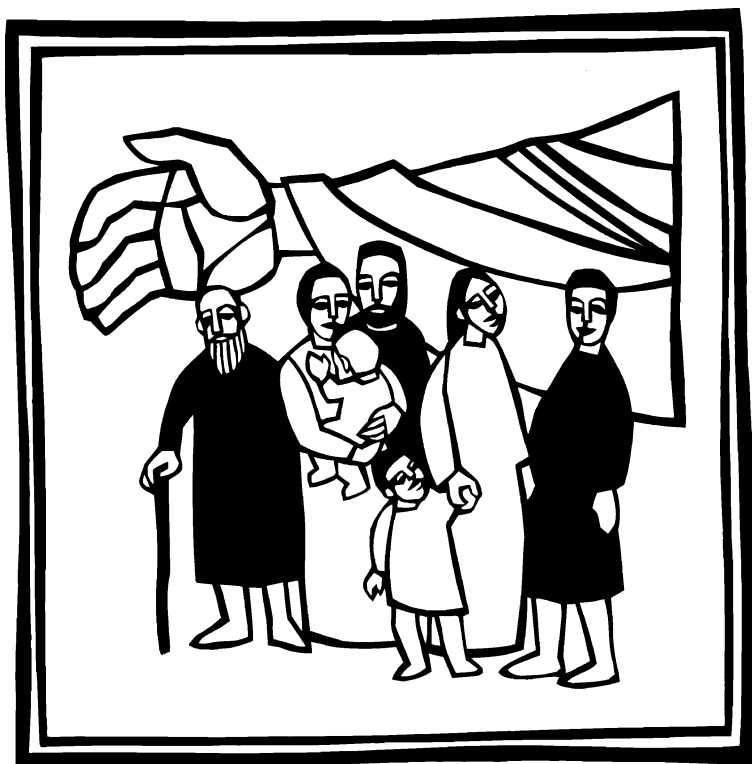


**CHRIST
LUTHERAN
CHURCH**
ZIONSVILLE



2nd Sunday of Lent
God of Creation

March 16, 2025

All members and guests, please fill out the Welcome Form found at the end of your row and pass it on to your neighbor. The pastoral and spiritual care of the members of Christ Church is very important to us. In order to care for all of you, we need to know who is present and who is not. So, please take a moment to sign the pad. The Welcome Forms will be picked up by the ushers at the end of the service.

WELCOME TO CHRIST LUTHERAN CHURCH

Looking for a Church Home?

Mr. Rogers once asked, "Won't you be my neighbor?" Jesus asked, "Who is your neighbor?" At Christ Lutheran Church (CLC) - Zionsville, our answer to Jesus' question is EVERYONE, and to Mr. Rogers - YES.

God calls us to meet people wherever they are in their journey of faith – and that includes YOU!

At Christ Lutheran Church you are welcomed, just as you are:

- Single, committed, married, divorced, lost your partner, still looking or not.
- Every race, nationality, gender identity, gender expression, and sexual orientation
- Ready to join a group or prefer to sit back
- Regardless of knowing a little or a lot about Jesus
- Whether you have left the Church and are returning
- Whether you find yourself on this list or not

We are calling YOU neighbor! Join us!

Children in Worship

Children hold a special place in our congregation! We warmly invite children of all ages to join us in worship. We embrace their natural tendencies to giggle, poke, squirm, and swing their legs - it's all part of being a child and a precious gift to our community.

Our nursery is available from **10:30 to 11:30**, staffed by dedicated caregivers who will lovingly care for infants and toddlers. This allows parents to fully engage in worship, knowing their little ones are in safe hands. The nursery provides age-appropriate toys and a comforting environment, ensuring your child's needs are met while you worship with the congregation.

We respect and support each family's unique circumstances and preferences. Whether your child joins the main worship service or utilizes our nursery, we are here to accommodate and make everyone feel welcome and comfortable.



Please scan QR code if you would like to give an electronic offering.

