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**LENT II**  
**MARCH 5, 2023**

**OUR SAVIOR LUTHERAN CHURCH**  
*LUTHERAN CHURCH-MISSOURI SYNOD*

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***Worship Service: Sundays at 9:00 am***

***Midweek Lent Service at 7:00 pm***

***WELCOME TO ALL*** guests and visitors. It is great to have you here with us to receive the gifts of God in this place. If you have any questions, please speak with an usher. We look forward to seeing you again!

**COMMUNION:** The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper is being offered to our confirmed communicants today and is administered in accordance with the Holy Scriptures and the Lutheran Confessions. It is celebrated in the confidence that we truly receive, under the bread and wine, the body and blood of our Lord, Jesus Christ, through which we further truly receive the forgiveness of sins. Besides individually receiving Christ's gift of forgiveness in this Sacrament, all those who commune here make a confession of their unity in the faith as it is believed and taught in our Lutheran Church - Missouri Synod and in this congregation. Therefore, if you are not a confirmed communicant member, in good standing, of a Lutheran Church - Missouri Synod congregation, we kindly ask that you respect our beliefs and refrain from coming to the altar to receive the Sacrament until you have had an opportunity to speak with the Pastor.

**Those serving in March**

**Pastor: Daniel Provost**

**Ushers: Steve, Janet & Kevin Hartz**

**Elder: Jerry Roby**

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# SECOND SUNDAY IN LENT

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## WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

### OPENING HYMN

*From God Can Nothing Move Me* ..... **LSB 713**

*Stand*

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### **SERVICE OF THE WORD**

#### INTROIT

*Psalm 25:1-2a, 7-8, 11; antiphon: vv.6,2b,22*

Remember your mercy, O LORD, and your steadfast love,  
**for they have been from of old.**

Let not my enemies exult over me.

**Redeem Israel, O God, out of all his troubles.**

To you, O LORD, I lift up my soul.

**O my God, in you I trust; let me not be put to shame.**

Remember not the sins of my youth or my transgressions;  
**according to your steadfast love remember me, for  
the sake of your goodness, O LORD!**

Good and upright is the LORD;

**therefore he instructs sinners in the way.**

For your name's sake, O LORD,

**pardon my guilt, for it is great.**

**Glory be to the Father and to the Son**

**and to the Holy Spirit;**


**as it was in the beginning,**

**is now, and will be forever. Amen.**

Remember your mercy, O LORD, and your steadfast love,  
**for they have been from of old.**

Let not my enemies exult over me.

**Redeem Israel, O God, out of all his troubles.**

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*Sit*

**OLD TESTAMENT READING** *Genesis 32:22-32*

The same night he arose and took his two wives, his two female servants, and his eleven children, and crossed the ford of the Jabbok. He took them and sent them across the stream, and everything else that he had. And Jacob was left alone. And a man wrestled with him until the breaking of the day. When the man saw that he did not prevail against Jacob, he touched his hip socket, and Jacob's hip was put out of joint as he wrestled with him. Then he said, "Let me go, for the day has broken." But Jacob said, "I will not let you go unless you bless me." And he said to him, "What is your name?" And he said, "Jacob." Then he said, "Your name shall no longer be called Jacob, but Israel, for you have striven with God and with men, and have prevailed." Then Jacob asked him, "Please tell me your name." But he said, "Why is it that you ask my name?" And there he blessed him. So Jacob called the name of the place Peniel, saying, "For I have seen God face to face, and yet my life has been delivered." The sun rose upon him as he passed Penuel, limping because of his hip. Therefore to this day the people of Israel do not eat the sinew of the thigh that is on the hip socket, because he touched the socket of Jacob's hip on the sinew of the thigh.

**A** This is the Word of the Lord.

**C** **Thanks be to God.**

**EPISTLE READING** *1 Thessalonians 4:1-7*

Finally, then, brothers, we ask and urge you in the Lord Jesus, that as you received from us how you ought to live and to please God, just as you are doing, that you do so more and more. For you know what instructions we gave you through the Lord Jesus. For this is the will of God, your sanctification: that you abstain from sexual immorality; that each one of you know how to control his own body in holiness and honor, not in the passion of lust like the Gentiles who do not know God; that no one transgress and wrong his brother in this matter, because the Lord is an avenger in all these things, as we told you beforehand and

solemnly warned you. For God has not called us for impurity, but in holiness.

