

March 26, 2017  
Fourth Sunday in Lent  
11:00 AM



# FIRST LUTHERAN CHURCH

## *STATEMENT OF WELCOME*

We, the community of First Lutheran Church of Bothell, proclaim the message that the grace of our Lord is infinitely inclusive and that everyone is welcome. We believe that Christ calls us to reconciliation and wholeness in a world of alienation and brokenness.

As a Reconciling in Christ congregation and as disciples of Christ seeking justice and reconciliation among all peoples, we at First Lutheran Church welcome all into the fullness of God's love. **We welcome everyone, without exception and regardless of sex, race, ethnicity, sexual orientation, gender identity, physical and mental ability, age, or station in life.** We recognize that each person is a unique creation of God, and through grace, a child of God.

All are welcome at First Lutheran.

All are welcome to worship, to hear the Good News, to receive the sacraments, and to share in fellowship and service. As members of First Lutheran Church, we pledge ourselves and our congregation to exercise our faith in Christ, treasuring one another's similarities while embracing our God-given differences. We pledge that we will strive to live as a reconciling people, in our life together and in our outreach to the world.

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**WORSHIP**

- + Please sign the white card in the pew rack and hand it to an usher on your way forward for Holy Communion.
- + The service is printed in this bulletin. Some hymns are located in the red hymn book.
- + Hearing enhancement receivers, large print bulletins are available. Feel free to ask an usher for assistance.
- + Our expectation is that children will be in worship. We understand, though, that there are times when your wiggly ones need a distraction. There is a "Pray Space" under the stairs in the inner narthex with soft toys and books. If you desire the nursery ask an usher for directions.
- + Public Wi-Fi password: MartyLuther.
- + If you would like to have a digital copy of the bulletin, go to our website and download the PDF. [www.flcbothell.org](http://www.flcbothell.org)

**GATHERING**

*The Holy Spirit calls us together as the people of God.*

**PRELUDE:**

**WELCOME**

**MEDITATION SONG: *Return to God***

Refrain



Verses

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| 2. I will take your heart of stone<br>and place a heart within you,<br>a heart of compassion and love. | 3. If you break the chains of oppression,<br>if you set the pris'ner free;<br>if you share your bread with the hungry,<br>give protection to the lost;<br>give a shelter to the homeless,<br>clothe the naked in your midst,<br>then your light shall break forth like the dawn. |
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## CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS

During the season of Lent we are called to return to the Lord with all our heart. Let us confess our sin and seek reconciliation with God and neighbor.

*Silence for self-reflection.*

Merciful God,  
you sent Jesus Christ to save the lost. We confess that we have strayed from you and turned aside from your way. We fail in love, neglect justice, and ignore your truth. Have mercy on us and wash away our sin. Create in us clean hearts for the sake of Jesus Christ our Savior. Amen.

Behold, now is the acceptable time; now is the day of salvation. Almighty God have mercy on us, forgive us all our sins, and bring us to everlasting life.  
**Amen.**

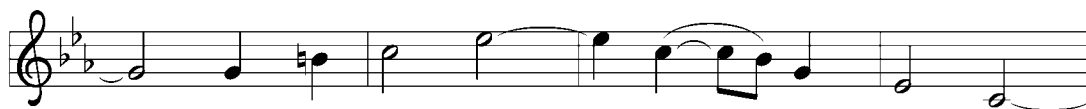
### GATHERING SONG: *I Want Jesus to Walk with Me* (ELW 325)



1 I want Je - sus to walk with me;  
2 In my tri - als, Lord, walk with me;  
3 When I'm in trou - ble, Lord, walk with me;



I want Je - sus to walk with me;  
in my tri - als, Lord, walk with me;  
when I'm in trou - ble, Lord, walk with me;



all a - long my pil - grim jour - ney,  
when my heart is al - most break - ing,  
when my head is bowed in sor - row,



Lord, I want Je - sus to walk with me.  
Lord, I want Je - sus to walk with me.  
Lord, I want Je - sus to walk with me.

## 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.

Divine Word, you sent Moses to speak law to the people and bring order to chaos. You sent prophets to speak repentance and bring hope to the hopeless. You sent your son, Jesus, to become your living Word. Open our ears to hear your word, and our hearts to reflect the light of your truth to others, for the sake of the Incarnate Word, Jesus Christ. Amen.

