

THE FIRST SUNDAY IN  
**LENT**



CREATE IN ME A CLEAN HEART, O GOD;  
AND RENEW A RIGHT SPIRIT WITHIN ME.

PSALM 51:10

**KING OF KINGS LUTHERAN CHURCH**  
**DIVINE SERVICE**

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March 10, 2019 - 8:30 AM

## PRESERVICE MUSIC

## PASTOR'S WELCOME

## OPENING HYMN

"Lord of Our Life"

LSB 659 Vs. 1-4

## THE INVOCATION

P: In the name of the Father and of the ☩ Son and of the Holy Spirit.

C: **Amen.**

P: "No temptation has seized you except what is common to man. And God is faithful; He will not let you be tempted beyond what you can bear.

C: **But when you are tempted, He will also provide a way out so that you can stand up under it."** [1 Cor 10:13]

P: "For we do not have a high priest who is unable to sympathize with our weaknesses, but we have one who has been tempted in every way, just as we are—yet was without sin." [Heb 4:15]

C: **"Because He himself suffered when He was tempted, He is able to help those who are being tempted."** [Heb 2:18]

## CONFESSION AND ABSOLUTION

P: If we say we have no sin, we deceive ourselves, and the truth is not in us.

C: **But if we confess our sins, God, who is faithful and just, will forgive our sins and cleanse us from all unrighteousness.**

*(silence for reflection)*

P: Let us then confess our sins to God our Father.

C: **Most merciful God, we confess that we are by nature sinful and unclean. We have sinned against You in thought, word and deed, by what we have done and by what we have left undone. We have not loved You with our whole heart: we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. We justly deserve Your present and eternal punishment. For the sake of Your Son, Jesus Christ, have mercy on us. Forgive us, renew us, and lead us, so that we may delight in Your will and walk in Your ways to the glory of Your holy name. Amen.**

P: Almighty God in His mercy has given His Son to die for you and for His sake forgives you all your sins. As a called and ordained servant of Christ, and by His authority, I therefore forgive you all your sins in the name of the Father and of the ☩ Son and of the Holy Spirit.

## THE KYRIE

P: In peace let us pray to the Lord.

C: **Lord, have mercy.**

P: For the peace from above and for our salvation let us pray to the Lord.

C: **Lord, have mercy.**

P: For the peace of the whole world, for the well-being of the Church of God, and for the unity of all let us pray to the Lord.

**C: Lord, have mercy.**

P: For this holy house and for all who offer here their worship and praise let us pray to the Lord.

**C: Lord, have mercy.**

P: Help, save, comfort, and defend us, gracious Lord.

**C: Amen.**

## **HYMN OF PRAISE**

*"This is the Feast"*

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## **PRAYER OF THE DAY**

P: The Lord be with you.

**C: And also with you.**

P: Let us pray: O Lord God, You led Your ancient people through the wilderness and brought them to the promised land.

**C: Guide the people of Your Church that following our Savior we may walk through the wilderness of this world toward the glory of the world to come; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen**

## **READINGS**

**The First Lesson**

**Deuteronomy 26:1-11**

Pew Bible, page 311

**The Second Lesson**

**Romans 10:8b-13**

Pew Bible, page 1760

**The Gospel Lesson**

**Luke 4:1-13**

Pew Bible, page 1595

P: This is the Word of the Lord

**C: Thanks be to God.**

## **MESSAGE HYMN**

*"O Sing to the Lord"*

LSB 808 Vs. 1-2

## **MESSAGE**

Pastor Paul Birner

## **NICENE CREED**

## **OFFERING**

## **OFFERING HYMN**

*"Let the Vineyards Be Fruitful"*

LSB page 955

## **PRAYERS AND SPECIAL PETITIONS**

**Baptismal Anniversaries:** J.J. Moran – March 11, Anna Both – March 13, Tabissa Both – March 13, Kristi Dyson – March 14, Ruth Pitts – March 15, Chris Dalla Santa – March 16, Nathan Dalla Santa – March 16

## **LORD'S PRAYER**

## THE SERVICE OF THE SACRAMENT

P: The Lord be 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 Him thanks and praise.**

P: It is truly good, right, and salutary... evermore praising You and singing:

## SANCTUS

*"Holy, Holy, Holy"*

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## WORDS OF INSTITUTION

At King of Kings, we welcome at Holy Communion all baptized Christians who believe that Jesus Christ is present in this Sacrament and that forgiveness of sins is given in it. Children who have not yet been instructed to receive Holy Communion and those who are not yet baptized are invited to come forward to receive a blessing. Please see the Pastor if you have further questions.

## AGNUS DEI

*"Lamb of God"*

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## COMMUNION HYMNS

*"O Living Bread From Heaven"*

LSB 642 Vs 1-4

## POST COMMUNION CANTICLE

*"Thank the Lord"*

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## POST COMMUNION COLLECT

P: Gracious God, our heavenly Father, You have given us a foretaste of the feast to come in the Holy Supper of Your Son's body and blood.

C: **Keep us firm in the true faith throughout our days of pilgrimage that, on the day of His coming, we may, together with all Your saints, celebrate the marriage feast of the Lamb in His kingdom which has no end;**

P: through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

C: **Amen.**

## BLESSING

## CLOSING HYMN

*"Lord, Keep Us Steadfast in Your Word"*

LSB 655 Vs. 1-3

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*The flowers this Sunday are given to the glory of God  
By Sarah Edwards and family in memory of her mother Ruth Wagner.*

If your worship is more comfortable while seated, you are welcome to do so.

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