

Our Savior's Lutheran Church
Redfield, South Dakota
Pastor Brian Wasmoen

First Sunday in Lent 9 am February 21, 2021

ELW setting 4 *Please stand if able

WE PREPARE

The Prelude

Welcome and Announcements

Litany of Psalm 25

To you, O Lord, I lift up my soul

O my God, in you I trust.

Do not let me be put to shame

Do not let my enemies exult over me.

Make me know your ways, O Lord

Teach me your paths.

Lead me in your truth and teach me

For you are the God of my salvation.

Do not remember the sins of my youth or my transgressions

According to your steadfast love remember me,

For your goodness' sake, O Lord.

Opening Hymn "You Are Mine" #581

Kyrie (sung)

In peace let us pray to the Lord

Lord have mercy.

For the peace from above, and for our salvation, let us

pray to the Lord

Lord have mercy.

For the peace of the whole world, for the well-being of

the church of God and for the unity of all, let us pray to

the Lord.

Lord have mercy.

For this holy house, and for all who here offer their

worship and praise, let us pray to the Lord.

Lord have mercy.

Help, save, comfort and defend us, gracious Lord.

WE PRAISE

Hymn of Praise "All Creatures, Worship God Most High!" . . #835

Prayer of the Day:

Holy God, heavenly Father, in the waters of the flood you saved the chosen, and in the wilderness of temptation you protected your Son from sin. Renew us in the gift of baptism. May your holy angels be with us, that the wicked foe may

have no power over us, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God. Now and forever. Amen

Hymn "Lord of Our Life" #766

WE LISTEN

First Reading: Genesis 9:8-17

Second Reading: 1 Peter 3:18-22

*Gospel Reading: Mark 1:9-15

*Gospel Hymn "O Lord, Throughout Those Forty Days" . . #319

*Share the Peace

Sermon

WE RESPOND

Hymn of the Day "Jesus, Still Lead On" #624

Apostles' Creed

The Prayers

Holy Communion

Lord's Prayer

WE ARE SENT

Sending/Dismissal

Closing Hymn "Guide Me Ever, Great Redeemer" #618

(Receive Communion as your leave.)

Postlude

The Bulletins are given in memory of Reinhold and Sophie Stellmacher whose wedding anniversary would have been February 20 from their son, Herb and Shirley Stellmacher.

Thanks to all those assisting with our Worship!

Prelude: Carol Lund

Accompanist: Dana Lewis

Song Leader: Mallory McMahan

CALENDAR:

Sunday – 9:00 am – Worship

5:30 pm – Church Council

Tuesday – 1:00 pm – Pastor's Text Study

Wednesday – 6:30 pm - Lenten Worship

Thursday – 7:30 am – Bible Study

10:00 am – Dean Call

Sunday – 9:00 am – Worship, Communion

Vaccinations on Wednesdays: LeAnn Wasmoen is recruiting people to help with vaccinations at the armory on Wednesdays. You will be greeting people, directing and assisting people. Contact LeAnn (450-1385) to sign up for a shift on a Wednesday or several. Thanks to those who have already helped.

Lent Plans:

Next Wednesday we will have an in-person Lenten worship. If this is well received, we may have services through Lent. If not, we will have online Lenten chats for those weeks. We do hope to also have in-person worship on Maundy Thursday, Good Friday and Easter Sunday.

Lenten Offerings will be divided between ELCA World Hunger and Redfield Area Ministerial Association.

Maundy Thursday offering will go to the Good Samaritan Center and the Youth Center.

Good Friday offering will go to the Family Crisis Center and Lutherans Outdoors Camps.

Easter Sunday offering will go to Synod Partner Ministries and OSL Operating Expenses.

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**"Through the grace of God, we are
worshiping, sharing, growing."**

#581 You Are Mine

1. "I will come to you in the silence, I will lift you from all your fear;
You will hear my voice, I claim you as my choice. Be still and know I am here.

2. "I am hope for all who are hopeless, I am eyes for all who long to see.
In the shadows of the night, I will be your light. Come and rest in me.

Refrain: Do not be afraid, I am with you. I have called you each by name. Come and follow me, I will bring you home; I love you and you are mine."

3. "I am strength for all the despairing, I am healing for the ones who dwell in shame.
All the blind will see, the lame will all run free, and all will know my name. **Refrain:**

4. "I am the Word that leads all to freedom, I am the peace the world cannot give.
I will call your name, embracing all your pain. Stand up, now walk and live! **Refrain:**

#835 All Creatures, Worship God Most High!

1. All creatures, worship God most high
Sound ev'ry voice in earth and sky; Alleluia! Alleluia!
Sing, brother sun, in splendor bright; sing, sister moon and stars of night;
Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!

2. Sing, brother wind; with clouds and rain
you grow the gifts of fruit and grain; Alleluia! Alleluia!
Dear sister water, useful, clear, make music for your Lord to hear;
Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!

3. Sing, brother fire, so mirthful, strong;
drive far the shadows, join the throng; Alleluia! Alleluia!
Dear mother earth, so rich in care, praise God in colors bright and rare:
Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!

