

MEAL: (ELW p. 152)

HOLY, HOLY, HOLY: (ELW p. 153)

LORD'S PRAYER: (ELW p. 154)

COMMUNION HYMNS: *Lamb of God* (ELW p. 154)

Lord Jesus, You Shall Be My Song (ELW 808)
One Bread, One Body (ELW 496)

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 Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. Amen.

BLESSING

ANNOUNCEMENTS

SENDING SONG: *Guide Me, Ever Great Redeemer* (ELW 618)



DISMISSAL

All who desire communion with Jesus and approach the sacrament with faith, are welcome at the Lord's Table. While both the common cup and individual glasses are offered, we encourage the use of the common cup to emphasize the unity we share in the Body of Christ, the church (please indicate your preference to the servers). A non-alcohol option is available in the tray. You may also partake of bread only or come to the table for a blessing only.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

LECTIONARY STUDY: Monday, March 11, 2 pm. Lectio: Luke 13:31-35.

MEN'S BREAKFAST: Wednesday, March 13, 9 am at 'Chances R'.

MEDITATION GROUP: Wednesday, March 13, at 5 pm at FLC.

CHURCH COUNCIL: Wednesday, March 13 at 7 pm.

PRAY for members serving the 2019 congregational council at Faith: Jann Thulien, Randy Rodgers, Pierre Quenneville, Wendy Hall, Ken Roeske, Brian Wirth, Julia Wirth, Rochelle Piske, Barbra Fricker, and Norm Richter.

LENTEN PRAYER PAL PROJECT: Please join our Lenten Prayer Pal Project if you have any concerns for which you would like to receive daily prayers. Tickets will be distributed today and the 'Pals' will be revealed on Easter Sunday.

LENT BOOK & VIDEO STUDY: Wednesday evenings, beginning on March 20, you are invited to join a study group as we read through Atul Gawande's bestseller: "Being Mortal: Medicine and What Matters in the End", and watch a video associated with the book. Please speak with Pr Martin if you would like a cost-reduced order of the book through the church. See poster in narthex for details.

MARCH 'OFFICE' BREAK: Pastor Martin and Debbie, our church secretary, will not be in the office on Thurs, March 14. If you need urgent pastoral care from Thursday to Saturday inclusive (March 14-16), please contact Pastor Diane Raddatz.

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1st Sunday in Lent

Sunday, March 10th, 2019

Evangelical Lutheran Worship (ELW)
Setting 4, p.147



Assisting Today:

Lector: Jason Nabein

Assistant: Peter Nabein

Cantor: Sharon Wirth

Counters: Ken Roeske &
Brian Wirth

Next Sunday:

Lector: Brian Wirth

Assistant: Ron Shearer

Cantor: Krista Quenneville

Counters: Julia Wirth &
Ian McGill

Pastor: Martin Malina

Honourary Assistant Pastor: Diane Raddatz

Piano/Organ/Choir Director: David Santry

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WELCOME

CONFESION AND FORGIVENESS: (ELW p. 94)

OPENING HYMN: *If You but Trust in God to Guide You* (ELW 769)

GREETING (ELW p. 147)

KYRIE (ELW p. 147)

PRAYER OF THE DAY: Let us pray. **O Lord God, you led your people through the wilderness and brought them to the promised land. Guide us now, so that, following your Son, we may walk safely through the wilderness of this world toward the life you alone can give, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.**

FIRST READING: Deuteronomy 26:1-11 A reading from Deuteronomy.