## CANTICLE OF PRAISE: *Beneath the Cross of Jesus* (ELW 338)



1 Be - neath the cross of Je - sus I long to take my stand;  
2 Up - on the cross of Je - sus, my eye at times can see  
3 I take, O cross, your shad - ow for my a - bid - ing place;



the shad - ow of a might-y rock with - in a wea - ry land,  
the ver - y dy - ing form of one who suf - fered there for me,  
I ask no oth - er sun - shine than the sun - shine of his face;



a home with-in a wil - der - ness, a rest up - on the way,  
And from my con - trite heart, with tears, two won - ders I con - fess:  
con - tent to let the world go by, to know no gain nor loss,



from the burn - ing of the noon - tide heat and bur - dens of the day.  
the . . . won - der of his glo - rious love and my un - wor - thi - ness.  
my . . . sin - ful self my on - ly shame, my glo - ry all, the cross.

## ANTHEM: *Lamb of God* (T. Paris)

## WORD

*God speaks to us in scripture reading, preaching, and song.*

### 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.

### THE WORD: Luke 16:19-31

<sup>19</sup>There was a rich man who was dressed in purple and fine linen and who feasted sumptuously every day. <sup>20</sup>And at his gate lay a poor man named Lazarus, covered with sores, <sup>21</sup>who longed to satisfy his hunger with what fell from the rich man's table; even the dogs would come and lick his sores. <sup>22</sup>The poor man died and was carried away by the angels to be with Abraham. The rich man also died and was buried. <sup>23</sup>In Hades, where he was being tormented, he looked up and saw Abraham far away with Lazarus by his side. <sup>24</sup>He called out, 'Father Abraham, have mercy on me, and send Lazarus to dip the tip of his finger in water and cool my tongue; for I am in agony in these flames.' <sup>25</sup>But Abraham said, 'Child, remember that during your lifetime you received your good things, and Lazarus in like manner evil things; but now he is comforted here, and you are in agony. <sup>26</sup>Besides all this, between you and us a great chasm has been fixed, so that those who might want to pass from here to you cannot do so, and no one can cross from there to us.' <sup>27</sup>He said, 'Then, father, I beg you to send him to my father's house — <sup>28</sup>for I have five brothers — that he may warn them, so that they will not also come into this place of torment.' <sup>29</sup>Abraham replied, 'They have Moses and the prophets; they should listen to them.' <sup>30</sup>He said, 'No, father Abraham; but if someone goes to them from the dead, they will repent.' <sup>31</sup>He said to him, 'If they do not listen to Moses and the prophets, neither will they be convinced even if someone rises from the dead.'"

Word of God,  
Word of life.

### CHILDREN'S SERMON:

Roger Steinke,  
Director of REACH Ministries

### SERMON

# HYMN OF THE DAY: *Canticle of the Turning* (ELW 723)



1 My soul cries out with a joy - ful shout that the  
 2 Though I am small, my . . . God, my all, you . . .  
 3 From the halls of pow'r to the for - tress tow'r, not a  
 4 Though the na - tions rage from . . age to age, we re -



God of my heart is great, and my spir - it sings of the  
 work great . . things in me, and your mer - cy will last from the  
 stone will be left on stone. Let the king be - ware for your  
 mem - ber who holds us fast: God's mer - cy must de -



won - drous things that you bring to the ones who wait.  
 depths of the past to the end of the age to be.  
 jus - tice tears ev - 'ry ty - rant . . from his throne.  
 liv - er us from the con - quer - or's crush - ing grasp.



You fixed your sight on your ser - vant's plight, and my  
 Your ver - y name puts the proud to shame, and to  
 The hun - gry poor shall . . weep no more, for the  
 This sav - ing word that our fore - bears heard is the



weak - ness you did not spurn, so from east to west shall my  
 those who would for you yearn, you will show your might, put the  
 food they can nev - er earn; there are ta - bles spread, ev - 'ry  
 prom - ise which holds us bound, till the spear and rod can be



name be blest. Could the world be a - bout to turn?  
 strong to flight, for the world is a - bout to turn.  
 mouth be fed, for the world is a - bout to turn.  
 crushed by God, who is turn - ing the world a - round.



