



Midweek of Lent 2

February 28, 2024

12:00pm & 6:45pm

Beautiful Savior Lutheran Church

ORDER OF VESPERS

HYMN SING (6:45PM)

WELCOME

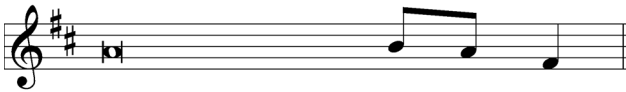
Stand

OPENING VERSICLES

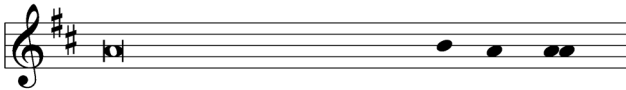
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L O Lord, o - pen my lips,



C and my mouth will de - clare Your praise.



L Make haste, O God, to de - liv - er me;



C make haste to help me, O Lord.



C Glo-ry be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spir - it;



as it was in the be - gin - ning, is now, and will be for-ev-er. A - men.



Praise to You, O Christ, Lamb of our sal - va - tion.

- P** Blessed is the one who considers the poor!
- C** **In the day of trouble the LORD delivers him;**
- P** the LORD protects him and keeps him alive; he is called blessed in the land;
- C** **You do not give him up to the will of his enemies.**
- P** The LORD sustains him on his sickbed; in his illness You restore him to full health.
- C** **As for me, I said, "O LORD, be gracious to me; heal me, for I have sinned against You!"**
- P** My enemies say of me in malice, "When will he die and his name perish?"
- C** **And when one comes to see me, he utters empty words, while his heart gathers iniquity; when he goes out, he tells it abroad.**
- P** All who hate me whisper together about me; they imagine the worst for me.
- C** **They say, "A deadly thing is poured out on him; he will not rise again from where he lies."**
- P** Even my close friend in whom I trusted, who ate my bread, has lifted his heel against me.
- C** **But You, O LORD, be gracious to me, and raise me up, that I may repay them!**
- P** By this I know that You delight in me: my enemy will not shout in triumph over me.
- C** **But You have upheld me because of my integrity, and set me in Your presence forever.**

**Blessed be the LORD, the God of Israel, from everlasting to everlasting!
Amen and Amen.**

**Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit;
as it was in the beginning, is now, and will be forever. Amen.**

READING

2 Samuel 12:15b–23

P A reading from Second Samuel, the twelfth chapter.

^{15b}The LORD afflicted the child that Uriah's wife bore to David, and he became sick. ¹⁶David therefore sought God on behalf of the child. And David fasted and went in and lay all night on the ground. ¹⁷And the elders of his house stood beside him, to raise him from the ground, but he would not, nor did he eat food with them. ¹⁸On the seventh day the child died. And the servants of David were afraid to tell him that the child was dead, for they said, "Behold, while the child was yet alive, we spoke to him, and he did not listen to us. How then can we say to him the child is dead? He may do himself some harm." ¹⁹But when David saw that his servants were whispering together, David understood that the child was dead. And David said to his servants, "Is the child dead?" They said, "He is dead." ²⁰Then David arose from the earth and washed and anointed himself and changed his clothes. And he went into the house of the LORD and worshiped. He then went to his own house. And when he asked, they set food before him, and he ate. ²¹Then his servants said to him, "What is this thing that you have done? You fasted and wept for the child while he was alive; but when the child died, you arose and ate food." ²²He said, "While the child was still alive, I fasted and wept, for I said, 'Who knows whether the LORD will be gracious to me, that the child may live?' ²³But now he is dead. Why should I fast? Can I bring him back again? I shall go to him, but he will not return to me."

P O Lord, have mercy on us.

C **Thanks be to God.**

READING

1 Peter 2:19–25

P A reading from First Peter, the second chapter.

¹⁹This is a gracious thing, when, mindful of God, one endures sorrows while suffering unjustly. ²⁰For what credit is it if, when you sin and are beaten for it, you endure? But if when you do good and suffer for it you endure, this is a gracious thing in the sight of God. ²¹For to this you have been called, because Christ also suffered for you, leaving you an example, so that you might follow in His steps. ²²He committed no sin, neither was deceit found in His mouth. ²³When He was reviled, He did not revile in return; when He suffered, He did not threaten, but continued entrusting Himself to Him who judges justly. ²⁴He Himself bore our sins in His body on the tree, that we might die to sin and live to righteousness. By His wounds you have been healed. ²⁵For you were straying like sheep, but have now returned to the Shepherd and Overseer of your souls.

