## Trinity Ev. Lutheran Church February 18, 2024 First Sunday In Lent

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Worship Service 9:00AM Sunday School 10:30AM www.trinitylebanon.com secretary@trinitylebanon.com

#### **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.

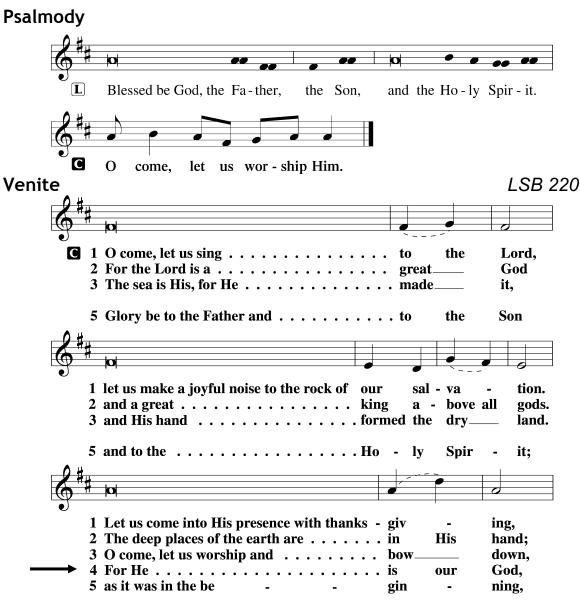
You may, however, come up to the altar today to receive a blessing. Simply <u>cross your arms over your chest</u> while you are kneeling at the communion rail. You may also remain in your pew during Communion if you so desire.





Sit

#### **Psalmody**



#### **Old Testament Reading** (Legacy Standard Bible)

Ruth 2

**2** Now Naomi had a kinsman of her husband, a mighty man of excellence, of the family of Elimelech, whose name was Boaz. <sup>2</sup> And Ruth the Moabitess said to Naomi, "Please let me go to the field and glean among the ears of grain after one whom I may find favor in his eyes." And she said to her, "Go, my daughter." <sup>3</sup> So she went. And she came and gleaned in the field after the reapers. And it so happened that she happened *to come* to the portion of the field belonging to Boaz, who was of the family of Elimelech. <sup>4</sup> Now behold, Boaz came from Bethlehem and said to the reapers, "May Yahweh be with you." And they said to him, "May Yahweh bless you." <sup>5</sup> Then Boaz said to his young man who was in charge of the reapers, "Whose young woman is this?" <sup>6</sup> The young man in charge of the reapers replied, "She is the young Moabite woman who returned with Naomi from the fields of Moab. <sup>7</sup> And she said, 'Please let me glean and gather after the reapers among the sheaves.' Thus she came and has remained from the morning until now; she has been sitting in the house for a little while."

<sup>8</sup> Then Boaz said to Ruth, "Have you not heard, my daughter? Do not go to glean in another field; furthermore, do not go on from this one, but stay here with my young women. <sup>9</sup> Let your eyes be on the field which they reap, and go after them. Indeed, I have commanded the young men not to touch you. And *if* you are thirsty, go to the water jars and drink from what the young men draw." <sup>10</sup> Then she fell on her face, bowing to the ground and said to him, "Why have I found favor in your sight that you should take notice of me,

though I am a foreigner?" <sup>11</sup> Boaz replied to her, "All that you have done for your mother-in-law after the death of your husband has been fully told to me, and how you forsook your father and your mother and the land of your birth, and came to a people that you did not previously know. <sup>12</sup> May Yahweh fully repay your work, and may your wages be full from Yahweh, the God of Israel, under whose wings you have come to seek refuge." <sup>13</sup> Then she said, "May I find favor in your eyes, my lord, for you have comforted me and indeed have spoken to the heart of your servant-woman, though I am not like one of your servant-women."