¹When you have come into the land that the Lord your God is giving you as an inheritance to possess, and you possess it, and settle in it, ²you shall take some of the first of all the fruit of the ground, which you harvest from the land that the Lord your God is giving you, and you shall put it in a basket and go to the place that the Lord your God will choose as a dwelling for his name. ³You shall go to the priest who is in office at that time, and say to him, “Today I declare to the Lord your God that I have come into the land that the Lord swore to our ancestors to give us.” ⁴When the priest takes the basket from your hand and sets it down before the altar of the Lord your God, ⁵you shall make this response before the Lord your God: “A wandering Aramean was my ancestor; he went down into Egypt and lived there as an alien, few in number, and there he became a great nation, mighty and populous. ⁶When the Egyptians treated us harshly and afflicted us, by imposing hard labor on us, ⁷we cried to the Lord, the God of our ancestors; the Lord heard our voice and saw our affliction, our toil, and our oppression. ⁸The Lord brought us out of Egypt with a mighty hand and an outstretched arm, with a terrifying display of power, and with signs and wonders; ⁹and he brought us into this place and gave us this land, a land flowing with milk and honey. ¹⁰So now I bring the first of the fruit of the ground that you, O Lord, have given me.” You shall set it down before the Lord your God and bow down before the Lord your God. ¹¹Then you, together with the Levites and the aliens who reside among you, shall celebrate with all the bounty that the Lord your God has given to you and to your house.

Hear what the Spirit is saying to the church. **Thanks be to God.**

PSALM: Psalm 91:1-2, 9-16 (*Sung in unison*)

SECOND READING: Romans 10:8b-13 A reading from Romans.

^{8b}“The word is near you, on your lips and in your heart” (that is, the word of faith that we proclaim); ⁹because if you confess with your lips that Jesus is Lord and believe in your heart that God raised him from the dead, you will be saved. ¹⁰For one believes with the heart and so is justified, and one confesses with the

mouth and so is saved. ¹¹The scripture says, “No one who believes in him will be put to shame.” ¹²For there is no distinction between Jew and Greek; the same Lord is Lord of all and is generous to all who call on him. ¹³For, “Everyone who calls on the name of the Lord shall be saved.”

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GOSPEL ACCLAMATION: *Return to the Lord* (ELW p. 151)

GOSPEL: Luke 4:1-13

The holy gospel according to Luke. **Glory to you, O Lord.**

¹Jesus, full of the Holy Spirit, returned from the Jordan and was led by the Spirit in the wilderness, ²where for forty days he was tempted by the devil. He ate nothing at all during those days, and when they were over, he was famished.

³The devil said to him, “If you are the Son of God, command this stone to become a loaf of bread.” ⁴Jesus answered him, “It is written, ‘One does not live by bread alone.’”

⁵Then the devil led him up and showed him in an instant all the kingdoms of the world. ⁶And the devil said to him, “To you I will give their glory and all this authority; for it has been given over to me, and I give it to anyone I please. ⁷If you, then, will worship me, it will all be yours.” ⁸Jesus answered him, “It is written, ‘Worship the Lord your God, and serve only him.’”

⁹Then the devil took him to Jerusalem, and placed him on the pinnacle of the temple, saying to him, “If you are the Son of God, throw yourself down from here, ¹⁰for it is written, ‘He will command his angels concerning you, to protect you,’ ¹¹and ‘On their hands they will bear you up, so that you will not dash your foot against a stone.’”

¹²Jesus answered him, “It is said, ‘Do not put the Lord your God to the test.’”

¹³When the devil had finished every test, he departed from him until an opportune time.

The gospel of the Lord. **Praise to you, O Christ.**

SERMON: (*Read along with www.raspberryman.wordpress.com*)

HYMN OF THE DAY: *Bless Now, O God, the Journey* (ELW 326)

INSTALLATION OF 2019 COUNCIL

NICENE CREED: (ELW p. 104 or back cover of hymn book)

PRAYERS OF PETITION: Hear us, O God. Your mercy is great.

SHARING THE PEACE

GIFT GATHERING AND SONG: *Create in Me a Clean Heart* (ELW 185)

OFFERING PRAYER: Let us pray. **God our provider, you have not fed us with bread alone, but with words of grace and life. Bless us and these your gifts, which we receive from your bounty, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.**