P O Lord, have mercy on us.

C **Thanks be to God.**

Stand

HOLY GOSPEL

John 1:29–32

P The Holy Gospel according to St. John, the first chapter.

C **Glory to You, O Lord.**

²⁹The next day he saw Jesus coming toward him, and said, "Behold, the Lamb of God, who takes away the sin of the world! ³⁰This is He of whom I said, 'After me comes a man who ranks before me, because He was before me.' ³¹I myself did not know Him, but for this purpose I came baptizing with water, that He might be revealed to Israel." ³²And John bore witness: "I saw the Spirit descend from heaven like a dove, and it remained on Him."

P This is the Gospel of the Lord.

C **Praise to You, O Christ.**

RESPONSORY (LENT)

LSB 231



L 1 Deliver me, O Lord, my God, for You are
the God of my sal - va - tion.
2 In You, O Lord, do I put my trust, leave me not, O Lord, my God.
3 Deliver me, O Lord, my God, for You are
the God of my sal - va - tion.



G Rescue me from my en - e - mies, protect me
from those who rise a - gainst me.

Sit

SERMON HYMN

Upon the Cross Extended

LSB 453

SERMON

I Have Sinned

Psalm 41:4

Pastor Mike Ada

Stand

CANTICLE

Sing Praise to the God of Israel

LSB 936

OFFERING

PRAYERS

LSB 233

COLLECTS



L O Lord, hear my prayer.



G And let my cry come to You.

P O Lord, our God, we ask You with our whole heart to forgive our sins and wipe out our errors. Direct our actions and, by the indwelling of Your Spirit, purify our consciences and sanctify our hearts so that, forgiven and renewed, we may serve You and walk in Your ways; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

C Amen.

C I thank You, my heavenly Father, through Jesus Christ, Your dear Son, that You have graciously kept me this day; and I pray that You would forgive me all my sins where I have done wrong, and graciously keep me this night. For into Your hands I commend myself, my body and soul, and all things. Let Your holy angel be with me, that the evil foe may have no power over me. Amen.

P O God, from whom come all holy desires, all good counsels, and all just works, give to us, Your servants, that peace which the world cannot give, that our hearts may be set to obey Your commandments and also that we, being defended from the fear of our enemies, may live in peace and quietness; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

C Amen.

BENEDICAMUS & BENEDICTION

LSB 234



L Let us bless the Lord.



C Thanks be to God.



P The grace of our Lord † Je - sus Christ and the love of God



and the communion of the Holy Spir - it be with you all.



C A - men.

CLOSING HYMN

When I Survey the Wondrous Cross

LSB 426

POSTLUDE

When I Survey the Wondrous Cross and God So Loved the World

arr.Behnke

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SERVING THE LORD AND US THIS EVENING:

Preaching..... Pastor Mike Ada
Liturgist..... Vicar Nathan Harkins
Organist..... Lauran Delancy
Bell Soloist..... (12:00pm) Isla Delancy
Acolytes..... (6:45) Layla Schepmann & Kelsey Teply

LENTEN AND EASTER WORSHIP SCHEDULE

MIDWEEK LENTEN SUPPER

March 6th, 13th, and 20th
Served from 5:30pm – 6:20pm

MIDWEEK LENTEN SERVICES

March 6th, 13th, and 20th
Services at 12:00pm and 6:45pm
(Hymn sing at 6:30pm)

HOLY WEEK

PALM SUNDAY – March 24th

8:00am Service with Holy Communion
9:30am Education Hour
10:45am Service with Holy Communion

LESSONS AND CAROLS – March 24th

Service at TBD TIME

SEDER MEAL – March 26th at 6:30pm

Advanced reservation is required.

Please email office@bsclcs.org to reserve your spot.

HOLY (MAUNDY) THURSDAY – March 28th

Services at 4:45pm and 6:45pm

GOOD FRIDAY – March 29th

Services at 4:45pm and 6:45pm

EASTER EGG HUNT – March 30th

9:30am-11:00am

EASTER VIGIL – March 30th

Service at 6:00pm

EASTER SUNDAY – March 31st

6:30am Easter Sunrise Service w/Holy Communion
7:30am – 10:30am – Easter Breakfast
8:00am Easter Holy Service w/Holy Communion
9:30am Easter Holy Service w/Holy Communion
11:00am Easter Holy Service w/Holy Communion