<sup>14</sup> At mealtime Boaz said to her, "Come here, that you may eat of the bread and dip your piece of bread in the vinegar." So she sat beside the reapers; and he served her roasted grain, and she ate and was satisfied and had some left. <sup>15</sup> Then she rose to glean, and Boaz commanded his young men, saying, "Let her glean even among the sheaves, and do not dishonor her. <sup>16</sup> Also you shall purposely pull out for her *some grain* from the bundles and leave *it* that she may glean, and do not rebuke her."

<sup>17</sup> So she gleaned in the field until evening. Then she beat out what she had gleaned, and it was about an ephah of barley. <sup>18</sup> She took *it* up and went into the city, and her mother-in-law saw what she had gleaned. She also took *it* out and gave Naomi what she had left after she was satisfied. <sup>19</sup> Her mother-in-law then said to her, "Where did you glean today and where did you work? May he who took notice of you be blessed." So she told her mother-in-law with whom she had worked and said, "The name of the man with whom I worked today is Boaz." <sup>20</sup> Naomi said to her daughter-in-law, "May he be blessed of Yahweh who has not forsaken his lovingkindness to the living and to the dead." Then Naomi said to her, "The man is our relative; he is one of our *kinsman* redeemers." <sup>21</sup> Then Ruth the Moabitess said, "Furthermore, he said to me, 'You should stay close to my young men until they have finished all my harvest.'" <sup>22</sup> Naomi said to Ruth her daughter-in-law, "It is good, my

daughter, that you go out with his young women, so that *others* do not oppress you in another field." <sup>23</sup> So she stayed close by the young women of Boaz in order to glean until the end of the barley harvest and the wheat harvest. And she lived with her mother-in-law.

- A This is the Word of the Lord.
- C Thanks be to God.

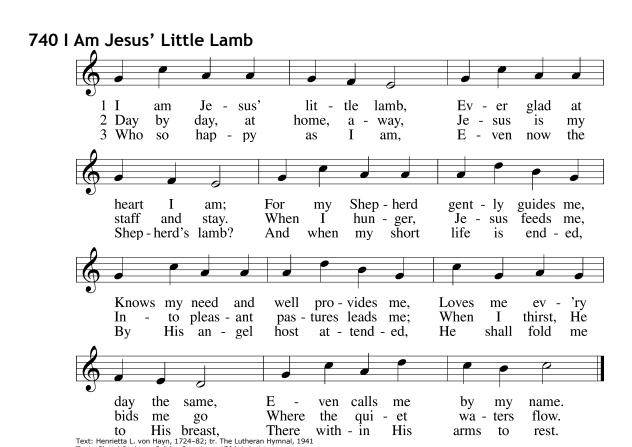
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#### Holy Gospel (NASB)

Mark 1:9-15

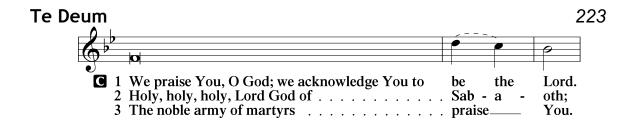
<sup>9</sup> In those days Jesus came from Nazareth in Galilee and was baptized by John in the Jordan. <sup>10</sup> Immediately coming up out of the water, He saw the heavens opening, and the Spirit like a dove descending upon Him; <sup>11</sup> and a voice came out of the heavens: "You are My beloved Son, in You I am well-pleased."

