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Our Mission: Boldly and Joyfully Sharing The Good News of Jesus' Love and Forgiveness. **February 24, 2021** 6:30pm Wednesday: Hands of Betrayal (Judas)

Pastor's Greeting:



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Hymn: Come to Calvary's Holy Mountain CW # 106

Confession and Absolution

L: The Grace of our Lord **†** Jesus Christ and the love of God and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit be with you.

C: And also, with you.

L: This is the message we have heard from him and declare to you:

C: God is light; in him there is no darkness at all.

L: If we claim to have fellowship with him yet walk in the darkness,

C: We lie and do not live by the truth.

L: If we claim to be without sin,

C: We deceive our selves and the truth in not in us.

- L: We have come into the presence of God, who created us to love and serve him as his dear children. But we have disobeyed him and deserve only his wrath and punishment. Therefore, let us confess our sins to him and plead for his mercy.
- All: Merciful Father in heaven, I am altogether sinful from birth. In countless ways I have sinned against you and do not deserve to be called your child. But trusting in Jesus, my Savior, I pray; Have mercy on me according to your unfailing love. Cleanse me from my sin, and take away my guilt.
- L: God, our heavenly Father, has forgiven all your sins. By the perfect life and innocent death of our Lord Jesus Christ, He has removed your guilt forever. You are his own dear child. May God give you strength to live according to his will.

C: Amen.

L: Lord God, we thank you for this day of grace now drawing to a close. Stay with us and warm our hearts with your forgiving love in Christ. May your Word keep our faith burning brightly that we may walk in the light of your presence while we travel through the darkness of this world. Come to us and bless us as we worship you: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.

C: Amen.

Passion History

According to Mark 14:1-11

L: ¹ Now the Passover and the Feast of Unleavened Bread were only two days away, and the chief priests and the teachers of the law were looking for some sly way to arrest Jesus and kill him.

C: ² "But not during the Feast," "or the people may riot."

L: ³ While he was in Bethany, reclining at the table in the home of a man known as Simon the Leper, a woman came with an alabaster jar of very expensive perfume, made of pure nard. She broke the jar and poured the perfume on his head. ⁴ Some of those present were saying indignantly to one another,

C: "Why this waste of perfume? ⁵ It could have been sold for more than a year's wages and the money given to the poor."

L: And they rebuked her harshly. ⁶ "Leave her alone," said Jesus. "Why are you bothering her? She has done a beautiful thing to me. ⁷ The poor you will always have with you, and you can help them any time you want. But you will not always have me. ⁸ She did what she could. She poured perfume on my body beforehand to prepare for my burial. ⁹ I tell you the truth, wherever the gospel is preached throughout the world, what she has done will also be told, in memory of her."

¹⁰ Then Judas Iscariot, one of the Twelve, went to the chief priests to betray Jesus to them. ¹¹ They were delighted to hear this and promised to give him money. So he watched for an opportunity to hand him over. This is the Gospel of the Lord.

C: God made Him who had no sin to be sin for us, so that in Him we might become the righteousness of God.

CWS Psalm 14





The fool says in his heart, "There is no God." They are corrupt, their deeds are vile; there is no one who does good.

The LORD looks down from heaven on the <u>sons</u> of men to see if there are any who understand, any <u>who</u> seek God.

All have turned aside, they have together be<u>come</u> corrupt; there is no one who does good, not <u>even</u> one.

Refrain

You evildoers frustrate the plans of the poor, but the LORD is their <u>re</u>fuge.

Oh, that salvation for Israel would come out of Zion! When the LORD restores the fortunes of his people, let Israel rejoice and be glad!

Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit,

as it was in the be<u>gin</u>ning, is now, and will be forever. <u>A</u>men.

Refrain

Psalm Prayer:

O Lord, spare us from the folly of wickedness and the pursuit of evil. Make us rejoice in your saving acts that we who have been redeemed by your Son may abound in works of faith, hope, and love; through Jesus Christ, your Son, our Lord. Amen.

Gospel:

John 13:20–30

²⁰ "I tell you the truth, whoever accepts anyone I send accepts me; and whoever accepts me accepts the one who sent me." ²¹ After he had said this, Jesus was troubled in spirit and testified, "I tell you the truth, one of you is going to betray me."

²² His disciples stared at one another, at a loss to know which of them he meant. ²³ One of them, the disciple whom Jesus loved, was reclining next to him. ²⁴ Simon Peter motioned to this disciple and said, "Ask him which one he means."

²⁵ Leaning back against Jesus, John asked him, "Lord, who is it?"

²⁶ Jesus answered, "It is the one to whom I will give this piece of bread when I have dipped it in the dish." Then, dipping the piece of bread, he gave it to Judas Iscariot, son of Simon. ²⁷ As soon as Judas took the bread, Satan entered into him.

"What you are about to do, do quickly," Jesus told him, ²⁸ but no one at the meal understood why Jesus said this to him. ²⁹ Since Judas had charge of the money, some thought Jesus was telling him to buy what was needed for the Feast, or to give something to the poor.

³⁰ As soon as Judas had taken the bread, he went out. And it was night.

L: This is the Gospel of our Lord.

C: Praise be to you, O Christ!

Hymn: Jesus, Grant that Balm of HealingCW # 121 Stz 1–4

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Prayer: God of all grace and mercy, let your Spirit continue to be with us as we follow Jesus to Calvary's Holy Hill. Today and everyday, focus our attention on our Savior's Word and Passion. Strengthen our faith in Jesus, renew in us the zeal to serve, and empower us to share your message of salvation with others. This we ask in Jesus' name, who taught us to pray...

Lord's Prayer: (traditional)

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed by 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!

Together we pray Luther's Evening Prayer:

I thank you, my heavenly Father, through Jesus Christ, your dear Son, that you have graciously kept me this day. Forgive me all my sins and graciously keep me this night. Into your hands, I commend my body and soul and all things. Let your holy angel be with me, that the wicked foe may have no power over me. Amen

- L: The grace of our Lord **†** Jesus Christ and the love of God and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit be with you all. Amen
- L: The Lord bless you and keep you. The Lord make his face shine on you and be gracious to you. The Lord look on you with favor and **†** give you peace.
- C: Amen



Febr	uary 2021 Birthdays	Lenten Worship Schedule				
2	Nancy Pieper	Sunday, Feb. 28	Communion	Worship @ 9:30 AM		
4 4	Rachel Danford B Dize	Wed., Mar. 3		Worship @ 6:30 PM		
5	Penny Gerlach	Sunday, Mar. 7		Worship @ 9:30 AM		
6 8	Jensen Galbreath Karen Fostervold	Wed., Mar. 10		Worship @ 6:30 PM		
9	Kelly Potter (Grice)	Sunday, Mar. 14	Communion	Worship @ 9:30 AM		
9 12	Audrey Scharmann Nancy Witzel	Wed., Mar. 17		Worship @ 6:30 PM		
14	Eric & Carol Rogers 51	Sunday, Mar. 21		Worship @ 9:30 AM		
14 10	Anna Lynn Ruth Taylor	Wed., Mar. 24		Worship @ 6:30 PM		
19 28	McKenzie Galbreath Steve Backes	Palm Sun. Mar. 28		Worship @ 9:30 AM		
	Maundy Th April 1	Communion	Worship @ 6:30 PM			
March 2021 Birthday		Good Friday April 2		Worship @ 6:30 PM		
1() Aiden Sullivan	Easter Sunday April	4	Worship @ 10:00 AM		