### Offering

March 2 - \$1545 March 5 - \$825

#### **Those Assisting Us Today**

Organist: Alicia Haggin John Haggin Elder: Don Warsaw Altar Guild: Susan Martin

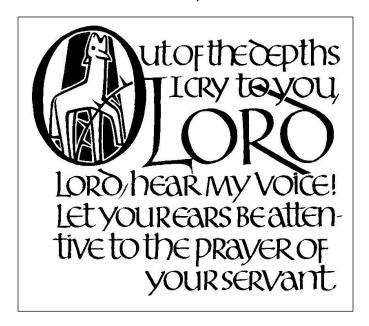
Sue Van Wakeman

Acolyte: CJ Genzel

<u>"Worship Anew"</u> – Know someone who can't get to church? Lutheran Ministries from Concordia Theological Seminary produces "Worship Anew". It airs locally on WCIX – 49 on Sunday mornings at 7:30 AM.

<u>Bulletin announcements</u> If you have announcements for next week's bulletin, please forward those to Brenda Hendricks by noon on Friday. You may contact her by email at mhendrick@mchsi.com or by text or phone at 309-826-9733.

# The Lutheran Church-Missouri Synod The First Sunday in Lent March 9, 2025



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#### **Divine Service, Setting Four**

Welcome in Jesus' Name! Lutherans believe that Jesus Christ is present in the Sacrament so that we receive His true body and blood along with the bread and wine (Mark 14:22, 24; 1 Corinthians 10:16). We further believe that in this Sacrament, we receive the forgiveness of sins (Matthew 26:28) and strength to live an improved Christian life (Galatians 2:20). A worthy communicant is one who is truly repentant of his/her sins and who resolves to amend his/her life (1 Corinthians 11:28). Furthermore, this Sacrament is not only a communion with Christ (Matthew 18:20; 1 Corinthians 10:16), but also with one another (1 Corinthians 10:17; Acts 2:42). Those desiring to commune with us for the first time should talk with the pastor BEFORE the service begins.

Invocation, Confession and Absolution - Page 203

Introit – bulletin insert

Kyrie - Extended responses

Salutation and Collect - Page 205

Readings: Old Testament Reading: Deuteronomy 26:1-11

P: This is the Word of the Lord.

C: Thanks be to God.

Gradual: Bulletin insert

Epistle Reading: Romans 10:8b-13

P: This is the Word of the Lord.

C: Thanks be to God.

Holy Gospel Reading: Luke 4:1-13

P: The Holy Gospel according to St. Luke, the fourth

chapter

C: Glory to You, O Lord.

After the reading:

P: This is the Gospel of the Lord

C: Praise to You, O Christ.

Apostles Creed – page 207

Hymn of the Day, "A Mighty Fortress Is Our God"......657

Sermon

**Prayers** 

Offering: The offering plate is available at the back of the church.

Communion Liturgy – page 208

#### **Service of the Sacrament**

Distribution: Communicants will usher themselves to the FRONT of the church in groups of 5-7 people. They will space themselves on both sides of the Baptismal font. Please exit the altar area by the outside aisle to the side where you were seated.

Hymn, "O Christ, You Walked the Road".....424

Hymn, "O Lord, Throughout These Forty Days"......418

Closing Communion Liturgy - Page 211-212

## Let Us Pray...

....for homebound member: Karen Bryan

....for John and Barb Whitehouse- Gercken for improvement with their health issues

.....for Friendship Lutheran Church in Champaign

# **Announcements #1**

<u>Ladies Aid/LWML</u> ladies will meet THIS Thursday, March 13<sup>th</sup>, at 1:30 in the fellowship hall. Connie Warsaw will have topic and Marsha Warsaw and Connie Warsaw will be the hostesses. Roll call will be answered on a Bible verse about serving others.

<u>Altar Guild</u> will have a short meeting today after church in the annex.

Ash Wednesday worship service was well attended considering the weather. There will not be any other Wednesday Lenten services. Maundy Thursday service will be held on April 17th at 7 PM with a supper provided by the Ladies Aid/LWML ladies preceding the service. Good Friday service will be held on April 18<sup>th</sup> at 7 PM. The resurrection of our Savior will be celebrated on Easter morning, April 20th, at 7 AM.

Mowing list! It is almost that time of the year when everything starts greening up.....including the church lawn. The mowing list is included in the March newsletter that was handed out today. There is also a list on the back church bulletin board. If you cannot mow on your designated date, please trade with someone on the list or please let John Grussing or Jeff Warsaw know one week in advance.