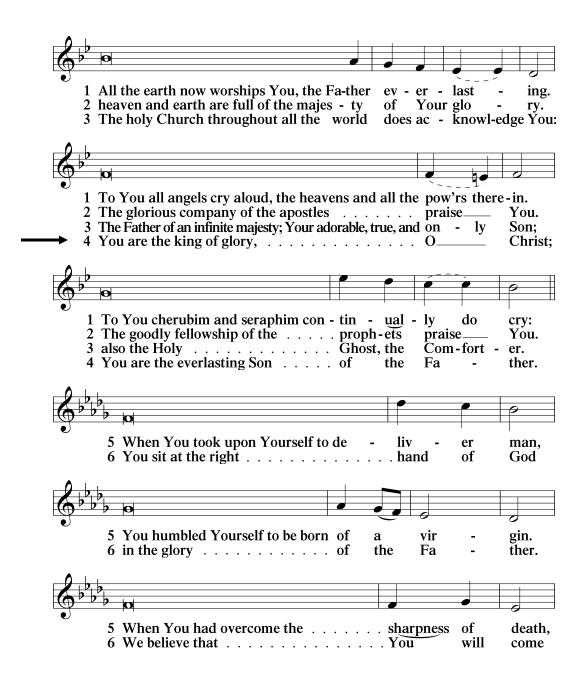
- <sup>12</sup> Immediately the Spirit impelled Him to go out into the wilderness. <sup>13</sup> And He was in the wilderness forty days being tempted by Satan; and He was with the wild beasts, and the angels were ministering to Him.
- <sup>14</sup> Now after John had been taken into custody, Jesus came into Galilee, preaching the gospel of God, <sup>15</sup> and saying, "The time is fulfilled, and the kingdom of God is at hand; repent and believe in the gospel."
  - A This is the Word of the Lord.
  - C Thanks be to God.

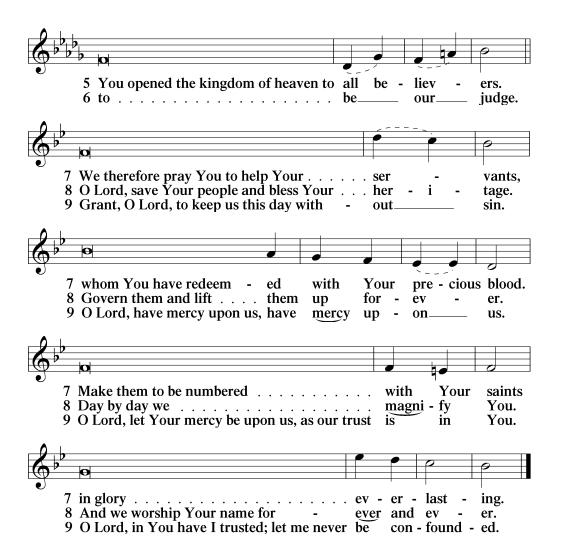


#### Sermon

Tune: Choral-Buch . . . Brüder-Gemeinen, 1784, Leipzig







#### **Prayers**

#### **Presentation of Offering**

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#### **Confession and Absolution**

P Dear Father, when Your Word brings the conviction of our sin we can see that we do not deserve heaven but hell. Apart from Jesus, there is nothing good in us that isn't corrupted not even a hair on our head. Our thoughts and desires have been soiled by sin. Our actions have fallen short so that we have failed to do what is right and engaged in what is wrong. If you fix Your eyes on our sins, we must die. Forgive us and sanctify us. Have mercy on us and give us a merciful heart toward others. Let us not seek Your forgiveness only to harbor bitterness toward others. Fix Your eyes on Your dear Son our High Priest, Mediator, Advocate, and Savior. For His sake, grant us Your pardon. Hear the confession of our hearts:

#### Silent confession

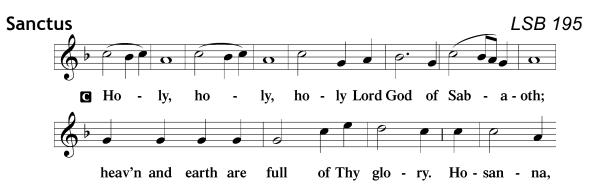
- P Upon this your confession, I, by virtue of my office, as a called and ordained servant of the Word, announce the grace of God unto all of you, and in the stead and by the command of my Lord Jesus Christ I forgive you all your sins in the name of the Father and of the T Son and of the Holy Spirit.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

#### Service of the Sacrament





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





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



bless-ed is He, bless-ed is He that cometh in the name of the Lord.