PRELUDE

Variations on "Amazing Grace"

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CALL TO WORSHIP

(inspired by Matthew 17:1-8, Mark 9:2-9,
Luke 9:28-36, 2 Peter 1:16-18)

Beyond our busyness,
Above the cold winter floor
there is a glory rising born of heaven
and reaching out to each one of us

**C a light that shines through the clouds
an invitation seeking all of who we are
that transfigures the world**

that transforms darkness into hope
that brings life from a cross
where old life ends and new life is born

**C In glory Jesus meets us here
raising us from depths of valley to the height of the mountain
carrying the weight of our humanity
to the heights of heavens glory.**

Let us worship from the mountain and hear again
"This is my Son, my Chosen; listen to him!"

~ written by Rev. Rob Smith, Spirit of Life Presbyterian Church, Apple Valley, MN

LENTEN GATHERING RITE

GATHERING SONG

God of Creation

Soloist sings all verses. Congregation and Soloist sing the refrain (printed)

Soloist: God of creation, Giver of life, be the light in our darkness; grant us peace in our strife.
Show us your mercy; give us new birth. You have made us your children to bear fruit on the earth.

Congregation (refrain):

The musical notation consists of four staves of music in 3/4 time, with a key signature of one flat (Bb). The lyrics are: Ky - ri - e e - le - i - son, Ky - ri - e e - le - i - son, Ky - ri - e e - le - i - son, Ky - ri - e e - le - i - son.

Soloist: Lord, our Redeemer, Healer of souls, be the hope that restores us; with your touch make us whole.

Here we partake in your feast of love; give us strength on our journey with your body and blood.

Congregation (refrain):

Chri - ste e - le - i - son,
Chri - ste e - le - i - son,
Chri - ste e - le - i - son, Chri -
ste e - le - i - son.

Soloist: Spirit most holy, Comforter blest, be the fire that consumes us and our hearts' welcome guest.

Form us, renew us, call us by name. Raise us up from the ashes and create us again.

Congregation (refrain):

Ky - ri - e e - le - i - son,
Ky - ri - e e - le - i - son,
Ky - ri - e e - le - i - son, Ky - ri -
e e - le - i - son.

CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS

P Blessed be the holy Trinity, † one God,
who forgives all our sin,
whose mercy endures forever.

C Amen.

Let us return to God, confessing our sin in the assurance of God's abiding love.

Silence is kept for reflection.

P Compassionate One,
**C you are slow to anger and abounding in steadfast love,
 but our lives do not always reflect you
 and your love for the world.
 We do not show others the tender compassion
 you have shown to us.
 We do not welcome others with the radical hospitality
 you grant to all people.
 We oppress others,
 even though you have set us free again and again.
 We squander the abundant gifts of the earth.
 Transform our lives
 and guide us again in the way of the cross.
 Amen.**

P Beloved in Christ,
 God's arms are always stretched open wide
 to welcome the wandering ones home.
 In † Christ your sins are forgiven.
 You have a place in God's house forever.
C Amen.

SONG OF FORGIVENESS *Soloist sings verses and congregation sings printed refrain.*

Soloist: Lord Jesus Christ, pour out your compassion; grant your people pardon:

Congregation (refrain):

Ky - ri - e e - le - i - son, Ky - ri - e
 e e - le - i - son.

Soloist: Lord Jesus Christ, bring healing and wholeness; give your people comfort:

Congregation (refrain):

Chri - ste e - le - i - son, Chri -
 ste e - le - i - son.

Soloist: Lord Jesus Christ, the source of forgiveness, show your people mercy:

Congregation (refrain):

Ky - ri - e e - le - i - son, Ky - ri - e
e e - le - i - son.

Please stand as you are able.

PROCLAMATION OF FORGIVENESS

P Here is a flood of grace: Out of love for the whole world, God draws near to us, breaks every snare of sin, washes away our wrongs, and restores the promise of life through † Jesus Christ.

C Amen.

Soloist and Congregation sing together:

Up from the ash - es we now a - rise, and re -
turn to our Mak - er who has an - swered our cries.
Know - ing God's mer - cy, we share this meal; through the
Word and the Ta - ble bound-less love is re - vealed.
Ky - ri - e e - le - i - son, Ky - ri - e e -
le - i - son, Ky - ri - e e - le - i - son, Ky - ri -
e e - le - i - son.

LENTEN PAUSE

Moment of Meditation

[Jesus] called them to him, and spoke to them in parables, "How can Satan cast our Satan? If a kingdom is divided against itself, that kingdom cannot stand."

