

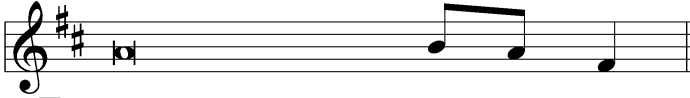
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**February 11, 2024**  
**Quinquagesima**



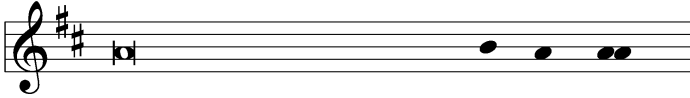
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**L** O Lord, o - pen my lips,



**C** and my mouth will de - clare Your praise.



**L** Make haste, O God, to de - liv - er me;



**C** make haste to help me, O Lord.



**C** Glo - ry be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spir - it;



as it was in the be - gin - ning, is now, and will be for - ev - er. A - men.



Praise to You, O Christ. Al - le - lu - ia.

*Sit*

## Psalmody



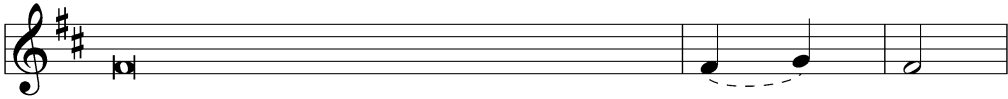
**L** Blessed be God, the Fa - ther, the Son, and the Ho - ly Spir - it.



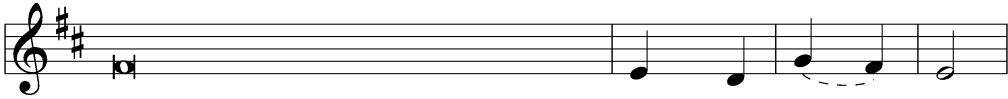
**C** O come, let us wor - ship Him.

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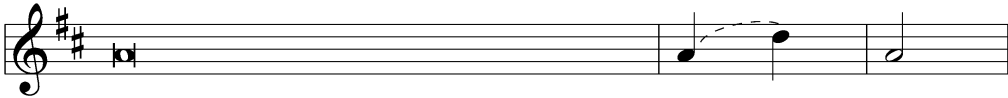
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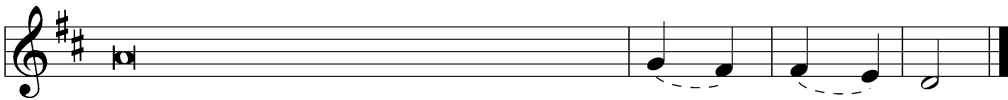
- 1 O come, let us sing . . . . . to the Lord,
- 2 For the Lord is a . . . . . great God
- 3 The sea is His, for He . . . . . made it,
  
- 5 Glory be to the Father and . . . . . to the Son



- 1 let us make a joyful noise to the rock of our sal - va - tion.
- 2 and a great . . . . . king a - bove all gods.
- 3 and His hand . . . . . formed the dry land.
  
- 5 and to the . . . . . Ho - ly Spir - it;



- 1 Let us come into His presence with thanks - giv - ing,
- 2 The deep places of the earth are . . . . . in His hand;
- 3 O come, let us worship and . . . . . bow down,
- 4 For He . . . . . is our God,
- 5 as it was in the be - gin - ning,



- 1 let us make a joyful noise to . . . . . Him with songs of praise.
- 2 the strength of the hills is . . . . . His al - so.
- 3 let us kneel before the . . . . . Lord, our mak - er.
- 4 and we are the people of His pasture and the sheep of His hand.
- 5 is now, and will be for - ev - er. A - men.

(Naomi traveled with her family from Bethlehem to Moab. Her husband and two sons died. All she had left was two daughters-in-law. They were not even Israelites.)

