

People of Gloria Dei

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Third Sunday of Lent
Saturday, March 6, 2021, 5:00 p.m.
Sunday, March 7, 2021, 9:00 a.m.

Upcoming Events

Visit us on Facebook and our website for regular updates!

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Monday - Friday	Online Devotional with Pastor Edd	1:30 p.m.
Wednesday	TOPS	8:30 a.m.
Saturday	Saturday Evening Worship	5:00 p.m.
Sunday	Sunday Morning Worship	9:00 a.m.

The Gathering Table has needs for gently used blankets and winter clothing. Please bring items to church and place in hall outside the office.

Thank you,
Outreach Team

Prelude

Dr. Tracey Johnson

Opening Hymn

Choral Ensemble

O Lord, throughout These Forty Days

ELW 319

Call to Worship

Pastor: We come this day hoping to encounter Christ.

People: We come with burdens and questions that only He can answer.

Pastor: May we open our hearts to Him.

People: May our lives be healed and strengthened for service.

Pastor: God came to us through Jesus.

People: God's grace comes to us through our faith.

Opening Prayer

All: Gracious and glorious Lord, we come, as did Nicodemus, with questions on our hearts and in our lives. We come hoping someone can help us find answers and healing. But we are also hardened with doubts about self, others, and even you. Grant us healing and openness to your spirit that we may be better servants of your Word, your Will, and your Way. In Jesus' Name, we pray. Amen.

The Word
*Please stand

First Reading

Exodus 20:1-17

Psalm

Psalm 19

Second Reading

I Corinthians 1:18-25

***Gospel Reading**

Matthew 26:47-56

Homily

Rev. Edd Wunderlich

Musical Offering

Dr. Tracey Johnson (5:00)

Choral Ensemble (9:00)

And Can it Be?

Dan Forrest, 1978 -

Prayers of the People

*Each petition ends with,

A "Hear us, O God."

C "**Your mercy is great.**"

*the prayer concludes with,

A ". . . through Jesus Christ our Lord." C "**Amen.**"

***Prayer of Confession**

I confess to almighty God and to you, my brothers and sisters, that I have greatly sinned, in my thoughts and in my words, in what I have done and in what I have failed to do, through my fault, through my fault, through my most grievous fault; therefore I ask all the Angels and Saints, and you, my brothers and sisters, to pray for me to the Lord our God.

Words of Assurance

Pastor: God is merciful and full of steadfast love. God will not forget us. God will wash us clean and lead us on paths of steadfast love and faithfulness.

Holy Communion

Words of Institution

Rev. Edd Wunderlich

The Lord's Prayer

All: 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

Benediction and Blessing

Pastor: Lord, as we go from this place, walk with us. Give us renewed confidence in your will and transform our lives that we may serve you better. Amen.

Dismissal

A Go and testify to God's faithful promises.

C God's covenant is everlasting.

A Go and follow God's ways.

C The ways of the Lord are steadfast love and faithfulness.

A Go and proclaim God's good news.

C The time is now. Turn to God.

A Together with Christ

C We care!

Closing Hymn

When Peace like a River

Choral Ensemble (9:00)

ELW 785

Postlude

Dr. Tracey Johnson

*Please remain seated for the closing hymn. Then you can get up and spread the good news!

*Communion is available upon exiting.

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