

THE SECOND SUNDAY IN LENT

TRULY, TRULY, I SAY TO
YOU, UNLESS ONE
IS BORN AGAIN HE
CANNOT SEE THE
KINGDOM OF GOD.

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KING OF KINGS LUTHERAN CHURCH
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The Second Sunday in Lent
March 8, 2020 - 11:00 AM

PRESERVICE MUSIC & OPENING SONG

PASTOR'S WELCOME & GREETING

WORSHIP SONGS

INVOCATION AND PRAYER OF THE DAY

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

C: **Amen.**

P: "How great is the love the Father has lavished on us, that we should be called children of God! And that is what we are." [1 John 3:1]

C: **"No one has ever seen God; but if we love one another, God lives in us and His love is made complete in us."** [1 John 4:12]

P: "This is love for God: to obey His commands.

C: **And His commands are not burdensome."** [1 John 5:2-3]

P: "And so we know and rely on the love God has for us. God is love. Whoever lives in love lives in God, and God in him." [1 John 4:16]

C: **"We love because He first loved us."** [1 John 4:19]

CHILDREN'S CHURCH

READINGS

The First Lesson

Genesis 12:1-9

Pew Bible, page 17

The Second Lesson

Romans 4:1-8

Pew Bible, page 1751

The Gospel Lesson

John 3:1-17

Pew Bible, page 1649

MESSAGE

Pastor Paul Birner

OFFERING

CONFESSION AND ABSOLUTION

P: Beloved in the Lord! Let us draw near with a true heart and confess our sins unto God, our Father, beseeching Him in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ to grant us forgiveness. Our help is in the name of the Lord.

C: “He does not treat us as our sins deserve or repay us according to our iniquities.

P: For as high as the heavens are above the earth, so great is His love for those who fear Him;

C: **As far as the east is from the west, so far does He remove our transgressions from us.”** [Ps 103:10-12]

P: “Put your hope in the Lord, for with the Lord is unfailing love.

C: **And with the Lord is full redemption.”** [Ps 130, 4, 7]

P: Let us confess our transgressions unto the Lord.

C: **O almighty God, merciful Father, I, a poor, miserable sinner, confess unto You all my sins and iniquities with which I have ever offended You and justly deserved Your temporal and eternal punishment. But I am heartily sorry for them and sincerely repent of them, and I pray You of Your boundless mercy and for the sake of the holy, innocent, bitter sufferings and death of Your beloved Son, Jesus Christ, to be gracious and merciful to me, a poor, sinful being.**

P: Upon this your confession, I, by virtue of my office, as a called and ordained servant of the Word, announce the grace of God unto all of you, and in the stead and by the command of our Lord Jesus Christ; I forgive you all your sins in the name of the Father and of the Son ☩ and of the Holy Spirit.

C: **Amen.**

PRAYERS

P: Let us pray for the whole people of God in Christ Jesus, and for all people according to their needs. “Let all who take refuge in You be glad; let them ever sing for joy.

C: **Spread your protection over them, that those who love Your name may rejoice in You.”** [Ps 5:11]

*Special Prayers will be made at this time
Petitions will end with the words, “Lord in Your mercy”
The congregation may respond, “Hear our prayer.”*

P: Into Your hands we commend all for whom we pray, trusting in Your mercy; through Your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord, who taught us to pray

C: **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.**

Baptismal Anniversaries: Suzy Hennig – March 8, Liz Bunker – March 9, J.J. Moran – March 11, Anna Both – March 13, Tabissa Both – March 13, Kristi Dyson – March 14

THE APOSTLE’S CREED

BENEDICTION

- P: "I pray that you, being rooted and established in love, may have power, together with all the saints, to grasp how wide and long and high and deep is the love of Christ." [Eph 3:16-18]
- C: **"No eye has seen, no ear has heard, no mind has conceived what God has prepared for those who love Him; but God has revealed it to us by His Spirit."** [1 Cor 2:9-10]
- P: "To the only God our Savior be glory, majesty, power and authority, through Jesus Christ our Lord, before all ages, now and forevermore! Amen." [Jude 24-25]
- C: **The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, † the love of God the Father, and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit, be with us all. Amen.**

CLOSING SONG

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*The flowers this Sunday are given to the glory of God
By Rick and Cindy Reishus in thanksgiving for all God's Blessings.*

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Large print bulletins are available from the ushers.