*Refrain*  
 My heart shall sing of the day you bring. Let the fires of your jus - tice burn.



Wipe a - way all tears, for the dawn draws near, and the world is a - bout to turn.

## **HOLY BAPTISM OF REBECCA NAVARRATE**

God, who is rich in mercy and love, gives us a new birth into a living hope through the sacrament of baptism. By water and the Word God delivers us from sin and death and raises us to new life in Jesus Christ. We are united with all the baptized in the one body of Christ, anointed with the gift of the Holy Spirit, and joined in God's mission for the life of the world.

*Sponsor: I present Rebecca for baptism.*

Rebecca, called by the Holy Spirit, trusting in the grace and love of God, do you desire to be baptized into Christ?

*Candidate responds: I do.*

As you receive the gift of baptism, you are entrusted with responsibilities:

- to live among God's faithful people,
- to attend to the word of God and the holy supper,
- learn the Lord's Prayer, the Creed, and the Ten Commandments,
- read the holy scriptures,
- and be nurtured in faith and prayer,
- so that you may learn to trust God,
- proclaim Christ through word and deed,
- care for others and the world God made,
- and work for justice and peace.

Do you promise to grow in the Christian faith and life?

*Response: I do.*

Sponsors, do you promise to nurture Rebecca in the Christian faith as you are empowered by God's Spirit, and to help them live in the covenant of baptism and in communion with the church?

*Response: I do.*

People of God, do you promise to support Rebecca and pray for her in her new life in Christ?

**We do.**

## **PROFESSION OF FAITH**

I ask you to profess your faith in Christ Jesus, reject sin, and confess the faith of the church.

Do you renounce the devil and all the forces that defy God?

**I renounce them.**

Do you renounce the powers of this world that rebel against God?

**I renounce them.**



Do you renounce the ways of sin that draw you from God?

**I renounce them.**

Do you believe in God the Father?

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

Do you believe in Jesus Christ, the Son of God?

**I believe in Jesus Christ, God's only Son, our 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 Father, and he will come to judge the living and the dead.**

Do you believe in God the Holy Spirit?

**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.**

### **THANKSGIVING AT THE FONT**

The Lord be with you.

**And also with you.**

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

**It is right to give our thanks and praise.**

We give you thanks, O God, for in the beginning your Spirit moved over the waters and by your Word you created the world, calling forth life in which you took delight. Through the waters of the flood you delivered Noah and his family, and through the sea you led your people Israel from slavery into freedom. At the river your Son was baptized by John and anointed with the Holy Spirit. By the baptism of Jesus' death and resurrection you set us free from the power of sin and death and raise us up to live in you. Pour out your Holy Spirit, the power of your living Word, that those who are washed in the waters of baptism may be given new life. To you be given honor and praise through Jesus Christ our Lord, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, now and forever.  
**Amen.**

### **BAPTISM**

Rebecca, I baptize you in the name of the Father,  
and of the Son,  
and of the Holy Spirit.

**Amen.**

Let us pray.

We give you thanks, O God, that through water and the Holy Spirit you give your daughters and sons new birth, cleanse them from sin, and raise them to eternal life.

Sustain Rebecca with the gift of your Holy Spirit: the spirit of wisdom and understanding, the spirit of counsel and might, the spirit of knowledge and the fear of the Lord, the spirit of joy in your presence, both now and forever.  
**Amen.**

Rebecca, child of God, you have been sealed by the Holy Spirit and marked with the cross of Christ forever.  
**Amen.**

## **WELCOME**

Let your light so shine before others that they may see your good works and glorify your Father in heaven.

Let us welcome the newly baptized.

**We welcome you into the body of Christ and into the mission we share: join us in giving thanks and praise to God and bearing God's creative and redeeming word to all the world.**

## **PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION**

Lifting our voices and turning toward God, let us pray for the church, the earth, and all who are in need.

God of the ages, as your church prepares your table for all to celebrate in one holy meal, restore the unity of those who gather in your name. Hear us, O God.