Mark 3:23-24

Please be seated.

ANTHEM

When Twilight Comes
~ Sanctuary Choir ~

Feliciano/Campbell

*When twilight comes and the sun sets, mother hen prepares for night's rest.
As her brood shelters under her wings, she gives the love of God to her nest.
Oh! What joy to feel her warm heartbeat and be near her all night long;
So the young can find repose, then renew tomorrow's song.*

*One day the Rabbi, Lord Jesus, called the twelve to share his last meal.
As the hen tends her young, so for them he spent himself to seek and to heal.
Oh! What joy to be with Christ Jesus, hear His voice, oh! sheer delight,
And receive his servant care, all before the coming night.*

*So gather round once again, friends, touched by fading glow of sun's gold,
And recount all our frail human hopes, the dreams of young and stories of old.
Oh! What joy to pray close together, kneeling as one family,
By a mother's love embraced in the blessed Trinity. When twilight comes.*

WORD

God speaks to us in scripture reading, preaching, and song.

FIRST READING Genesis 15:1-12, 17-18

A reading from Genesis.

¹After these things the word of the Lord came to Abram in a vision, "Do not be afraid, Abram, I am your shield; your reward shall be very great." ²But Abram said, "O Lord God, what will you give me, for I continue childless, and the heir of my house is Eliezer of Damascus?" ³And Abram said, "You have given me no offspring, and so a slave born in my house is to be my heir." ⁴But the word of the Lord came to him, "This man shall not be your heir; no one but your very own issue shall be your heir." ⁵He brought him outside and said, "Look toward heaven and count the stars, if you are able to count them." Then he said to him, "So shall your descendants be." ⁶And he believed the Lord; and the Lord reckoned it to him as righteousness.

⁷Then he said to him, "I am the Lord who brought you from Ur of the Chaldeans, to give you this land to possess." ⁸But he said, "O Lord God, how am I to know that I shall possess it?" ⁹He said to him, "Bring me a heifer three years old, a female goat three years old, a ram three years old, a turtledove, and a young pigeon." ¹⁰He brought him all these and cut them in two, laying each half over against the other; but he did not cut the birds in two. ¹¹And when birds of prey came down on the carcasses, Abram drove them away.

¹²As the sun was going down, a deep sleep fell upon Abram, and a deep and terrifying darkness descended upon him.

¹⁷When the sun had gone down and it was dark, a smoking fire pot and a flaming torch passed between these pieces. ¹⁸On that day the Lord made a covenant with Abram, saying, "To your descendants I give this land, from the river of Egypt to the great river, the river Euphrates."

Word of God, Word of life.

C Thanks be to God.



- ¹ The Lord is my light and my salvation; whom then I shall I fear?
The Lord is the stronghold of my life; of whom shall I be afraid?
- ² **When evildoers close in against me to devour my flesh,
they, my foes and my enemies, will stumble and fall.**
- ³ Though an army encamp against me, my heart will not fear.
Though war rise up against me, my trust will not be shaken.
- ⁴ **One thing I ask of the Lord; one thing I seek;
that I may dwell in the house of the Lord all the days of my life; to gaze upon the beauty
of the Lord and to seek God in the temple.**
- ⁵ For in the day of trouble God will give me shelter,
hide me in the hidden places of the sanctuary, and raise me high up on a rock.
- ⁶ **Even now my head is lifted up above my enemies who surround me.
Therefore I will offer sacrifice in the sanctuary, sacrifices of rejoicing; I will sing and
make music to the Lord.**
- ⁷ Hear my voice, O Lord, when I call;
have mercy on me and answer me.
- ⁸ **My heart speaks your message—“Seek my face.”
Your face, O Lord, I will seek.**
- ⁹ Hide not your face from me, turn not away from your servant in anger.
Cast me not away—you have been my helper; forsake me not, O God of my salvation.
- ¹⁰ **Though my father and my mother forsake me,
the Lord will take me in.**
- ¹¹ Teach me your way, O Lord;
lead me on a level path, because of my oppressors.
- ¹² **Subject me not to the will of my foes,
for they rise up against me, false witnesses breathing violence.**
- ¹³ This I believe—that I will see the goodness of the Lord
in the land of the living!
- ¹⁴ **Wait for the Lord and be strong.
Take heart and wait for the Lord!**

SECOND READING Philippians 3:17-4:1

A reading from Philippians.

