

*Our mission is to glorify God as we seek to make disciples of all nations
by bringing the gospel of Jesus Christ to all people within and outside
of the one holy Christian Church.*

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The Fourth Sunday in Lent

March 14, 2021

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The Sermon: *From Death to Life*

The Text: *Ephesians 2:1-10*

The Anthem: *"There is A Balm/Were You There"*

Beth Hahn - Clarinet

The Opening Hymn "By Grace I'm Saved" LSB **566**

The Sermon Hymn "We Sing the Praise" LSB **429**

The Communion Hymns (8:00 a.m.)

"Lift High the Cross" LSB **837**

"What is This Bread" LSB **641**

The Closing Hymn "God Loved the World" LSB **517**

This Week at St. Johns

Monday	Staff Meeting	8:45 AM
Monday	Blood Drive	11:30 AM - 6:00 PM
Tuesday	Blood Drive	8:00 AM - 2:00 PM
Tuesday	Bible Study - <i>1 Thessalonians</i>	8:30 AM
Tuesday	TOPS	9:00 AM
Wednesday	Bible Study - <i>Keeping the Story</i>	10:30 AM
Wednesday	Lenten Service	NOON
Wednesday	Confirmation	3:15 PM
Wednesday	Lenten Service	5:30 PM
Wednesday	Choir Practice	6:30 PM
Thursday	Cub Scouts	6:00 PM

Next Sunday

Worship	8:00 AM
Sunday School	9:15 AM
Bible Study	9:30 AM
Worship (Comm.)	10:30 AM

FLOWERS ON THE ALTAR this morning were given by Jan Belshan in honor of our pastors and our St. Johns Family. The flowers on the stand by the lectern were placed in loving recognition of Jan Belshan's birthday by her family.

ON MAIN STREET LIVING NORTH: Today Rev. Larry Harvala, Grace Lutheran, Sebeka, Zion Lutheran, North Germany Township, and Nimrod Lutheran, Nimrod, presents the message: "Behold and Live," based on Numbers 21:9. "This is the Life" episode: "Time Out for Bill." What is proper when Christians face adversity is discussed in this episode. Main Street Living is broadcast Sundays at 9:00 a.m. on KVRP Fargo-Moorhead or watch any time online at www.mainstreetliving.com, "North (Fargo)."

LISTEN to the Lutheran Hour Sundays on KPRM 870 AM at 9:30 a.m., or KTIG 102.7 and 95.9 FM at 5:00 p.m. You can also listen on Sirius XM Family Talk Channel 133 on Sunday at 9:00 a.m. or any time on lhm.org/sentradio. Today's sermon is "Widow's Mite."

TODAY'S Sunday School lesson is "The Fearless Shepherd - David and Goliath."

VIDEO GAME TOURNAMENT: 5th-12th graders are invited to join us today from noon-2:00 p.m. Pizza lunch provided. Bring a friend. Sign up by the office.

WE ARE hosting the Vitalant blood drive tomorrow, **11:30 a.m. – 6:00 p.m. and Tuesday, March 16, 8:00 a.m. – 2:30 p.m.** Please consider donating. Call Elayne Luiken at 255-4865 to schedule an appointment, or sign up online at www.bloodhero.com, sponsor code: parkrapids.

LENTEN SERVICES continue this Wednesday with services at noon and 5:30 p.m. This week is “Glaucoma - Pilate.”

THANK YOU to everyone for the prayers and cards following my surgery. I am feeling fine! - ***Phyllis Skottegard***

EASTER BREAKFAST will be available for take out this year. Menu options include cinnamon rolls, caramel rolls (with or without nuts) and egg bake. Place your order on the sheet by the office by April 1. Orders may be picked Easter Sunday morning. Freewill offering for the 2022 Youth Gathering.

HELP DECORATE the church for Easter by purchasing a lily. Cost is \$8.00 each. If you would like to purchase lilies, sign up on the sheet by the church office. Lilies may be taken home after the 10:30 a.m. service Easter morning.

SIGN UP FOR EASTER WORSHIP: COVID restrictions are easing up but just to be safe we plan to have sign up for Easter worship services at 8:00 and 10:30 a.m. You can reserve a pew online at our website or by calling the church office.

LENTEN SERVICE 3-3: Att.: Noon - 35. 5:30 - 56. Total - 91. Offering: Lent - \$1,040.00. Kitchen - \$40.00. Total - \$1,080.00.

SUNDAY SCHOOL: Att.: 17. Offering: \$7.05.

LAST SUNDAY: Att.: 8:00 - 87. 10:30 - 33. Total - 120. Offering: Unified (Envelopes) - \$10,973.23. Unified (Electronic) - \$1,610.00. Plate - \$352.00. Kitchen - \$100.00. Healthy Balance - \$200.00. Total - \$13,235.23.