

Sending Hymn

#520 "Give to Our God Immortal Praise"

Give to our God immortal praise!
Mercy and truth are all his ways;
wonders of grace to God belong;
repeat his mercies in your song.

He sent his Son with pow'r to save
from guilt and darkness and the grave.
Wonders of grace to God belong;
repeat his mercies in your song.

Give to the Lord of lords renown;
the King of kings with glory crown.
His mercies ever shall endure
when lords and kings are known no more!

Benediction and Dismissal



March 22, 2020

Fourth Sunday in Lent

ANNOUNCEMENTS

All worship services and other activities at CTS are cancelled through March 31. We will re-evaluate as we enter Holy Week. The office will be open. Offerings can be mailed or brought to the office during regular hours.

Happy Birthday

Devon Beed, March 22

Leonard Zechmann, March 26

Nevin Peters, March 28

IN OUR PRAYERS

Church family: Arlis Lind, Harold Dunlap,
Mona Jean Roberts

Family/friends: Darrell Timperly, Wyatt Haas,
Marvin Hayes, Austin Dalton, Darrell Knee,
Diane DeCamp, Forrest Jamison, Jim Cyboron,
Joe Kotalik, Kim Alvarez, Joe Grosserode;
Jared and Sau Man Weich, Joe Rystrom in
Hong Kong; Msaranga Mandaka Parish in
Tanzania

Lutheran Book of Worship, Setting One

Opening Hymn

#248 "Dearest Jesus, at Your Word"

Dearest Jesus, at your word
we have come again to hear you;
let our thoughts and hearts be stirred
and in glowing faith be near you
as the promises here given
draw us wholly up to heaven.

All our knowledge, sense and sight
lie in deepest darkness shrouded
till your Spirit breaks the night,
filling us with light unclouded.
All good thoughts and all good living
come but by your gracious giving.

Radiance of God's glory bright,
light of light from God proceeding,
Jesus, send your blessed light;
help our hearing, speaking, heeding,
that our prayers and songs may please you,
as with grateful hearts we praise you.

Father, Son and Holy Ghost,
praise to you and adoration!
Grant us what we need the most:
your blest Gospel's consolation,
while we here on earth await you,
till in heav'n with praise we greet you.

Confession and Forgiveness

Greeting

Prayer of the Day: God of all mercy, by your power to heal and to forgive, graciously cleanse us from all sin and make us strong; through your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.

Scripture Readings

Old Testament: 1 Samuel 16:1-13 (pp. 259-260)
New Testament: Ephesians 5:8-14 (pg. 194)
Gospel: John 9:1-41 (pp. 102-103)

Message

Hymn of the Day

#366 "Lord of Our Life"

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.

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.

Lord, you can help when earthly armor fails us;
Lord, you can save when deadly sin assails us;
And, in the day when hell itself appalls us,
Grant us your peace, Lord:

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.

Apostles' Creed

Prayers of the Church

The Lord's Prayer