



Christ Lutheran Church

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INTROIT

Ps. 3:3–6; an

P: Salvation belongs to the Lord; Your blessing be on You

C: But You, O Lord, are a shield about me, my glory, a of my head.

P: I cried aloud to the Lord, and He answered me from His

C: I lay down and slept; I woke again, for the Lord sus

P: I will not be afraid of many thousands of people who ha themselves against me all around.

C: Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Ho it was in the beginning, is now, and will be forever. A

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KYRIE and COLLECT

OLD TESTAMENT READING

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¹⁶ Thus says the Lord, who makes a way in the sea, a pat mighty waters, ¹⁷ who brings forth chariot and horse, army they lie down, they cannot rise, they are extinguished, que wick: ¹⁸ “Remember not the former things, nor consider th old. ¹⁹ Behold, I am doing a new thing; now it springs forth perceive it? I will make a way in the wilderness and rivers desert. ²⁰ The wild beasts will honor Me, the jackals and t for I give water in the wilderness, rivers in the desert, to gi My chosen people, ²¹ the people whom I formed for Myself might declare My praise.

P: This is the Word of the Lord.

obtained this or am already perfect, but I press on to make it my own, because Christ Jesus has made me His own. ¹³ Brothers, I do not consider that I have made it my own. But one thing I do: forgetting what lies behind and straining forward to what lies ahead, ¹⁴ I press on toward the goal for the prize of the upward call of God in Christ Jesus.

P: This is the Word of the Lord.

C: Thanks be to God.

(Please stand for the reading of the Gospel)

P: The Holy Gospel according to St. Luke the 20th chapter.

C: Glory to You, O Lord.

THE HOLY GOSPEL

Luke 20:9-20

⁹ And Jesus began to tell the people this parable: “A man planted a vineyard and let it out to tenants and went into another country for a long while. ¹⁰ When the time came, he sent a servant to the tenants, so that they would give him some of the fruit of the vineyard. But the tenants beat him and sent him away empty-handed. ¹¹ And he sent another servant. But they also beat and treated him shamefully, and sent him away empty-handed. ¹² And he sent yet a third. This one also they wounded and cast out. ¹³ Then the owner of the vineyard said, ‘What shall I do? I will send my beloved son; perhaps they will respect him.’ ¹⁴ But when the tenants saw him, they said to themselves, ‘This is the heir. Let us kill him, so that the inheritance may be ours.’ ¹⁵ And they threw him out of the vineyard and killed him. What then will the owner of the vineyard do to them? ¹⁶ He will come

P: This is the Gospel of the Lord.

C: Praise to You, O Christ.

NICENE CREED

HYMN “Praise Be to Christ”

SERMON

PRAYER OF THE CHURCH

GATHERING OF THE OFFERINGS

SERVICE OF THE SACRAMENT

If you are a confirmed member of a Lutheran Church-Missouri Synod we invite you to commune with us. If you are not a confirmed member of our congregation and would like to come forward with your family and friends for Holy Communion, please place your hands over your heart and you will receive the Body and Blood of Christ.

DISTRIBUTION HYMN “Draw Us to Thee”

NUNC DIMITTIS

HYMN “Christ Is Our Cornerstone”

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Unless otherwise indicated, all scripture quotations are from *The Holy Bible, English Standard Version*.

THIS WEEK— (March 13th – 20th)

Sunday: Daylight Savings Time Begins; Worship/HC, 9:00am;
Christian Ed, 10:30am

Monday: Bible Study, 1:00pm; Stewardship, 4:30pm; Elders, 6:00pm

Tuesday: APRIL CALENDAR EVENTS DUE

Wednesday: Bible Study, 8:30am; CLC Quilters, 9:30am;
Confirmation (1st year) 5:00pm; Confirmation (2nd year), 6:00pm;
Choir, 7:00pm

Thursday: Lenten Worship/HC, 6:30pm; Bible Class, 7:30pm

Saturday: Easter Egg Hunt and Games, 10:00am-12:00pm

Sunday: Palm Sunday Worship/HC, 9:00am; Christian Ed, 10:30am

OUR RESPONSE TO GOD'S LOVE (Week ending 03/06/16)

General Fund: \$7006.49; Building Fund: \$1465.00;
Blessings: \$26.53; Seasonal: \$750.00; Memorial: \$85.00;
Miscellaneous: \$218.00
Total Attendance: 219 (Midweek: 80; Sunday: 139)

CLC ANNOUNCEMENTS

GUESTS AND VISITORS: We are glad you are here! We invite you to join us for fellowship and Bible study following the service. Bathrooms are located upstairs on each end of the fellowship/Bible study area.

EASTER EGG HUNT AND GAMES will be held on Sat March 19th from 10:00 am – noon.

FOOD FOR THE BODY was donated the past week to Place.

MARCH HUMAN CARE DONATIONS will go to WAUS COMMUNITY WARMING CENTER. Donations request breakfast-type foods such as soft breakfast bars, fruit and powdered creamer, packaged sugar, granola bars, wafers, crackers, and power bars. Thank you for donating.

CHECK IT OUT—A new soda machine has been installed base of the office stairwell. 50 cents per can. Profits for youth group. ENJOY!!!

LUTHERAN HOUR MINISTRIES (LHM): A stark reality the world today. Billions of people live without the hope - nearly 2/3 of the seven billion people on this planet are followers of Christ - 36% of Protestants in the United States feel a personal responsibility to share their faith - you and your generations have grown skeptical of the church's relevance. Islam is the world's fastest growing religion.

Lutheran Hour Ministries (LHM) works spreading the message here in the United States and around the world. LHM works

really say?' That temptation confronts us daily. We listen to that voice and sin constantly. But God keeps calling us back to His Word, to Christ as our Savior (John 18:37). May we listen and learn, and in learning from Him be built into a spiritual house, holy and acceptable to God." — *Rev. Michael Stangeland, pastor at Highwater Lutheran Church, Lambertton, Minnesota, and Old Westbrook Lutheran Church, Westbrook, Minnesota* (www.lutheransforlife.org)