**Your mercy is great.**

You shed light on your creation. Let the changing of the seasons bring forth growth and new life from what was dormant and fallow. Hear us, O God.

**Your mercy is great.**

Shine your light on the people of every nation. Reveal your reconciling love in places where fear and conflict thrive (*especially*). Hear us, O God.

**Your mercy is great.**

God of wholeness, bring clarity to those in confusing times, bring healing to those in painful times, bring peace to those in trying times. Hear us, O God.

**Your mercy is great.**

For whom do the people pray?

Restore, renew, and enliven the ministry and work of this congregation. Help us to see your purpose clearly. Hear us, O God.

**Your mercy is great.**

We remember and give thanks for those who have joined you in eternal light, especially Helen, Pat, Roger and Glo. Let their lives of faith shine in our hearts and guide our paths. Hear us, O God.

**Your mercy is great.**

Into your hands, merciful God, we commend all for whom we pray, trusting in your steadfast love; through Christ our Lord.

**Amen.**

## PEACE

The peace of Christ be with you always.

**And also with you.**

## MEAL

*God feeds us with the presence of Jesus Christ.*

## OFFERTORY

**OFFERING: *Create in Me a Clean Heart***

The musical score is written for a single voice part on a treble clef staff with a key signature of one sharp (F#). It consists of five lines of music. The first line contains the lyrics 'Cre - ate in me a clean heart, O God,'. The second line contains 'and re - new a right spir - it with - in me.' The third line contains 'Cre - ate in me a clean heart, O God,'. The fourth line contains 'and re - new a right spir - it with - in me.' The fifth line contains 'Cast me not a - way from your pres - ence, O'. The music features various note values including quarter, eighth, and half notes, with some notes beamed together. There are also rests and a final whole note on the fifth line.

Cre - ate in me a clean heart, O God,

and re - new a right spir - it with - in me.

Cre - ate in me a clean heart, O God,

and re - new a right spir - it with - in me.

Cast me not a - way from your pres - ence, O



Lord, and take not your Ho - ly Spir - it from me.

Re - store un - to me the joy of your sal - va - tion,

and re - new a right spir - it with - in me.

## OFFERING PRAYER

Let us pray.

Merciful God, receive the sacrifice of our praise and thanksgiving and the offering of our lives, that following in the way of the cross, we may know the joy of the resurrection; through Christ our Lord. Amen.

## GREAT THANKSGIVING

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.**

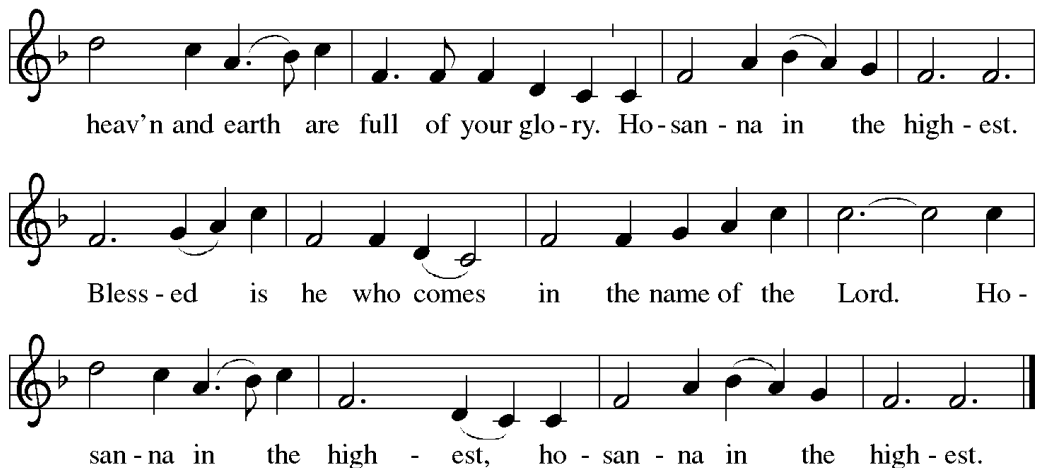
## PREFACE

It is indeed right, our duty and our joy, that we should at all times and in all places give thanks and praise to you, almighty and merciful God, through our Savior Jesus Christ. You call your people to cleanse their hearts and prepare with joy for the paschal feast, that, renewed in the gift of baptism, we may come to the fullness of your grace. And so, with all the choirs of angels, with the church on earth and the hosts of heaven, we praise your name and join their unending hymn:

## HOLY, HOLY, HOLY



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



### THANKSGIVING AT THE TABLE

Holy God, our living Water and our merciful Guide, together with rivers and seas, wells and springs we bless and magnify you.