¹⁷ Brothers and sisters, join in imitating me, and observe those who live according to the example you have in us. ¹⁸ For many live as enemies of the cross of Christ; I have often told you of them, and now I tell you even with tears. ¹⁹ Their end is destruction; their god is the belly; and their glory is in their shame; their minds are set on earthly things. ²⁰ But our citizenship is in heaven, and it is from there that we are expecting a Savior, the Lord Jesus Christ. ²¹ He will transform the body of our humiliation that it may be conformed to the body of his glory, by the power that also enables him to make all things subject to himself. ^{4:1} Therefore, my brothers and sisters, whom I love and long for, my joy and crown, stand firm in the Lord in this way, my beloved.

Word of God, Word of life.

C Thanks be to God.

Please stand as you are able.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION



Re - turn to the Lord, your God, for he is gra - cious and



mer - ci - ful, slow to an - ger, and a - bound - ing in



stead - fast love, and a - bound - ing in stead - fast love.

GOSPEL Luke 13:31-35

The holy gospel according to Luke.

C Glory to you, O Lord.

³¹At that very hour some Pharisees came and said to [Jesus,] "Get away from here, for Herod wants to kill you." ³²He said to them, "Go and tell that fox for me, 'Listen, I am casting out demons and performing cures today and tomorrow, and on the third day I finish my work. ³³Yet today, tomorrow, and the next day I must be on my way, because it is impossible for a prophet to be killed outside of Jerusalem.' ³⁴Jerusalem, Jerusalem, the city that kills the prophets and stones those who are sent to it! How often have I desired to gather your children together as a hen gathers her brood under her wings, and you were not willing! ³⁵See, your house is left to you. And I tell you, you will not see me until the time comes when you say, 'Blessed is the one who comes in the name of the Lord.'"

The gospel of the Lord.

C Praise to you, O Christ.

Please be seated.

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

Jeannie Phillips

SERMON

Pastor Wes Smith



1 If God my Lord be for me, I may a host de - fy;
 2 I build on this foun - da - tion, that Je - sus and his blood
 3 Christ Je - sus is my splen - dor, my sun, my light, a - lone;
 4 For joy my heart is ring - ing; all sor - row dis - ap - pears;



for when I pray, be - fore me my foes, con - found - ed, fly.
 a - lone are my sal - va - tion, the true, e - ter - nal good.
 were he not my de - fend - er be - fore the judg - ment throne,
 and full of mirth and sing - ing, it wipes a - way all tears.



If Christ, my head and mas - ter, be - friend me from a - bove,
 With - out him all that pleas - es will vain and emp - ty prove.
 I nev - er should find fa - vor and mer - cy in God's sight,
 The sun that cheers my spir - it is Je - sus Christ, my king;



what foe or what di - sas - ter can drive me from his love?
 The gifts I have from Je - sus a - lone are worth my love.
 but be de - stroyed for - ev - er as dark - ness by the light.
 the heav'n I shall in - her - it makes me re - joice and sing.

APOSTLES' CREED

P God has made us his people through our Baptism into Christ. Living together in trust and hope, we confess our faith.

C **I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth.**

I believe in Jesus Christ, God's only Son, our Lord,

who was conceived by the Holy Spirit,

born of the virgin Mary,

suffered under Pontius Pilate,

was crucified, died, and was buried;

he descended to the dead*.

On the third day he rose again;

he ascended into heaven,

he is seated at the right hand of the Father,

and he will come to judge the living and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic Church,**

the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins,

the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

*Or, "he descended into hell," another translation of this text in widespread use. ** meaning the church universal

PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION

Guided by the Spirit, let us draw near to God with our prayers for the church, the world, and all those in need.

A moment of silence.

Holy God, protector of the faithful, extend your grace to all congregations. Strengthen the resolve of your people in these communities so they may courageously proclaim and live out your gospel. God, in your mercy,

C hear our prayer.

Holy God, creator of the cosmos, you have adorned the heavens with stars and the earth with life. Empower the prophets of our time who urge us toward faithful stewardship of your creation. Let their voices rise above the smog of indifference and inspire tangible action for the health of our planet. God, in your mercy,

C hear our prayer.