<sup>6</sup>Then she arose with her daughters-in-law and returned from the fields of Moab, for she had heard in the fields of Moab that Yahweh had visited His people to give them food. <sup>7</sup>So she went forth from the place where she was, and her two daughters-in-law with her; and they went on the way to return to the land of Judah. <sup>8</sup> And Naomi said to her two daughters-in-law, “Go, return each of you to her mother’s house. May Yahweh show lovingkindness with you as you have shown with the dead and with me. <sup>9</sup> May Yahweh grant that you may find rest, each in the house of her husband.” Then she kissed them, and they lifted up their voices and wept. <sup>10</sup>And they said to her, “No, but we will return with you to your people.” <sup>11</sup>But Naomi said, “Return, my daughters. Why should you go with me? Have I yet sons in my womb, that they may be your husbands? <sup>12</sup> Return, my daughters! Go, for I am too old to have a husband. If I said I have hope, if I should even have a husband tonight and also bear sons, <sup>13</sup>would you therefore wait until they were grown? Would you therefore refrain from marrying? No, my daughters; for it is more bitter for me than for you, for the hand of Yahweh has gone forth against me.” <sup>14</sup> And they lifted up their voices and wept again; and Orpah kissed her mother-in-law, but Ruth clung to her.

<sup>15</sup>Then she said, “Behold, your sister-in-law has returned to her people and her gods; return after your sister-in-law.” <sup>16</sup>But Ruth said, “Do not press me to forsake you in turning back from following you; for where you go, I will go, and where you lodge, I will lodge. Your people *shall be* my people, and your God, my God. <sup>17</sup>Where you die, I will die, and there I will be buried. Thus may Yahweh do to me, and more, if *anything but* death separates you and me.” <sup>18</sup> So she saw that she was determined to go with her, and she said no more to her.

<sup>19</sup>Then they both went until they came to Bethlehem. Now it happened, when they had come to Bethlehem, all the city was stirred because of them, and the women said, “Is this Naomi?” <sup>20</sup>She said to them, “Do not call me Naomi; call me Mara, for the Almighty has dealt very bitterly with me. <sup>21</sup>I went out full, but Yahweh has caused me to return empty. Why do you call me Naomi? Yahweh has answered against me, and the Almighty has brought calamity against me.”

<sup>22</sup>So Naomi returned, and with her Ruth the Moabitess, her daughter-in-law, who returned from the fields of Moab. Now they came to Bethlehem at the beginning of barley harvest.

A This is the Word of the Lord.

C **Thanks be to God.**

*Stand*

**Holy Gospel (NASB)**

*Matthew 4:1-11*

**4** Then Jesus was led up by the Spirit into the wilderness to be tempted by the devil. <sup>2</sup> And after He had fasted forty days and forty nights, He then became hungry. <sup>3</sup> And the tempter came and said to Him, "If You are the Son of God, command that these stones become bread." <sup>4</sup> But He answered and said, "It is written, 'MAN SHALL NOT LIVE ON BREAD ALONE, BUT ON EVERY WORD THAT PROCEEDS OUT OF THE MOUTH OF GOD.'"

<sup>5</sup> Then the devil \*took Him into the holy city and had Him stand on the pinnacle of the temple, <sup>6</sup> and \*said to Him, "If You are the Son of God, throw Yourself down; for it is written,

'HE WILL COMMAND HIS ANGELS CONCERNING YOU';  
and

'ON *THEIR* HANDS THEY WILL BEAR YOU UP,  
SO THAT YOU WILL NOT STRIKE YOUR FOOT AGAINST A STONE.'"

<sup>7</sup> Jesus said to him, "On the other hand, it is written, 'YOU SHALL NOT PUT THE LORD YOUR GOD TO THE TEST.'"

<sup>8</sup> Again, the devil \*took Him to a very high mountain and \*showed Him all the kingdoms of the world and their glory; <sup>9</sup> and he said to Him, "All these things I will give You, if You fall down and worship me." <sup>10</sup> Then Jesus \*said to him, "Go, Satan! For it is written, 'YOU SHALL WORSHIP THE LORD YOUR GOD, AND SERVE HIM ONLY.'"<sup>11</sup> Then the devil \*left Him; and behold, angels came and *began* to minister to Him.

A This is the Word of the Lord.