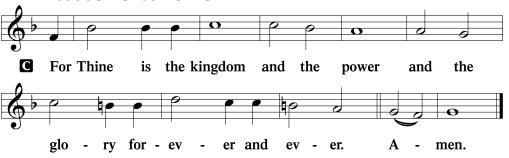


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#### Lord's Prayer

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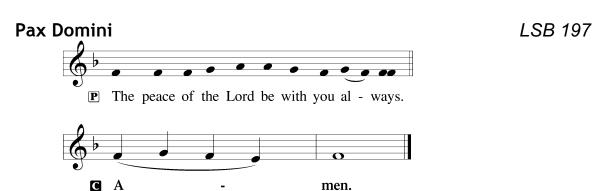
P Our Father who art in heaven,
hallowed be Thy name,
Thy kingdom come,
Thy will be done on earth
as it is in heaven;
give us this day our daily bread;
and forgive us our trespasses
as we forgive those
who trespass against us;
and lead us not into temptation,
but deliver us from evil.

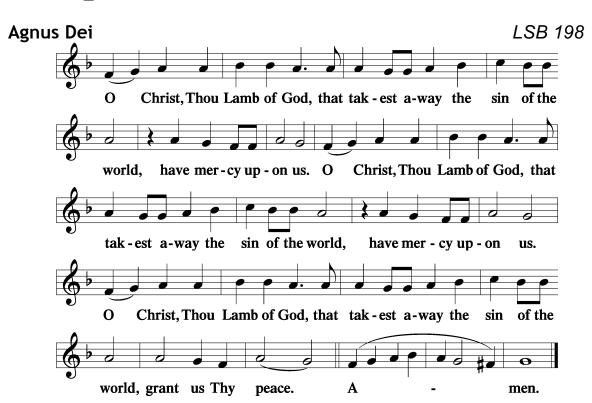


#### The Words of Our Lord

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





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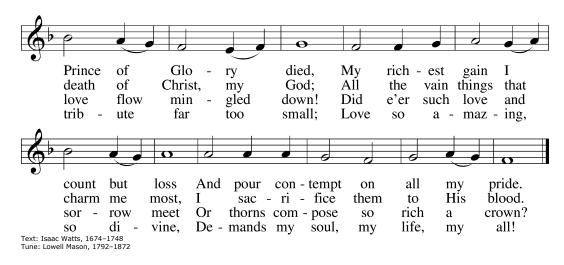
#### **Distribution**

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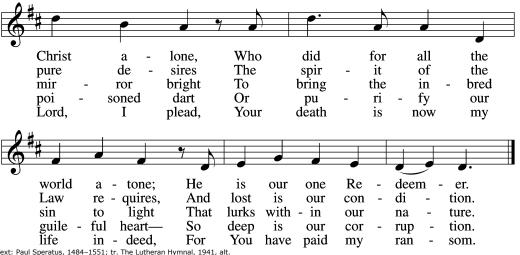