Holy God, guide of patriarchs and apostles, you called Abram, Sarai, and Paul to trust in your unwavering promises. Instill in today's leaders the same reliance on your truth, that they may pursue justice and prepare a hopeful future for all generations. God, in your mercy,

C hear our prayer.

Holy God, refuge in times of trouble, show your compassion to those suffering in body or spirit, and to all living in fear or desperation. This day we pray especially for **Chip, Steve, Ray, Diane, Tina, Marja, Dave, Bill, Marilyn, Brenda, John, Pat, Mimi, Charlotte, Paige, Michael, Kat, Dorothy, Janice, Patrick, LCFS** and for all those we now name in our hearts or in Your presence. May they feel your comforting presence and know that they are never alone in their struggles. God, in your mercy,

C hear our prayer.

Holy God, builder of the heavenly kingdom, bridge the divisions within communities of faith. Teach us to put aside earthly disagreements and embody the selfless love of your Son, serving our neighbors with open hearts and generous spirits. God, in your mercy,

C hear our prayer.

Holy God, beacon of eternal light, we remember with gratitude Dave Marshall and the saints who have journeyed before us. Inspire us to follow their example, trusting deeply in your grace and living out our faith with courage and conviction. God, in your mercy,

C hear our prayer.

Gather all these prayers, O God, and mold our hearts according to your will. We ask this in the name of Jesus Christ, our Lord, who leads us from death to life.

C Amen.

GREETING OF PEACE

P The peace of the Lord is with you always.

C And also with you.

OFFERING

Please stand as you are able.

Let the Vineyards Be Fruitful

Nelson



Let the vine-yards be fruit-ful, Lord, and fill to the brim our cup of



bless-ing. Gath-er a har-vest from the seeds that were sown, that



we may be fed with the bread of life. Gath-er the hopes and dreams of



all; u-nite them with the prayers we of-fer. Grace our ta-ble



with your pres-ence, and give us a fore-taste of the feast to come.

OFFERING PRAYER

P Let us pray.

Gracious Provider,

you set your immense treasures among us,
opening your heart to the world.

As we prepare to feast on your bountiful love,
deepen our commitment to sharing those
treasures with others,
through our Savior, Jesus Christ.

C Amen.

MEAL

God feeds us with the presence of Jesus Christ.

GREAT THANKSGIVING

DIALOGUE

P The Lord is with you.

C And also with you.

P Lift up your hearts.

C We lift them to the Lord.

P Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

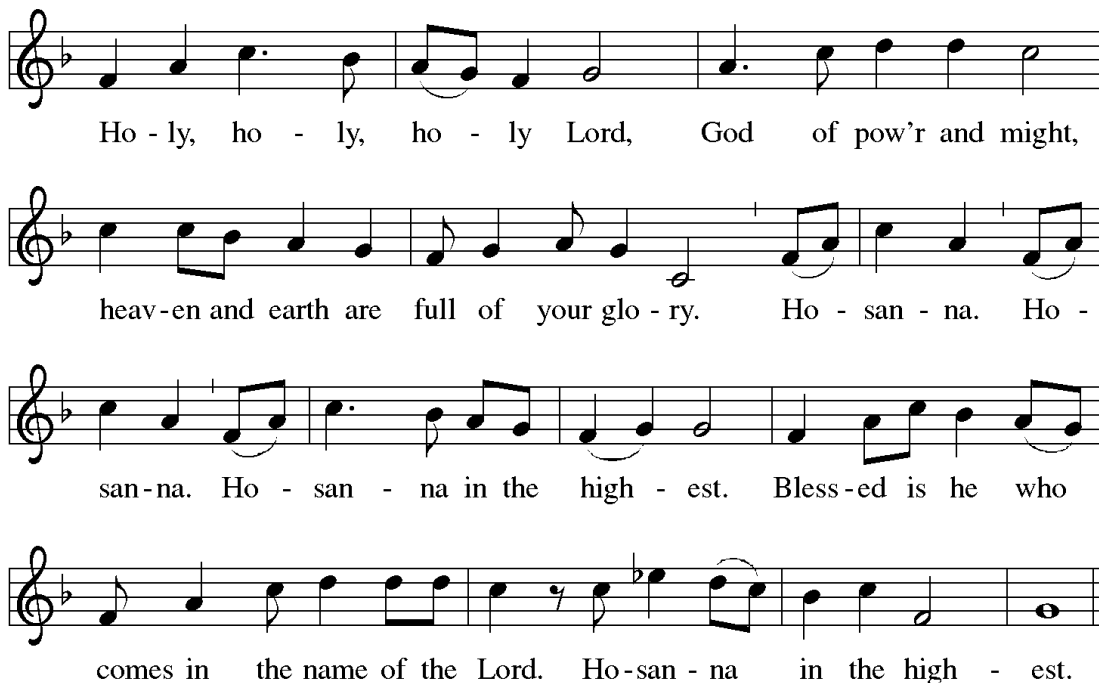
C It is right to give our thanks and praise.