C **Thanks be to God.**

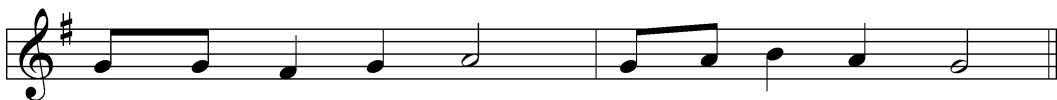
## 718 Jesus, Lead Thou On



1 Je - sus, lead Thou on Till our rest is won; And al-though the  
 2 If the way be drear, If the foe be near, Let not faith-less  
 3 When we seek re - lief From a long-felt grief, When temp - ta - tions  
 4 Je - sus, lead Thou on Till our rest is won. Heav'n-ly lead - er,



way be cheer - less, We will fol - low calm and fear - less.  
 fears o'er - take us; Let not faith and hope for - sake us;  
 come al - lur - ing, Make us pa - tient and en - dur - ing.  
 still di - rect us, Still sup - port, con - sole, pro - tect us,



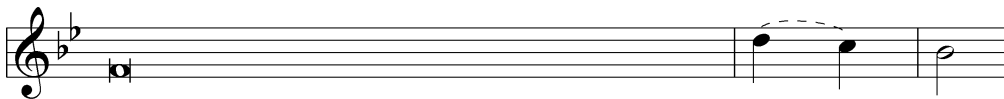
Guide us by Thy hand To our fa - ther - land.  
 For through man - y a woe To our home we go.  
 Show us that bright shore Where we weep no more.  
 Till we safe - ly stand In our fa - ther - land.

Text: Nicolaus Ludwig von Zinzendorf, 1700-60; tr. Jane L. Borthwick, 1813-97, alt.  
 Tune: Adam Drese, 1620-1701

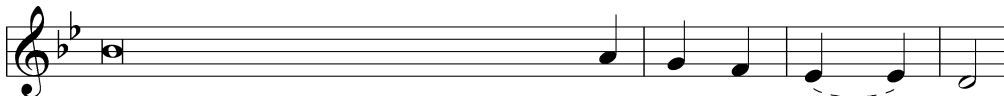
## Sermon

### Te Deum

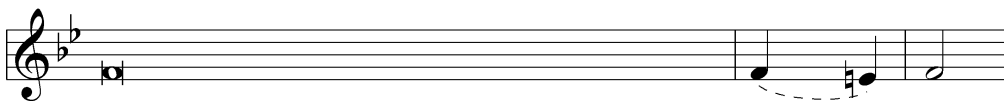
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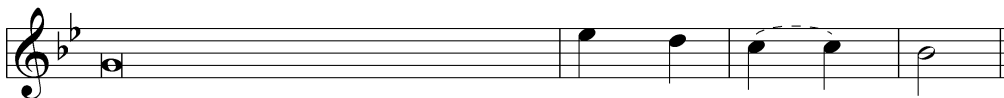
1 We praise You, O God; we acknowledge You to be the Lord.  
 2 Holy, holy, holy, Lord God of . . . . . Sab - a - oth;  
 3 The noble army of martyrs . . . . . praise — You.



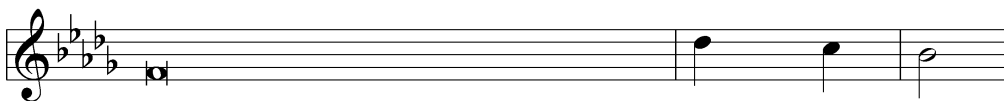
1 All the earth now worships You, the Fa-ther ev - er - last - ing.  
 2 heaven and earth are full of the majes - ty of Your glo - ry.  
 3 The holy Church throughout all the world does ac - knowl-edge You:



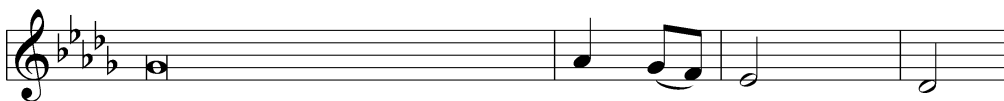
- 1 To You all angels cry aloud, the heavens and all the pow'rs there-in.  
2 The glorious company of the apostles . . . . . praise— You.  
3 The Father of an infinite majesty; Your adorable, true, and on - ly Son;  
4 You are the king of glory, . . . . . O ——— Christ;



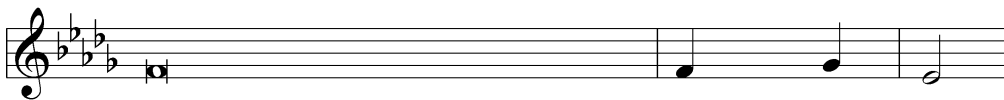
- 1 To You cherubim and seraphim con - tin - ual - ly do cry:  
2 The goodly fellowship of the . . . . . proph - ets praise— You.  
3 also the Holy . . . . . Ghost, the Com - fort - er.  
4 You are the everlasting Son . . . . . of the Fa - ther.