You led your people Israel through the desert, and provided them water from the rock.

We praise you for Christ, our Rock and our Water, who joined us in our desert, pouring out his life for the world.

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 life, death, and resurrection, we await your salvation for all this thirsty world.

Pour out your Spirit on this holy food and on all the baptized gathered for this feast: wash away our sin, that we may be revived for our journey by the love of Christ.

Bless our Eucharistic Ministers who will take this meal to our sisters and brothers who cannot be with us this day. May this good work strengthen and sustain them.

Through Christ all glory and honor is yours, Almighty Father, with the Holy Spirit, in your holy Church, both now and forever.

**Amen**

## **LORD'S PRAYER**

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

**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**

Return to God with all your heart.

Receive bread for the journey, drink for the desert.

**COMMUNION:** *We will receive the body of Christ as gluten-free bread with these or similar words: The body of Christ, given for you. The blood of Christ will be received as either red wine or white grape juice with these or similar words: The blood of Christ, shed for you.*

**WHO MAY COMMUNE?** *All are welcome at the Lord's Table. It is a free gift given to all for the forgiveness of sins. The words "for you" really mean FOR YOU! Children may commune at the discretion of their parents. If you wish to receive a blessing: cross your arms over your chest as a sign for the communion assistants.*

**DIRECTIONS FOR COMMUNION:** *Please come forward by the center aisle at the direction of the ushers to receive the sacrament and return to your seat down the side aisle. Please register each person taking communion on a pew card.*

## **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.

## COMMUNION HYMNS:

*Change My Heart, O God* (ELW 801)

*What a Friend We Have in Jesus* (ELW 742)

*We Come to the Hungry Feast* (ELW 479)

## PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

Let us pray.

Compassionate God, you have fed us with the bread of heaven. Sustain us in our Lenten pilgrimage: may our fasting be hunger for justice, our alms, a making of peace, and our prayer, the song of grateful hearts; through Christ our Lord. Amen.

## SENDING

*God blesses us and sends us in mission to the world.*

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

### BLESSING

May God who has called us forth from the dust of the earth,  
and claimed us as children of the light,  
strengthen you on your journey into life renewed.

The Lord bless you and keep you.

The Lord's face shine upon you with grace and mercy.

The Lord look upon you with favor

and give you ✝ peace.

**Amen.**

### What is the "Offering?"

"Offerings" in the church service is understood to consist of the bread and the wine for the Lord's Supper. Offerings have grown to include the goods and the money we give to the Church to assist in its mission and to provide for the assistance of the needy. The act of bringing our gifts of money to the altar helps keep us mindful that we are now sharing in the work of bringing God's redeeming love to all people.

E-Giving Offering cards are available for you to drop in the plate if you give electronically. To give now, scan here.



## SENDING SONG: *We Are Called* (ELW 720)



1 Come! Live in the light! Shine with the joy and the love of the  
2 Come! O - pen your heart! Show your . . mer - cy to all those in  
3 Sing! Sing a new song! Sing of that great day when all will be



Lord! We are called to be light for the king - dom, to  
fear! We are called to be hope for the hope - less so  
one! God will reign, and we'll walk with each oth - er as



live in the free - dom of the cit - y of God.  
ha - tred and blind - ness . . . will be . . . no more.  
sis - ters and broth - ers . . . u - nit - ed in love.



We are called to act with jus - tice, we are called to



love ten - der - ly; we are called to serve one an -



oth - er, to walk hum - bly with God.

## DISMISSAL

Marked with the cross of Christ,  
go forth to love and serve the Lord.  
Thanks be to God.