4. All who for love of God forgive,
all who in pain or sorrow grieve; Alleluia! Alleluia!
Christ bears your burdens and your fears; still make your song amid the tears;
Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!

#766 Lord of Our Life

1. Lord of our life and God of our salvation,
Star of our night and hope of ev'ry nation;
Hear and receive your church's supplication, Lord God Almighty.

2. See round your ark the hungry billows curling,
See how your foes their banners are unfurling.
Lord, while their poisoned arrows they are hurling, you can preserve us.

3. Lord, you can help when earthly armor fails us;
Lord, you can see when deadly sin assails us; and, in the day
When hell itself appalls us, grant us your peace, Lord

4. Peace in our hearts, our troubled thoughts assuaging,
Peace in your church, where kindred souls are raging, peace,
When the world its endless war is waging, peace in your heaven.

#319 O Lord, Throughout These Forty Days

1. O Lord, throughout these forty days you prayed and kept the fast;
Inspire repentance for our sin, and free us from our past.
2. You strove with Satan, and you won; your faithfulness endured,
Lend us your nerve, your skill and trust in God's eternal word.
3. Though parched and hungry, yet you prayed and fixed your mind above;
So teach us to deny ourselves that we may know God's love.
4. Be with us through this season, Lord, and all our earthly days,
That when the final Easter dawns, we join in heaven's praise.

#624 Jesus, Still Lead On

1. Jesus, still lead on, till our rest be won; and,
although the way be cheerless, we will follow, calm and fearless;
guide us by your hand to the promised land.
2. If the way be drear, if the foe be near,
let no faithless fears o'take us, let not faith and hope forsake us;
Safely past the foe to our home we go.
3. When we seek relief from a long-felt grief,
When temptations come alluring make us patient and enduring;
Show us that bright shore where we weep no more.
4. Jesus, still lead on, till our rest be won;
Heav'nly leader, still direct us, still support, console, protect us,
Still we safely stand in the promised land.

#618 Guide Me Ever, Great Redeemer

1. Guide me ever, great Redeemer, pilgrim through this barren land.
I am weak, but you are mighty, hold me with your pow'rful hand.
Bread of heaven, bread of heaven, feed me now and ever-more,
Feed me now and evermore.
2. Open now the crystal fountain where the healing waters flow;
Let the fire and cloudy pillar lead me all my journey through.
Strong deliv'rer, strong deliv'rer shield me with your mighty arm
Shield me with your mighty arm.
3. When I tread the verge of Jordan, bid my anxious fears subside;
Death of death and hell's destruction, land me safe on Canaan's side.
Songs and praises, songs and praises I will raise forevermore,
I will raise forevermore.

Genesis 9:8-17

8 Then God said to Noah and to his sons with him, ⁹As for me, I am establishing my covenant with you and your descendants after you, ¹⁰and with every living creature that is with you, the birds, the domestic animals, and every animal of the earth with you, as many as came out of the ark. ¹¹I establish my covenant with you, that never again shall all flesh be cut off by the waters of a flood, and never again shall there be a flood to destroy the earth.' ¹²God said, 'This is the sign of the covenant that I make between me and you and every living creature that is with you, for all future generations: ¹³I have set my bow in the clouds, and it shall be a sign of the covenant between me and the earth. ¹⁴When I bring clouds over the earth and the bow is seen in the clouds, ¹⁵I will remember my covenant that is between me and you and every living creature of all flesh; and the waters shall never again become a flood to destroy all flesh. ¹⁶When the bow is in the clouds, I will see it and remember the everlasting covenant between God and every living creature of all flesh that is on the earth.' ¹⁷God said to Noah, 'This is the sign of the covenant that I have established between me and all flesh that is on the earth.'

1 Peter 3:18-22

¹⁸For Christ also suffered* for sins once for all, the righteous for the unrighteous, in order to bring you* to God. He was put to death in the flesh, but made alive in the spirit, ¹⁹in which also he went and made a proclamation to the spirits in prison, ²⁰who in former times did not obey, when God waited patiently in the days of Noah, during the building of the ark, in which a few, that is, eight people, were saved through water. ²¹And baptism, which this prefigured, now saves you—not as a removal of dirt from the body, but as an appeal to God for* a good conscience, through the resurrection of Jesus Christ, ²²who has gone into heaven and is at the right hand of God, with angels, authorities, and powers made subject to him.

Mark 1:9-15

9 In those days Jesus came from Nazareth of Galilee and was baptized by John in the Jordan. ¹⁰And just as he was coming up out of the water, he saw the heavens torn apart and the Spirit descending like a dove on him. ¹¹And a voice came from heaven, 'You are my Son, the Beloved;* with you I am well pleased.'

12 And the Spirit immediately drove him out into the wilderness. ¹³He was in the wilderness for forty days, tempted by Satan; and he was with the wild beasts; and the angels waited on him.

14 Now after John was arrested, Jesus came to Galilee, proclaiming the good news* of God,* ¹⁵and saying, 'The time is fulfilled, and the kingdom of God has come near;* repent, and believe in the good news.'