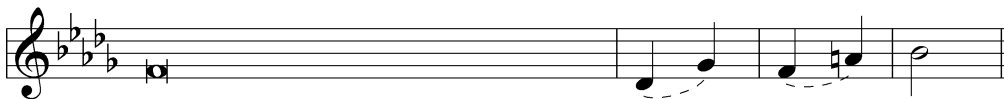
- 5 When You took upon Yourself to de - liv - er man,  
6 You sit at the right . . . . . hand of God



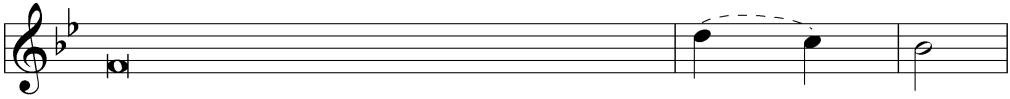
- 5 You humbled Yourself to be born of a vir - gin.  
6 in the glory . . . . . of the Fa - ther.



- 5 When You had overcome the . . . . . sharpness of death,  
6 We believe that . . . . . You will come



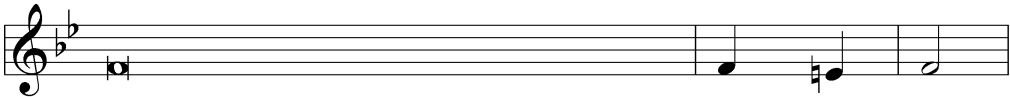
- 5 You opened the kingdom of heaven to all be - liev - ers.  
6 to . . . . . be ——— our ——— judge.



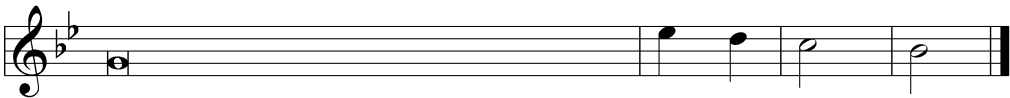
7 We therefore pray You to help Your . . . . . ser - vants,  
 8 O Lord, save Your people and bless Your . . . her - i - tage.  
 9 Grant, O Lord, to keep us this day with - out sin.



7 whom You have redeem - ed with Your pre - cious blood.  
 8 Govern them and lift . . . . . them up for - ev - er.  
 9 O Lord, have mercy upon us, have mercy up - on us.



7 Make them to be numbered . . . . . with Your saints  
 8 Day by day we . . . . . magni - fy You.  
 9 O Lord, let Your mercy be upon us, as our trust is in You.



7 in glory . . . . . ev - er - last - ing.  
 8 And we worship Your name for - ever and ev - er.  
 9 O Lord, in You have I trusted; let me never be con - found - ed.

## Prayers

### Presentation of Offering

*Stand*

### Confession and Absolution

P Heavenly Father we confess that we are a sinful people. We have sinned terribly and repeatedly. We confess that our repentance is never perfect in this life, nor have we outgrown our need for Your forgiveness. We confess that our sins are not just external and easily seen but also hidden in our hearts where only You see clearly.



You know the various faults that can plague us like spiritual blindness, greed, jealousy, anger, hate, discontent, impatience, arrogance, lust, strife, pride, unwillingness to forgive, lack of faith, and lack of submission to Your will.

We are sorry for these and all our sins of thought, word, and deed. We desire Your grace in Christ that we would be forgiven. We plead, Lord, fill us with Your Spirit that we may walk in Your ways. Sanctify our hearts that our lives, as imperfect as they are, would bring glory to Your name.

