

Epiphany Lutheran Church Online Worship – Connecting People to Christ and One Another!



+ **The Fifth Week of Lent** +

March 25, 2020

+ **Passionate Prayer** +

“WHEN YOU ARE UNWORTHY”

Invocation

P: In the Name of the Father, and of the Son
and of the Holy Spirit.

C: **Amen!**

The Short Lesson

P: *A brief reflection and prayer.*

P: Jesus said, “Keep watch” (Matthew 25:13). Scripture warns us that our adversary, the devil, prowls about like a roaring lion, seeking someone to devour. (1 Peter 5:8)

C: **Have mercy on us and be with us, O Lord.**

P: Our help is in the name of the Lord.

C: **Who made heaven and earth.**

The Confession

Psalm 32, (ESV)

P: Blessed is the one whose transgression is forgiven,
whose sin is covered.

C: **Blessed is the man against whom the LORD counts no iniquity, and in whose spirit there is no deceit.**

P: For when I kept silent, my bones wasted away
through my groaning all day long.

**C: For day and night your hand was heavy upon me;
my strength was dried up as by the heat of summer.**

P: I acknowledged my sin to you,
and I did not cover my iniquity;

**C: I said, "I will confess my transgressions to the LORD,"
and you forgave the iniquity of my sin.**

P: Therefore let everyone who is godly
offer prayer to you at a time when you may be found;

**C: surely in the rush of great waters,
they shall not reach him.**

P: You are a hiding place for me;
you preserve me from trouble;

C: you surround me with shouts of deliverance.

P: I will instruct you and teach you in the way you should go;
I will counsel you with my eye upon you.

**C: Be not like a horse or a mule, without understanding,
which must be curbed with bit and bridle,
or it will not stay near you.**

P: Many are the sorrows of the wicked,
but steadfast love surrounds the one who trusts in the
LORD.

**C: Be glad in the LORD, and rejoice, O righteous,
and shout for joy, all you upright in heart!**

The Scripture Lessons

Psalm 71:1-12

Mathew 26:69-27:10

The Message

“When You Are Unworthy”

Luke 23:42

Psalm 46 (ESV)

- P: God is our refuge and strength,
a very present help in trouble.
- C: Therefore we will not fear though
the earth gives way, though the mountains
be moved into the heart of the sea,**
- P: though its waters roar and foam,
though the mountains tremble at its swelling.
- C: There is a river whose streams make glad the city of
God, the holy habitation of the Most High.**
- P: God is in the midst of her; she shall not be moved;
God will help her when morning dawns.
- C: The nations rage, the kingdoms totter;
he utters his voice, the earth melts.**
- P: The LORD of hosts is with us;
the God of Jacob is our fortress.
- C: Come, behold the works of the LORD,
how he has brought desolations on the earth.**
- P: He makes wars cease to the end of the earth;
he breaks the bow and shatters the spear;
- C: he burns the chariots with fire.**
- P: “Be still, and know that I am God.
- C: I will be exalted among the nations,
I will be exalted in the earth!”**
- P: The LORD of hosts is with us;
- C: the God of Jacob is our fortress.**

We Pray

P: *Prayer*

The Lord's Prayer

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. For Thine is the kingdom, and the power and the glory, forever and ever. Amen.

P: The almighty and merciful Lord, the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit, bless and keep us.

C: **Amen.**

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Serving this Evening: Pastor Arthur Werzner

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