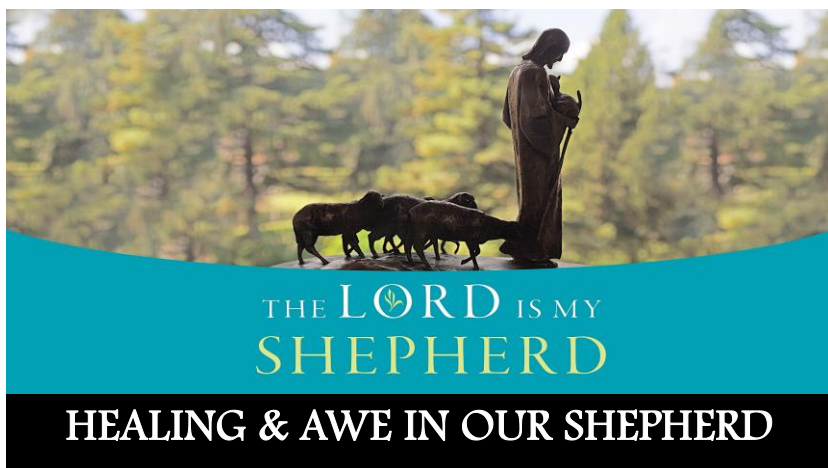


2023 Midweek Lent Worship

Worship @ 7 p.m. March 29th

Week Five – Healing & Awe



Reaching Out in Christian Love to All

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Order of Worship

Holden Evening Prayer Assembly Edition

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Procession (page 2)

Evening Hymn (page 2)

Evening Thanksgiving (page 3)

Prayer of the Day:

Keep watch, dear Lord, with those who work or watch or weep this night, and give your angels charge over those who sleep. Tend the sick, give rest to the weary, bless the dying, soothe the suffering, comfort the afflicted, shield the joyous; and all for your love's sake.

Amen.

Psalm 51 (page 11)

Reading of Isaiah 43:1-3a

Reading of Psalm 23

Reading of John 10:11-18

Message: Healing and Awe in Our Shepherd

Introduction to Healing & Anointing

Our Lord Jesus healed many as a sign of the reign of God come near and sent the disciples to continue this work of healing—with prayer, the laying on of hands, and anointing. In the name of Christ, the great healer and reconciler of the world, we now entrust to God all who are in need of healing.

Sisters and brothers, I invite you to come and receive a sign of healing and wholeness in the name of the triune God.

*(May come forward for anointing for healing - Receive this oil as a sign of forgiveness and healing in Jesus Christ. **Response: Amen.**)*

Let us pray.

Living God, through the anointing, grant comfort in suffering to all who are in need of healing. When they are afraid, give them courage; when afflicted, give them patience; when dejected, give them hope; and when alone, assure them of the support of your holy people. We ask this through Christ our Lord.

Amen.

Intercessions (page 8)

Eucharistic Prayer for Holy Communion

Let us pray.

Holy, mighty, and merciful Lord,
heaven and earth are full of your glory.
In great love you sent to us Jesus, your Son,
who reached out to heal the sick and suffering,
who preached good news to the poor,
and who, on the cross, opened his arms to all.

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.

Remembering, therefore, his death, resurrection, and ascension,
we await his coming in glory.

Pour out upon us the Spirit of your love, O Lord,
and unite the wills of all who share this heavenly food,
the body and blood of Jesus Christ, our Lord;
to whom, with you and the Holy Spirit,
be all honor and glory, now and forever.

Amen.

Lord, remember us in your Kingdom and teach us to pray.

**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.

*You are invited to the rail to kneel or stand; to receive a blessing or
the bread and wine of our Lord's feast for forgiveness and healing.*

Let us pray.

Merciful God, constant source of all healing, we give you thanks
for all your gifts of strength and life, and above all we thank you
for the gift of your Son, through whom we have health and
salvation. As we wait for that day when there will be no more
pain, help us by your Holy Spirit to be assured of your power in
our lives and to trust in your eternal love; through Jesus Christ,
our Savior and Lord. **Amen.**

Final Blessing (page 9)

Peace to you and to all who walk in Christ's ways.

Thanks be to God.

Please return Holden Evening Prayer to bulletin box.

Place Offerings in the Plate at the back of the church this evening.
Offerings will go to Lutheran World Relief for Honey Bee colonies.

Those Serving in Today's Service

Pastor: Eric Klimpel

Accompanist: Mindy DeVries

Youth Liaison: Nels Dovre

Lectors: Confirmation Class

Technicians: Brent Emerson, Brayden DeVries, Megan Rowedder

Lent Midweek Offerings



Honey bees. These busy bees didn't get their reputation as hard workers for nothing! Support families and healthy honey bee colonies with this buzzworthy gift. Honey bees provide honey to eat and beeswax to transform into hand-crafted soaps and candles, allowing a family to start a small

business selling their products. As an added bonus, these little bees boost corn growth on the farm by pollinating plants everywhere they go. Twenty Dollars provides a colony of bees for a community in need of support and a creation in need of pollinating agents. Make checks to "Palestine Lutheran Church" memo: Lent special offering

Ways to Give:

1. Give online "Lent Offerings"
2. Collect change every day and add it to your home hive (**Bring back on Palm Sunday, April 2**).
3. Place in offering plate during Mid-week worship.

➡ Pick up a "Home Hive" in Fellowship Hall (one per family). Each hive returned will be eligible for a bee raffle on Easter (*just to make it fun*)!



Offering efforts are through **Lutheran World Relief (LWR)**



Wednesday, March 29th ----Light super @ 6 p.m. & service @ 7 p.m.
w/Holy Communion

Sunday, April 2nd -----*Palm Sunday* 9:30 a.m. w/ Holy
Communion

Wednesday, April 5th -----*Gethsemane Prayer Service @ 7 p.m.*

Thursday, April 6th-----*Maundy Thursday @ 7 p.m. w/ Holy
Communion*

Friday, April 7th-----Passion of the Christ movie @ 2 p.m.
Stations of the Cross 5 p.m. – 6:30 p.m.
Good Friday @ 7 p.m.

Saturday, April 8^h-----Candlelight Vigil w/ Holy Communion @
Fjeldberg Lutheran Church @ 7 p.m.

Sunday, April 9th -----7:00 a.m. Sunrise Service w/ Holy
Communion



Breakfast (provided by R.O.C.K. and K.I.C.K.)
9:00ish Egg Hunt
9:30 a.m. Festival Service w/ Holy
Communion