### *Silent confession*

- P Upon this your confession, I, by virtue of my office, as a called and ordained servant of the Word, announce the grace of God unto all of you, and in the stead and by the command of my Lord Jesus Christ I forgive you all your sins in the name of the Father and of the T Son and of the Holy Spirit.
- C **Amen.**

## **Service of the Sacrament**

### ***Communion Invitation***

***Dear Guest:*** *If you are not a member of the Lutheran Church- Missouri Synod, please speak to pastor before taking the Lord's Supper.*

*We love you! We want you to be able to receive the true body and blood of Jesus in, with, and under the bread and the wine for your forgiveness. If you would like to be part of our communion, please set up a time to visit with pastor during the week.*

*You may, however, come up to the altar today to receive a blessing. Simply cross your arms over your chest while you are kneeling at the communion rail. You may also remain in your pew during Communion if you so desire.*

## Preface

LSB 194



**P** The Lord be with you.



**C** And with thy spir - it.



**P** Lift up your hearts.



**C** We lift them up un - to the Lord.



**P** Let us give thanks un - to the Lord, our God.



**C** It is meet and right so to do.

**P** It is truly meet, right, ... evermore praising You and saying:

## Sanctus

LSB 195



**C** Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord God of Sab - a - oth;



heav'n and earth are full of Thy glo - ry. Ho - san - na,



ho - san - na, ho - san-na in the high - est. Bless-ed is He,



bles-ed is He, bles - ed is He that com-eth in the name of the Lord.



Ho-san - na, ho - san - na, ho - san-na in the high - est.

## Lord's Prayer

LSB 196

P 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.



**C** For Thine is the kingdom and the power and the



glo - ry for - ev - er and ev - er. A - men.

## The Words of Our Lord

LSB 197

P Our Lord Jesus Christ, ... in remembrance of Me."

## Pax Domini

LSB 197



**P** The peace of the Lord be with you al - ways.



**G** A - men.

## Agnus Dei

LSB 198



O Christ, Thou Lamb of God, that tak - est a-way the sin of the



world, have mer - cy up - on us. O Christ, Thou Lamb of God, that



tak - est a-way the sin of the world, have mer - cy up - on us.



O Christ, Thou Lamb of God, that tak - est a-way the sin of the



world, grant us Thy peace. A - men.

Sit



# 611 Chief of Sinners Though I Be

sts. 1-4



1 Chief of sin - ners though I be, Je - sus shed His  
 2 Oh, the height of Je - sus' love, High - er than the  
 3 On - ly Je - sus can im - part Balm to heal the  
 4 Chief of sin - ners though I be, Christ is all in



blood for me, Died that I might live on high,  
 heav'n's a - bove, Deep - er than the depths of sea,  
 wound - ed heart, Peace that flows from sin for - giv'n,  
 all to me; All my wants to Him are known,



Lives that I might nev - er die. As the branch is  
 Last - ing as e - ter - ni - ty! Love that found me—  
 Joy that lifts the soul to heav'n, Faith and hope to  
 All my sor - rows are His own. He sus - tains the



to the vine, I am His, and He is mine.  
 won - drous thought! Found me when I sought Him not.  
 walk with God In the way that E - noch trod.  
 hid - den life Safe with Him from earth - ly strife.

Text: William McComb, 1793-1873, alt.  
 Tune: Richard Redhead, 1820-1901

## 722 Lord, Take My Hand and Lead Me



1 Lord, take my hand and lead me Up - on life's way;  
 2 Lord, when the tem - pest ra - ges, I need not fear,  
 3 Lord, when the shad - ows length - en And night has come,



Di - rect, pro - tect, and feed me From day to day.  
 For You, the Rock of A - ges, Are al - ways near.  
 I know that You will strength - en My steps toward home.



With - out Your grace and fa - vor I go a - stray;  
 Close by Your side a - bid - ing, I fear no foe,  
 Then noth - ing can im - pede me, O bless - ed Friend;



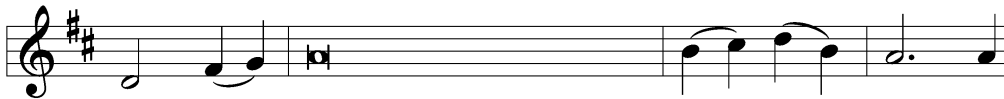
So take my hand, O Sav - ior, And lead the way.  
 For when Your hand is guid - ing, In peace I go.  
 So take my hand and lead me Un - to the end.