**A** This is the Word of the Lord.

**C** **Thanks be to God.**

*Stand*

**RETURN TO THE LORD** *p. 157* 

**HOLY GOSPEL** *Matthew 15:21-28*

**P** The Holy Gospel according to St. Matthew, the fifteenth chapter.

**C** **Glory to You, O Lord.** 

Jesus went away from there and withdrew to the district of Tyre and Sidon. And behold, a Canaanite woman from that region came out and was crying, “Have mercy on me, O Lord, Son of David; my daughter is severely oppressed by a demon.” But he did not answer her a word. And his disciples came and begged him, saying, “Send her away, for she is crying out after us.” He answered, “I was sent only to the lost sheep of the house of Israel.” But she came and knelt before him, saying, “Lord, help me.” And he answered, “It is not right to take the children’s bread and throw it to the dogs.” She said, “Yes, Lord, yet even the dogs eat the crumbs that fall from their masters’ table.” Then Jesus answered her, “O woman, great is your faith! Be it done for you as you desire.” And her daughter was healed instantly.

**P** This is the Gospel of the Lord.

**C** **Praise to You, O Christ.** 

*Sit*

**SERMON HYMN**

*When in the Hour of Deepest Need* ..... **LSB 615**

**SERMON** by Pastor Daniel Provost

“Wrestling with God” *Genesis 32:22-32*

*Stand*

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**DISTRIBUTION**

*O Living Bread from Heaven* ..... **LSB 642**

*You Satisfy the Hungry Heart (instrumental)* ..... **LSB 641**

*Soul, Adorn Yourself with Gladness* ..... **LSB 636**

*Stand*

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**CLOSING HYMN**

*Come, My Soul, with Every Care* ..... **LSB 779**

Divine Service, Setting One from Lutheran Service Book

## ***This Week at Our Savior***

Day	Date	Time	Description
Sunday	5	9:00 AM 10:30 AM	Worship MITEBOX SUNDAY Sunday School and Bible Study
Monday	6		
Tuesday	7		
Wednesday	8	1:30 PM 5:00 PM 7:00 PM	Bible Study "Sunday Readings" Confirmation Class Midweek Lent Service
Thursday	9		
Friday	10		
Saturday	11		
Sunday	12	9:00 AM 10:30 AM	Worship Sunday School and Bible Study

**A LOOK AHEAD TO SUNDAY, MARCH 12 LENT III (OCULI)**  
**Readings: Exodus 8:16-24, Ephesians 5:1-9, Luke 11:14-28**  
**Hymns: 614, 659, 865**  
**Psalm: 136:1-16, antiphon v. 26**  
**Communion Hymns: 641, 630, 631**

### **Happy Birthday to You!**

- 3.4 Karsten Roby
- 3.6 Kathy Kingery
- 3.9 Kristin Pate
- 3.11 Nancy Janssen
- 3.12 Brady Kemp
- 3.13 Nicole Provost
- 3.13 Pastor Provost
- 3.18 Maria Casad
- 3.22 Carolyn Little
- 3.23 Jane Allen
- 3.24 Bob Berndt
- 3.31 Zachary Huegel



### **Happy Anniversary**

**Bob & Kathy Fair**



### *You're Undeniably Lutheran When.....*

...you think butter is a spice.

...the church is on fire and you rush in to save the coffee pot.

...you have more than five flavors of Jell-O in your pantry.

...you talk to someone else and look at their shoes first.

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**OSL Volunteers for March**  
 Altar Guild: Maria Casad  
 Ushers: Steve, Janet and Kevin Hartz  
 Greeter: Carole Zimmermann  
 Fellowship: Julia Provost



**Quilting:** March 14, 17 w/Soup!, 28 & 30  
**Care & Share Meeting:** March 2  
**LWML Meeting:** March 20

*Lent Services every Wednesday in March at 7p  
 Pick up a special Lenten Devotional in the narthex.*



**The local Red Cross is looking for some volunteers in our area.** Volunteers are needed for biomed transportation as well as volunteers to assist at the blood drives.

See the Flyer on the bulletin board or contact the [redcross.org/volunteer](http://redcross.org/volunteer) today or locally you can email or call Kara Kinder 402.214.0898  
[kara.kinder@redcross.org](mailto:kara.kinder@redcross.org)



**You may have noticed??**.....The Elders are no longer asking you to fill out an attendance card at Divine Service. The Elder on duty will be reporting attendance each week. Information cards for visitors, request cards for pastoral visitation, and prayer cards will be placed in the pews.



Various reading materials can be found on the table below the member mailboxes. These include Lutheran Woman's Quarterly (Spring), IDE Today, Luther Classical College materials. Also, a few copies of the current newsletter for our missionary families: Steffenson, Sharp and Mock. Please take a copy today!