#### 425 When I Survey the Wondrous Cross



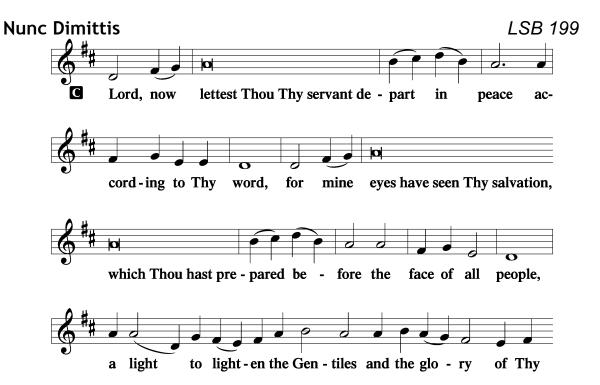


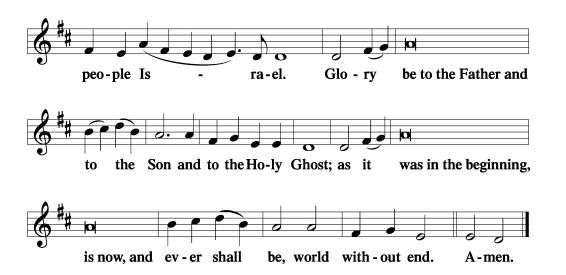


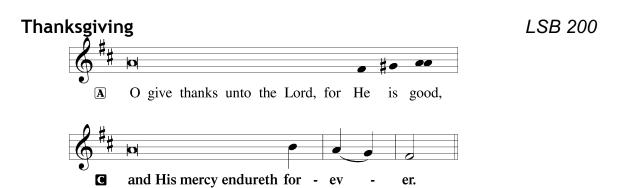


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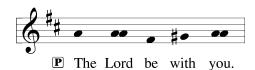




### A Let us pray.

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.

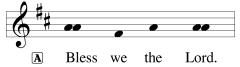






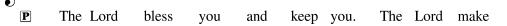
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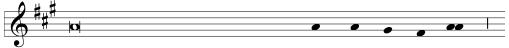
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His face shine upon you and be gra-cious un - to you.



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



#### 918 Guide Me, O Thou Great Redeemer



Text: William Williams, 1717-91, abr.; (st. 1): tr. Peter Williams, 1722-96, alt.; (sts. 2-3): tr. William Williams, 1717-91 Tune: John Hughes, 1873-1932

#### **Prayers and Announcements**

In Our Prayers: Velvet Fackeldey (upcoming eye surgery), Zena Bean (recovering from surgery), Cathy Gray, Deb Shelly (Michelle Newell's sister), Roy Meyer (cancer), Glen Tabor (Debbra Mach's father), 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.

**Mid-Week Lenten Services** are held every Wednesday through March 20. We 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.

Youth Meeting is today at 5:00 p.m.

**Thursday Girls:** They are requesting donations of empty sardine cans and silk flowers for a craft project.

**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!

Church Council Meeting will be on Monday, February 26, at 6:00 p.m. All officers and a representative from each board are asked to attend.

Daily Bible Readings for This Week: Today-John 7:1-24; Monday -John 7:25-52; Tuesday - John 8:1-11; Wednesday - John 8:12-30; Thursday -John 8:31-59; Friday -John 9:1-12; Saturday -John 9:13-41.

## Our Response to the Lord Last Week

Stewardship of SoulsStewardship of FinancesWorship AttendanceGeneral Offering Last Week9:00AM -84\$5,328.49Pastor's Class -29

Pastor	Serving Today David Oberdieck	Serving Next Week David Oberdieck
Organist	Joy Gaines	Jeanette Milner
Elder	Gary Clark Nick Grunwaldt	Allen Carothers Jeff Loges
Lector	Nick Grunwaldt	Allen Carothers
Usher	Jeff Carlson Matt Sosnowski	Jeff Carlson Matt Sosnowski
Altar Guild	De Stirling	De Stirling

Sunday School -

#### **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		
Today	9:00AM	Worship/Communion	
	10:30AM	Christian Education Hour	
	11:30AM	Confirmation Class	
	5:00PM	Youth Meeting	
Wednesday	9:00AM	Men's Bible Class	
	9:30AM	Ladies' Bible Class	
	Noon	Worship Service	
	6:00PM	Chimes Practice	
	7:00PM	Worship Service	
Thurs	9:30AM	Thursday Girls	
	5:30PM	Choir Practice	
	6:30PM	Women's Bible Study	
Sun,	9:00AM	Worship/Communion	
2-25	10:30AM	Christian Education Hour	
	11:30AM	<b>Confirmation Class</b>	