## POSTLUDE:



## **IN OUR PRAYERS**

### **Those who have died this past week and their families:**

**Helen Young** (Member), **Pat Lucas** (Member), **Glo McIntyre** (Tami McIntyre's mother-in-law), **Roger Zimmerman** (Connie Wolter's brother)

### **Our Ministry Partners:**

**Living Truth Chinese Lutheran Church**, **Lutheran Disaster Response**, **Lutheran Immigration & Refugee Services**, **Lutheran Counseling Network**, **Lutheran World Relief**

### **Those living with cancer:**

**Paul Aldrich** (Lageson Family friend), **Carol Angello** (Bob & Phyllis Watters' friend), **Michele Berger** (Karey Coble's friend), **Danna** (Cathy Tanner's friend), **Neal Beachinor** (Paul Desilet's uncle), **Owen Carter** (Lisa Hamilton's friend), **Lynn Crutcher** (Busch family friend), **Joyce Daily** (David Osborne's aunt), **Janice Davidson** (Sandy Flying Cloud's friend), **Pam Davis** (Phelps family friend), **Patricia Dwonch** (Stephanie Almeida's aunt), **Mason Gordon** (Curcio Family friend), **Jan Gregersen** (Nicole Thomas' friend), **Cami Grillo** (member), **Phyllis Hoefer** (Marlis Pehling's friend), **Tao Hong** (Joy Fu's husband), **Bernie Jenkins** (Jane King's friend), **Lee Larson** (Beth Phelps' cousin), **Marcella** (Benson family friend), **Tom McMaster** (Dawn Bastin's father), **Mark Nesse** (Darci Desilet's stepfather), **Bruce Niermeyer** (Cook family friend), **Marvin Richter** (Renee Markert's father), **Bill Schenk** (Melanie Veazey's cousin), **Audrey Sheffler** (Sherrill Baker's friend), **Heather Smith** (Cami Grillo's niece), **Sylvia Stevens** (wife of Steve Stevens and Bob Berg's friend), **Dan Thomson** (Jane King's friend), **Roger Tuck** (Michelle Tuck's brother-in-law), **Kip Van Alstine** (Paul Desilet's uncle), **Joanne Wejak** (Carolyn Becker's sister-in-law) and **Michael Wilson** (Vicki Kastning's friend).

### **Those who are ill, have an injury or who are recovering from surgery:**

**Jay Arndtson** (member), **Margie Benson** (member), **Vivian Carlton** (member), **Isabel de Jesus Congdon** (Sue Toyoda's friend), **Jacque & Dick Craft** (Thieme family friends), **Cathy Edwards** (member), **Sherril Gordon** (regular visitor), **Marge Gonyea** (member), **Jeff** (Amanda Sanders' friend), **Keith Hood** (member), **Bernard (Buck) Kelly** (Betty Kelly's husband), **Mary Lou** (Evelyn Fischer's niece), **Melissa** (Judy Richards' friend), **John Peterson** (Val Cole's father), **Shirley Peterson** (Haley LaFord's grandmother), **Michael Preston** (Tanya Preston's husband), **Mary Riley** (Donella Robbins' friend), **Ryan & Sarah** (Cathy Edwards' grandchildren), **Mona Shogren** (member), **Karishma Skjonsby** (member), **Joyce Sullivan** (member), **Gordon Tibbetts** (Sherrill Baker's friend), **Darlene Toycen** (Anne & Tom Larsen's friend), **Sue Toyoda** (member), **Heidi Van Doren** (member), **Jeff Ward** (Melanie Veazey's brother-in-law), and **Phyllis Watters** (member).

### **Those who are homebound or in extended care facilities:**

**Perdy Carlson** (member), **Claire** (Sue Ebert's mother), **Phyllis Enger** (member), **Ardyce Johnson** (member), **Carol Nelson** (member), **Erik Olson** (member), **Lillian & Lawrence Romaniuk** (Leon Romaniuk's parents), **Fran Tazuma** (member)

### **Please remember to pray for peace in these war torn areas:**

Israel/Palestine, Syria, Afghanistan, Somalia and Iraq.