Text: Julie von Hausmann, 1825-1901; tr. Lutheran Book of Worship, 1978, alt.  
 Tune: P. Friedrich Silcher, 1789-1860  
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*Stand*

## Nunc Dimittis

*LSB 199*



Lord, now lettest Thou Thy servant de - part in peace ac -



cord - ing to Thy word, for mine eyes have seen Thy salvation,



which Thou hast pre - pared be - fore the face of all people,



a light to light - en the Gen - tiles and the glo - ry of Thy



peo - ple Is - ra - el. Glo - ry be to the Father and



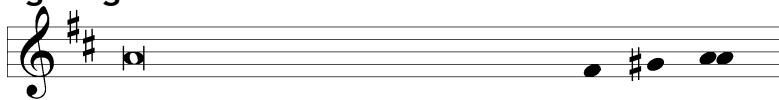
to the Son and to the Ho - ly Ghost; as it was in the beginning,



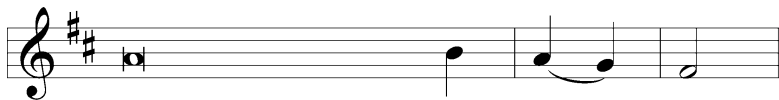
is now, and ev - er shall be, world with - out end. A - men.

## Thanksgiving

*LSB 200*



**A** O give thanks unto the Lord, for He is good,



**B** and His mercy endureth for - ev - er.



A Let us pray.

We give thanks to You, almighty God, that You have refreshed us through this salutary gift, and we implore You that of Your mercy You would strengthen us through the same in faith toward You and in fervent love toward one another; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.



**C** A - men.



**P** The Lord be with you.



**C** And with thy spir - it.

## Benedicamus

*LSB 202*



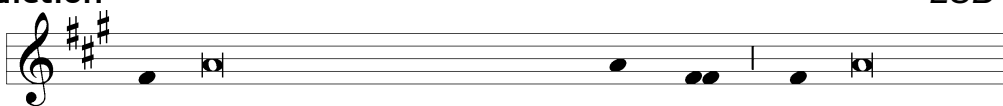
**A** Bless we the Lord.



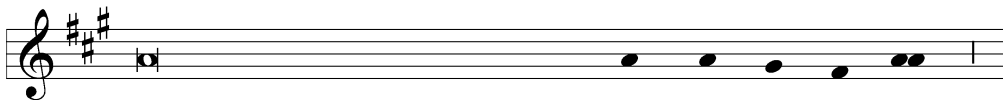
**C** Thanks be to God.

# Benediction

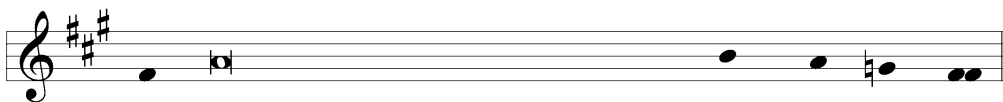
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**P** The Lord bless you and keep you. The Lord make



His face shine upon you and be gra - cious un - to you.



The Lord lift up His countenance upon you and † give you peace.



**C** A-men, a-men, a - men.

1. Man of Sor-rows! what a name for the Son of God, who came  
2. Bear-ing shame and scoff-ing rude, in my place con-demned he stood;  
3. Guilt-y, vile, and help-less we; spot-less Lamb of God was he;  
4. Lift-ed up was he to die; "It is fin-ished!" was his cry;  
5. When he comes, our glo-rious King, all his ran-somed home to bring,

ru-inéd sin - ners to re-claim. Hal - le - lu - jah! What a Sav - ior!  
sealed my par - don with his blood. Hal - le - lu - jah! What a Sav - ior!  
full a - tone - ment can it be? Hal - le - lu - jah! What a Sav - ior!  
now in heaven ex - alt - ed high. Hal - le - lu - jah! What a Sav - ior!  
then a - new this song we'll sing: Hal - le - lu - jah! What a Sav - ior!

