## **Shadows of the Savior - Lent 5**

Trinity Lutheran Church March 25, 2020 7:00 p.m.

Hymn: "Glory Be to Jesus" LSB 433

- 1 Glory be to Jesus, Who in bitter pains Poured for me the lifeblood From His sacred veins!
- 2 Grace and life eternal In that blood I find; Blest be His compassion, Infinitely kind!
- 3 Blest through endless ages
  Be the precious stream
  Which from endless torment
  Did the world redeem!

- 4 Abel's blood for vengeance Pleaded to the skies; But the blood of Jesus For our pardon cries.
- 5 Oft as earth exulting
  Wafts its praise on high,
  Angel hosts rejoicing
  Make their glad reply.
- 6 Lift we, then, our voices,
  Swell the mighty flood;
  Louder still and louder
  Praise the precious blood!

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#### **STAND**

- P: In the past God spoke to our forefathers through the prophets at many times and in various ways,
- C: But in these last days he has spoken to us by his Son.
- P: Let us fix our eyes on Jesus, the author and perfecter of our faith, whofor the joy set before him endured the cross, scorning its shame,
- C: And sat down at the right hand of the throne of God.
- P: Since we have a great priest over the house of God, let us draw near to God with a sincere heart in full assurance of faith, having our hearts sprinkled
- C: To cleanse us from a guilty conscience.
- P: Let us then approach the throne of grace with confidence, so that we may receive mercy
- C: And find grace to help us in our time of need.

### **Prayer**

- P: Lord God, your ancient ordinances and prophecies trained and prepared your people for the coming Christ.
- C: Turn our attention away from the weariness of our suffering to his supreme agony on the cross. Help us trust that in all things you work for the good of those who love you. Shelter us now and always in the shadow of the cross, through Jesus Christ, our living Savior, who reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.

### BE SEATED

# Psalm—Psalm 34 Read responsively by the whole verse.

- 1 I will bless the LORD at | all times;\* his praise shall continually be | in my mouth.
- 2 My soul makes its boast | in the LORD;\* let the humble hear | and be glad.
- 3 Oh, magnify the | LORD with me,\* and let us exalt his name to- | gether!
- 4 I sought the LORD, and he | answered me\*

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## and delivered me from | all my fears.

- 5 Those who look to him are | radiant,\* and their faces shall never | be ashamed.
- 6 This poor man cried, and the LORD | heard him\* and saved him out of all his | troubles.
- 7 The angel of the LORD encamps around those who | fear him,\* and de- | livers them.
- 8 Oh, taste and see that the | LORD is good!\*
  Blessèd is the man who takes ref- | uge in him!
- 9 Oh, fear the LORD, | you his saints,\* for those who fear him | have no lack!
- 10 The young lions suffer want and | hunger;\* but those who seek the LORD lack | no good thing.
- 11 Come, O children, lis- | ten to me;\*
  I will teach you the fear | of the LORD.
- 12 What man is there who de- | sires life\* and loves many days, that he may | see good?
- 13 Keep your tongue from | evil\* and your lips from speak- | ing deceit.
- 14 Turn away from evil | and do good;\* seek peace and pur- | sue it.
- 15 The eyes of the LORD are toward the | righteous\* and his ears | toward their cry.
- 16 The face of the LORD is against those who do | evil,\* to cut off the memory of them | from the earth.
- 17 When the righteous cry for help, the | LORD hears\* and delivers them out of all their | troubles.
- 18 The LORD is near to the broken- | hearted\* and saves the crushed in | spirit.
- 19 Many are the afflictions of the | righteous,\* but the LORD delivers him out | of them all.
- 20 He keeps | all his bones;\* not one of them is | broken.
- 21 Affliction will slay the | wicked,\* and those who hate the righteous will | be condemned.
- 22 The LORD redeems the life of his | servants;\*
  none of those who take refuge in him will | be condemned.
  Glory be to the Father and | to the Son\*
  and to the Holy | Spirit;
  as it was in the be- | ginning,\*
  is now, and will be forever. | Amen.

#### **Psalm Prayer**

- P: Dearest Lord, helper of the weary and the brokenhearted, we have tasted and seen that you are good and ready to help in time of trouble. Calm our minds with peace and make us radiant with joy; through your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord.
- C: Amen.

Reading: A Harmony of the Gospels\*

Jesus on trial before Pilate

# **Seasonal Response**

All we like sheep have gone astray, and the Lord has laid on him the iniquity of us all. By his wounds we are healed.

Hymn "Jesus, Refuge of the Weary"

**LSB 423** 

- 1 Jesus, refuge of the weary,
  Blest Redeemer, whom we love,
  Fountain in life's desert dreary,
  Savior from the world above:
  Often have Your eyes, offended,
  Gazed upon the sinner's fall;
  Yet upon the cross extended,
  You have borne the pain of all.
- 2 Do we pass that cross unheeding, Breathing no repentant vow, Though we see You wounded, bleeding, See Your thorn-encircled brow?

Yet Your sinless death has brought us Life eternal, peace, and rest; Only what Your grace has taught us Calms the sinner's deep distress.

3 Jesus, may our hearts be burning
With more fervent love for You;
May our eyes be ever turning
To behold Your cross anew
Till in glory, parted never
From the blessèd Savior's side,
Graven in our hearts forever,
Dwell the cross, the Crucified.

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Sermon " Shadows of the Savior - The Bread from Heaven"

Hymn "Love In Christ is Strong and Living"

**LSB 706** 

1 Love in Christ is strong and living, Binding faithful hearts in one; Love in Christ is true and giving. May His will in us be done.

2 Love is patient and forbearing, Clothed in Christ's humility, Gentle, selfless, kind, and caring, Reaching out in charity. 3 Love in Christ abides forever, Fainting not when ills attend; Love, forgiving and forgiven, Shall endure until life's end.

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#### **Prayer**

- P: Lord Jesus, you are the living bread that came from heaven, the bread given for the life of the world.
- C: We give thanks that you have invited us to feast on the bread of your salvation, to taste and see that you are good.
- P: Bless our congregation and its proclamation of your life and work. In all our activities, help us spread the banquet table of your salvation and invite all to partake of your heavenly food.
- C: Feed us with the food that satisfies and nourishes. May it invigorate us for thanksgiving, praise, and service.

P: Help us reach souls hungry for your bread of life,

C: That they may feed on your Word and live forever with you.

# Lord's Prayer

#### **Benediction**

P: The Lord bless you and keep you; the Lord make His face shine upon you and be gracious to you; the Lord turn His face toward you and + give you peace

C: Amen.

Closing Hymn "Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah"

LSB 918

- 1 Guide me, O Thou great Redeemer,
  Pilgrim through this barren land.
  I am weak, but Thou art mighty;
  Hold me with Thy pow'rful hand.
  Bread of heaven, bread of heaven,
  Feed me till I want no more;
  Feed me till I want no more.
- 2 Open now the crystal fountain Whence the healing stream doth flow; Let the fiery, cloudy pillar Lead me all my journey through. Strong deliv'rer, strong deliv'rer, Be Thou still my strength and shield; Be Thou still my strength and shield.
- 3 When I tread the verge of Jordan,
  Bid my anxious fears subside;
  Death of death and hell's destruction,
  Land me safe on Canaan's side.
  Songs of praises, songs of praises
  I will ever give to Thee;
  I will ever give to Thee.

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