### **Those Serving Our Country:**

**AIR FORCE:** **Tyler Ripley** (Jeanne Koruga's nephew) and **Erin Siebert** (Linda & Joe Siebert's daughter)

**ARMY:** **Lucas Peters** (Jim & Vernita Steege's grandson)

**MARINES:** **James Bacon** (Jeanne Koruga's friend) and **Olav Wampler** (Elizabeth & Randall Wampler's son)

**NAVY:** **Karl Krueger** (Karin Ulvin's husband), **Kelsey Schunk** (Jack Schunk's granddaughter)

**PEACE CORPS:** **Maoulay Adjorlolo** (member)

Prayer shawls are available upon request.

## **April 2, 2017 Fifth Sunday in Lent**

**Luke 18:31-19:10**

**Zacchaeus**

### **Weekly Financial Report**

March 19, 2017 Attendance:

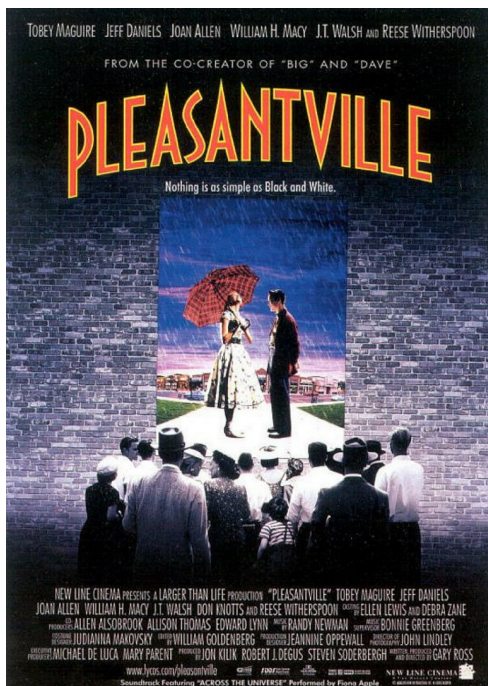
**General Offerings: n/a**

**Mortgage Fund: n/a**

### **Amount needed per Sunday:**

**General Offerings: \$9,038**

**Mortgage Fund: \$1,098**



# Wednesdays in Lent

Soup Supper 6 pm

Lenten Vespers 7 pm

Our Lenten Vespers focus will be a return to the Garden of Eden as told through the movie Pleasantville.

## Assisting With Today's Service:

Piano	June Condra	Ushers	Lloyd Condra & Tom Larsen
Ensemble Leader	Richard Edmonds	Communion Assistants	Stephanie Almeida & Marilyn Iverson
Lector	Trudy Eichelsdoerfer	Sound Tech	Jeffrey Liang
Acolyte	Matthew DeGard	Greeter	
Violin	Jason Liang	Percussion	Nora Strothman & Trent DeVerter

**Ensemble:** Scott Eiler, Rachel Jackman, Curtis Koger, Sigrun Payne, Doug Peterson, Donella Robbins, Robyn Rydzak and Johannes Skjonsby .

## INFORMATION For the Week!

### **Sunday, March 26 Fourth Sunday in Lent**

8:30 am                  Worship  
9:45 am                  Education Hour  
11:00 am                Worship with Holy Baptism of Rebecca Navarrete  
12:30 pm                Living Truth Chinese Lutheran Church Worship

### **Monday, March 27**

Pastor Berg's Sabbath

### **Tuesday, March 28**

9:30 am                  Lectionary—*Meet in the library to study next Sunday's Bible text. All are welcome!*  
10:00 am                Living Truth Fellowship Bible Study  
11:00 am                Staff Meeting

### **Wednesday, March 29**

6:00 pm                  Lenten Soup Supper  
7:00 pm                  Lenten Vespers

### **Thursday, March 30**

9:00 am                  Quilters  
7:00 pm                  Sanctuary Choir

### **Friday, March 31**

### **Saturday, April 1**

9:00 am                  Altar Guild  
                                Garden Guild

### **Sunday, April 2 Fifth Sunday in Lent**

8:30 am                  Worship  
9:45 am                  Education Hour  
11:00 am                Worship  
12:30 pm                Living Truth Chinese Lutheran Church Worship

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## SERMON NOTES

Interesting things I heard:

My favorite quote:

Main message:

**Freed** & RENEWED  
**in Christ** 500  
YEARS OF GOD'S  
**GRACE** IN ACTION