sins, to believe on Jesus in life and in death, and to grow day by day in grace and holiness. Hear us for Christ's sake. Amen The Lutheran Hymnary, 1913, p. 7

LESSONS

Jeremiah 31:31-34 Psalm 119:9-16 Hebrews 5:1-10

GOSPEL

Mark 10:32-45

THE MESSAGE

Pastor Jeffrey J. Lee

The Cup, The Cross

<u>SONG</u>

Here is Bread, Here is Wine

Verse 1 Here is bread, here is wine, Christ is with us, He is with us. Break the bread, drink the wine, Christ is with us here.

Verse 2 Here is grace, here is peace, Christ is with us, He is with us. Know His grace, find His peace, Feast on Jesus here. Chorus In this bread there is healing, In this cup there's life forever. In this moment, by the Spirit, Christ is with us here.

Verse 3

Here we are, joined in One, Christ is with us, He is with us. We'll proclaim, 'til He comes, Jesus crucified.

APOSTLES' CREED (in unison)

I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth.

I believe in Jesus Christ, His only Son, our Lord.

He was conceived by the power of the Holy Spirit, and born of the virgin Mary. He suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died and was buried. He descended into hell. On the third day He rose again. He ascended into heaven, and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again 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

- Pastor: Brothers and sisters in Christ, let us be united as the Church in heart and mind as we go to our heavenly Father in prayer...
- Pastor: (After each petition. . .) Lord, in your mercy,

All: hear our prayer.

Pastor: . . . Accept, O LORD, the prayers of Your faithful people for the well being of Your holy Church throughout the world. Govern and sanctify it, with all its pastors and ministers, by Your Holy Spirit, that we may be kept by Your Word in true Faith and fervent love toward You and one another.

All: Amen.

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The LORD'S PRAYER (in unison)

All: 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 LAMB OF GOD

The DISTRIBUTION OF COMMUNION

The POST COMMUNION BLESSING

Pastor: The body and blood of our Lord Jesus Christ strengthen and preserve you by His grace unto life everlasting.

All: Amen.

The POST COMMUNION CANTICLE

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On My Heart Imprint Your Image Verse On my heart imprint your image, Blessed Jesus, king of grace, That life's troubles nor its pleasures Ever may your work erase; Let the clear inscription be: Jesus, crucified for me, Is my life, my hope's foundation, All my glory and salvation

THE POST COMMUNION PRAYER

Pastor: Let us pray. Eternal God,

All: We give You thanks, that You have refreshed us through the healing power of this gift of life; and we pray that in Your mercy You would strengthen us, through this gift, in faith toward You and in fervent love toward one another; for the sake of Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

THE SENDING PRAYER

Leader: Let us pray. Heavenly Father,

All: Open my eyes, open my heart, so I see and have compassion on broken and lost people around me. Move me to bring Hope into their lives with the Gospel of Jesus Christ. Give me courage. Give me patience. Guide my words. Through me I pray they experience Jesus' redeeming Love. I ask in Jesus' Name. Amen

THE BENEDICTION

Pastor: The Lord bless you and keep you, the Lord make His face shine upon you and be gracious unto you. The Lord look upon you with favor and give you peace.

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All: Amen.

<u>SONG</u>

I Surrender All

Verse 1 All to Jesus I surrender, All to Him I freely give; I will ever love and trust Him, In His presence daily live.

Chorus 1 I surrender all, I surrender all. All to Thee my blessed Savior, I surrender all.

Verse 2 All to Jesus I surrender, Humbly at His feet I bow, Worldly pleasures all forsaken, Take me Jesus take me now.

Verse 3 All to Jesus I surrender, Make me Savior wholly Thine; Let me feel the Holy Spirit, Truly know that Thou art mine.

Verse 4 All to Jesus I surrender, Lord I give myself to Thee. Fill me with Thy love and power; Let Thy blessings fall on me.

Verse 5 All to Jesus I surrender, Now I feel the sacred flame. Oh the joy of full salvation! Glory, glory to His name!

THE DISMISSAL

Pastor: Go and be a witness for the Lord! All: Thanks be to God!

Tuesday Bible Study Returns



at 10:30 am Tuesday April 2nd We will begin the Gospel According to Mark come and learn how powerful these words truly are: *The beginning of the gospel about Jesus Christ, the Son of God.* We meet in the Narthex for about an hour.

Please bring your favorite Bible with you.

NEXT SUNDAY March 24, 2024 Palm/Passion Sunday Readings for Next Sunday

Proc. Jn. 12:12-19 Zechariah 9:9-12 Psalm 118:19-29 Philippians 2:5-11 Mark 14:1⁻15:47

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March 10, 2024

Attend: 28

Offering \$2,319.00

Join us for Fellowship Hour following worship today.





March 29, 2024 Good Friday 7:00 PM Holy Communion, Stripping of the Altar, and Candlelight Worship Service

March 31, 2024

Easter Breakfast 9:00 am Easter Egg Hunt for Children 9:45 am Resurrection/Easter Sunday Celebration 10:15 am Invite others to come with you for this special Day!

