

THE FOURTH SUNDAY IN LENT

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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: "We live by faith, not by sight." [2 Cor 5:7] "And without faith it is impossible to please God,

C: **Because anyone who comes to Him must believe that He exists and that He rewards those who earnestly seek Him.**" [Heb 11:6]

P: "Salvation is found in no one else, for there is no other name under heaven given to men by which we must be saved." [Acts 4:12]

C: **"Everyone who believes that Jesus is the Christ is born of God."** [1 John 5:1]

P: "If you confess with your mouth, 'Jesus is Lord,' and believe in your heart that God raised Him from the dead, you will be saved." [Romans 10:9]

C: **And this is His command: to believe in the name of His Son, Jesus Christ, and to love one another as He commanded us.** [1 John 3:23]

READINGS

The First Lesson

Isaiah 42:14-21

Pew Bible Page 1125

The Second Lesson

Ephesians 5:8-14

Pew Bible Page 1822

The Gospel Lesson

John 9:1-7, 13-17, 34-39

Pew Bible Page 1664

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, trusting Him in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ to forgive our sins.

C: The Bible says, “If we claim to be without sin, we deceive ourselves and the truth is not in us.” [1 John 1:8]

P: The Bible also says, “If we confess our sins, God is faithful and just and will forgive us our sins and purify us from all unrighteousness.” [1 John 1:9]

C: “Help us, O God our Savior, for the glory of Your name; deliver us and forgive our sins for Your name’s sake.” [Ps 79:9]

A Moment of Silence

P: Let us confess our sins. Merciful God,

C: We confess to You that we are by nature sinful, rebellious and live lives contrary to Your law.

P: We have gone our own way, listened to lies instead of the truth, and sought to live life on our own terms.

C: Forgive us our many sins of thought, word, and action. For the sake of Jesus, save us from the guilt we have incurred and the punishment we deserve.

P: Glorify the Lord with me and rejoice in Jesus our Savior. Jesus died for your sins and rose again triumphant on the third day. God exalted Him to His own right hand as Prince and Savior that He might give repentance and forgiveness of sins to all believers. [Acts 5:31] 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.

C: Amen.

PRAYERS

P: Let us pray for the whole people of God in Christ Jesus, and for all people according to their needs. “The Lord is my light and my salvation— whom shall I fear?”

C: The Lord is the stronghold of my life—of whom shall I be afraid?” [Ps 27:1]

*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: Katie Finley – March 22, Diana Antrim – March 24, Biel Biel – March 24, Kewan Chuol – March 26, Zaire Chuol – March 26, Jacob Lul – March 26

THE APOSTLE’S CREED

BENEDICTION

P: Praise be to the Lord,

C: For He has heard my cry for mercy.

P: The Lord is my strength and my shield;

C: My heart trusts in Him, and I am helped.

P: My heart leaps for joy

C: And I will give thanks to Him in song.

P: The Lord is the strength of His people,

C: A fortress of salvation for His anointed one.

P: Save Your people and bless Your inheritance;

C: Be their shepherd and carry them forever. [Ps 28:6-9]

CLOSING SONG

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*The flowers this Sunday are given to the glory of God
By Thomas and Jennifer Youn.*

If your worship is more comfortable while seated, you are welcome to do so.
Large print bulletins are available from the ushers.