## Prayers and Announcements

**In Our Prayers:** Zena Bean (recovering from surgery), Cathy Gray, Deb Shelly (Michelle Newell's sister), Roy Meyer (cancer), Toy (brain surgery recovery), Glen Tabor (Debra Mach's father), Kerin Beall Matthews (Lorna Beall's daughter, hospice), Greg Turner (cancer of the esophagus), Cathy Davis, **Shut-In:** Jen Perry, Sandy McCoy, Peggy Avers, Bill Riley, Gaylene Peters, Brian Pendergrass, Jeanette Seeman, Bill & Helen Donald; **In the Military:** Grady McAllister (Janet's grandson), Patrick Gardner (Jacobsen's grandson), Clay Marlin, James Beall, Zach Sparks, and those we think of privately.

**Please Note:** To streamline the announcements at the beginning of the service, Pastor will normally give the announcements. Please write your announcement for him if they aren't already in the bulletin.

**Mid-Week Lenten Services** will begin with **Ash Wednesday on February 14<sup>th</sup>**. We will have two service times available, at **noon and at 7:00 p.m.** Please plan to join us for this brief time of meditation and preparation.

**Open Hands Mission to the Blind** will meet on **Thursday at noon**. If you'd like to help with food or transportation, please contact Jeanette Ferkey at 532-5767.

**Board of Evangelism** will meet on **Friday at 3:30 p.m.**

**Saturday, February 17<sup>th</sup>** is our next **Blessing Babies & Beyond Event** from **9:00am to Noon**. We just need 2 or 3 more people to help. Let Judy or Barb know if you can help. Thanks!

**Youth Meeting** is next **Sunday at 5:00 p.m.**

**Help Needed:** "Looking for someone who likes to scrapbook! We have years worth of pictures and special event programs that need to be put in albums for our history files. Please see Cheryl Oberdieck or Judy Mattli. Thanks!

**Daily Bible Readings for This Week:** **Today**-John 6:1-24; **Monday** -John 6:25-59; **Tuesday** – John 6:60-71; **Wednesday** – Psalm 51; **Thursday** – Psalm 57; **Friday** – Psalm 107; **Saturday** – Psalm 108.

## Our Response to the Lord Last Week

### Stewardship of Souls

Worship Attendance

9:00AM - 78

Pastor's Class - 26

Sunday School - 3

### Stewardship of Finances

General Offering Last Week

\$4,115.00

Building Fund - \$160.00

	<b>Serving Today</b>	<b>Serving Next Week</b>
<b>Pastor</b>	David Oberdieck	David Oberdieck
<b>Organist</b>	Joy Gaines	Joy Gaines
<b>Elder</b>	Nick Grunwaldt Gary Clark	Gary Clark Nick Grunwaldt
<b>Lector</b>	Gary Clark	Nick Grunwaldt
<b>Usher</b>	Jeff Carlson Matt Sosnowski	Jeff Carlson Matt Sosnowski
<b>Altar Guild</b>	De Stirling	De Stirling

## Upcoming Events

3 March – LWML meeting

17 March – Voter's meeting & youth meeting

21 March - Open hands

4 & 5 April – Garage Sale

14 April – Youth Meeting

18 April - Open Hands

4 May – Community Event at church

5 May – LWML Meeting

11 May – Blessing Babies & Beyond

16 May – Open Hands

28 May – Church Council Meeting

## Weekly Calendar

<b>Today</b>	9:00AM	Worship/Communion
	10:30AM	Christian Education Hour
	11:30AM	Confirmation Class
<b>Tuesday</b>	1:00PM	Garden Club
<b>Wednesday</b>	9:00AM	Men's Bible Class
	9:30AM	Ladies' Bible Class
	Noon	Ash Wed. Worship Service
	6:00PM	Chimes Practice
	7:00PM	Ash Wed. Worship Service
<b>Thurs</b>	9:30AM	Thursday Girls
	Noon	Open Hands
	5:30PM	Choir Practice
	6:30PM	Women's Bible Study
<b>Saturday</b>	9:00AM	Blessing Babies & Beyond
	- Noon	
<b>Sun, 2-18</b>	9:00AM	Worship/Communion
	10:30AM	Christian Education Hour
	11:30AM	Confirmation Class
	5:00PM	Youth Meeting