PREFACE

P It is indeed right, our duty and our joy,
that we should at all times and in all places
give thanks and praise to you, almighty and merciful God,
through our Savior Jesus Christ.

By the leading of a star he was shown forth to all nations;
in the waters of the Jordan you proclaimed him your beloved Son;
and in the miracle of water turned to wine he revealed your glory.
And so, with all the choirs of angels,
with the church on earth and the hosts of heaven,
we praise your name and join their unending hymn:

HOLY, HOLY, HOLY



Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord, God of pow'r and might,
heav-en and earth are full of your glo - ry. Ho - san - na. Ho -
san-na. Ho - san - na in the high - est. Bless-ed is he who
comes in the name of the Lord. Ho-san - na in the high - est.

THANKSGIVING AT THE TABLE

P Blessed are you, O God of the universe.
Your mercy is everlasting
and your faithfulness endures from age to age.

Praise to you for creating the heavens and the earth.
Praise to you for saving the earth from the waters of the flood.
Praise to you for bringing the Israelites safely through the sea.
Praise to you for leading your people through the wilderness
to the land of milk and honey.
Praise to you for the words and deeds of Jesus, your anointed one.
Praise to you for the death and resurrection of Christ.
Praise to you for your Spirit poured out on all nations.

In the night in which he was betrayed,
our Lord Jesus took bread, and gave thanks;
broke it, and gave it to his disciples, saying:

Take and eat; this is my body, given for you.
Do this for the remembrance of me.

Again, after supper, he took the cup, gave thanks,
and gave it for all to drink, saying:
This cup is the new covenant in my blood,
shed for you and for all people for the forgiveness of sin.
Do this for the remembrance of me.

With this bread and cup
we remember our Lord's passover from death to life
as we proclaim the mystery of faith:

C Christ has died.

Christ is risen.

Christ will come again.

P O God of resurrection and new life:
Pour out your Holy Spirit on us
and on these gifts of bread and wine.
Bless this feast.

Grace our table with your presence.

C Come, Holy Spirit.

P Reveal yourself to us in the breaking of the bread.
Raise us up as the body of Christ for the world.
Breathe new life into us.

Send us forth,
burning with justice, peace, and love.

C Come, Holy Spirit.

P With your holy ones of all times and places,
with the earth and all its creatures,
with sun and moon and stars,
we praise you, O God,
blessed and holy Trinity,
now and forever. **C Amen.**

LORD'S PRAYER

P Gathered into one by the Holy Spirit, let us pray as Jesus taught us.

C Our Father in heaven,

hallowed be your name,

your kingdom come,

your will be done,

on earth as in heaven.

Give us today our daily bread.

Forgive us our sins

as we forgive those

who sin against us.

**Save us from the time of trial
and deliver us from evil.**

**For the kingdom, the power,
and the glory are yours,
now and forever. Amen.**

INVITATION TO COMMUNION

P All who are hungry, come!
The feast of grace is spread.

COMMUNION

All are welcome to participate in the Lord's Meal. If it's been years, or just a week, the bread and wine/juice and Jesus' presence in, with, and around them are for all. If you have questions about taking your first communion don't hesitate to speak with Pastor Wes.

*Please come forward at the direction of the ushers. When you come forward you will receive a wafer from Pastor Wes and you will hear the words **the body of Christ, given for you**. Once you eat the wafer you are invited to take either wine or juice from the communion assistant and you will hear the words, **the blood of Christ, shed for you**. Once you've communed there is a small receptacle where the used communion cup can be placed.*

COMMUNION SONG

Lamb of God, you take a - way the sin of the world; have
mer-cy on us. Lamb of God, you take a-way the sin of the
world; have mer - cy on us. Lamb of God, you take a - way the
sin of the world; grant us peace.

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

Loving Lord,
at the beginning of this Lenten season,
we are met with the challenge of handing over
every bit of our lives that do not come from You.
To rid ourselves of what clutters our lives,
and all that distracts us from the simple truth
of Your love for us.

Your prophets have called us to change the way we worship—
to make internal sacrifices instead of external ones.

To seek justice, and love kindness,
and walk humbly with You
each and every one of our days.

If we don't give anything up for Lent,
then let us at least give up this:
that we might live cease living in ways that disconnect us from You,
for every one of our steps is like a circle around Your temple.
Perhaps this Lent,
we can give up our way
and give ourselves to Your way for us.

So, lead and guide us on this Lenten way.
May we walk with Jesus toward the hill just outside of Jerusalem.
May we like Him take up our cross and follow,
spending each moment of our lives living responsively to You,
just as Christ Himself did.
For that is the faithful way.

C Amen.

SENDING

God blesses us and sends us in mission to the world.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Please stand as you are able.

BLESSING

P God our tender parent,
God the crucified one,
God the reconciling Spirit,
‡ bless you now and forever.

C Amen.



1 God of grace and God of glo - ry, on your peo - ple
 2 Lo! The hosts of e - vil round us scorn the Christ, as -
 3 Cure your chil - dren's war - ring mad - ness; bend our pride to
 4 Save us from weak res - ig - na - tion to the e - vils



pour your pow'r; crown your an - cient chur - ch's sto - ry;
 sail his ways! From the fears that long have bound us
 your con - trol; shame our wan - ton, self - ish glad - ness,
 we de - plore; let the gift of your sal - va - tion



bring its bud to glo - rious flow'r. Grant us wis - dom, grant us cour - age
 free our hearts to faith and praise. Grant us wis - dom, grant us cour - age
 rich in things and poor in soul. Grant us wis - dom, grant us cour - age,
 be our glo - ry ev - er - more. Grant us wis - dom, grant us cour - age,



for the fac - ing of this hour, for the fac - ing of this hour.
 for the liv - ing of these days, for the liv - ing of these days.
 lest we miss your king - dom's goal, lest we miss your king - dom's goal.
 serv - ing you whom we a - dore, serv - ing you whom we a - dore.

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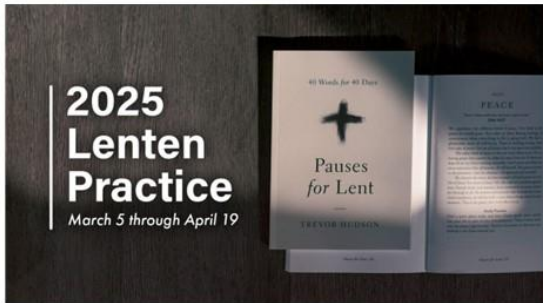
P Go in peace. Care for others as God cares for you.

C Thanks be to God.

POSTLUDE***Pavanne*****Chairibonnières**

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10:30 am Sunday Worship



Pauses for Lent

If you haven't picked one up yet, feel free to take a "Pauses for Lent" booklet from the Narthex.

Faith Formation

All children pre-K to 5th grade will meet with Jen McKinzie.

No Confirmation.

Adult Education Acts Study with Pastor Wes will meet in the Luther Room.

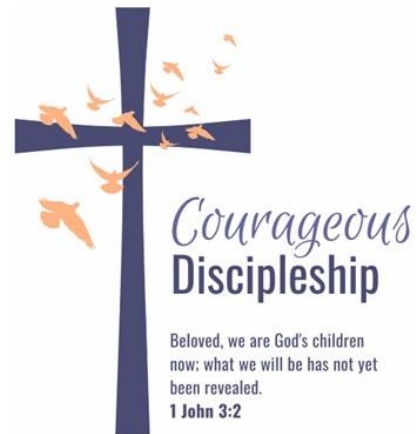
Middle School & High School Youth can join the adults or help with the younger kids.

Pacers Game - Apr 4

Enjoy basketball? Join us as we watch the Pacers play the Jazz on April 4 at 7 PM. We have reservations for a group of at least 24 seats in section 207 rows 8-10. Ticket prices are \$34. For further information contact Kristen Hess or Mark Balaska.

Stewardship 2025

Pledge Sunday is on March 16th. Thank you for your prayerful consideration of this year's pledge.



REMEMBER IN PRAYER

Steve (Brian Stewart's Dad) - for successful surgery & recovery from triple bypass surgery

Ray - for healing & strength

Tina - for hope, healing & strength during radiation treatments

Diane - (Rose Conrad's sister) for healing from 2nd hip replacement surgery

Tom - for healing

Dave - for comfort, peace, hope & healing

Marilyn - for strength, courage, and peace

Brenda (mother of Brian Burke, former member) - for healing & recovery from a fall & surgery

Pat - for healing, peace and patience during healing

John - for peace & healing

Charlotte - (granddaughter of friend of Jeffer's) for peace & strength

Marja & Landshultz family- for healing & strength for Marja's broken hip

Linda Nodley's parents- for comfort & peace

Paige- (Pastor's neighbor) for healing & peace during cancer treatment

Michael- (Joe Travis's cousin) for courage, strength, & peace to overcome bladder cancer

Kat- for healing

Mimi - (friend of the Jeffers) for healing

Janice- for healing

Patrick- (Linda Callecod's brother) for peace & good doctors LCFS

Our members who are homebound- Dorothy Keller

Prayer Chain (sent via email) requests, contact Donna Svoboda at donnasvo@gmail.com or 260-312-6089.

Prayer Group (meets at Christ Lutheran Church) requests, contact JoAnne Tuffnell at joannetuffnell@gmail.com or 317-767-1795.



Easter Lilies

Celebrate the resurrection of our Lord by sponsoring an Easter Lily! Please sign up on the Narthex bulletin board. Be sure to include a dedication. The cost is \$8/plant and you can take the lily home after the service on Easter Sunday. These lilies are hardy in Indiana! After you have enjoyed them in your home, you can plant the bulb in your garden and it will bloom again for many years. If you are interested in having any unclaimed lilies for your garden, please contact Barb Burkhardt. Questions? Contact Barb Burkhardt at sparky8505@att.net



Interested in Joining Christ Church?

Have you been attending our church for a while now? Are you interested in officially becoming a member? Email Pastor Wes at pastor@clczionsville.org to find out the next steps! We'd love to have you as a part of our church family!

Welcome to Christ Lutheran Church!

CLC Governance Board has drafted a Welcome Statement that serves as one of our guiding principles. This statement is housed on our website under the Who We Are page. We encourage you to keep this in mind every time you join us at church.

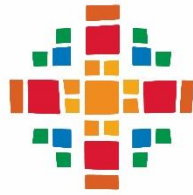
Mr. Rogers once asked, "Won't you be my neighbor"? Jesus asked, "Who is your neighbor"? At Christ Lutheran Church (CLC) - Zionsville, our answer to Jesus' question is EVERY-ONE, and to Mr. Rogers - YES.

God calls us to meet people wherever they are in their journey of faith – and that includes YOU!

At Christ Lutheran Church you are welcomed, just as you are:

- Single, committed, married, divorced, lost your partner, still looking or not.
- Every race, nationality, gender identity, gender expression, and sexual orientation
- Ready to join a group or prefer to sit back
- Regardless of knowing a little or a lot about Jesus
- Whether you have left the Church and are returning
- Whether you find yourself on this list or not

We are calling YOU neighbor! Join us!



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SERVING US AT WORSHIP THIS SUNDAY

Pastor: Rev. Wesley Smith, III
Director of Music & Organist: Rhonda Blacklock

Cantor:	Tina Bergner
Lector:	Tony Firmani
Communion Assistant:	John Burkhardt
Greeter:	Barbara Starkey
Usher:	Connie Niessink
Nursery:	Jess Smith
Hospitality:	Gretchen Jeffers, Chris Emsley
Financial Assistants:	Anne Behrend, Linda Callecod
Altar Guild:	Margie Kilgus, Deb Gates, Jen Luczak, JoAnne Tuffnell
AV Assistant:	Ray Boucher

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