

Gathering Music

Greeting

Announcements

Song “Awake, O Sleeper” WOV #745

Brief Order for Confession and Forgiveness WOV pg. 10

Prayer of the Day

Eternal Lord, your kingdom has broken into our troubled world through the life, death, and resurrection of your Son. Help us to hear your Word and obey it, so that we become instruments of your redeeming love; through your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.

Song “Open Our Eyes, Lord”

First Reading Isaiah 42:14-21

L: The Word of the Lord.

C: Thanks be to God.

Second Reading Ephesians 5:8-14

L: The Word of the Lord.

C: Thanks be to God.

Faith Seeds Shelly Kirchoff

Faith Seeds is a time for children of all ages to come forward for a lesson geared to them.

The Gospel Acclamation

**The Word of God is source and seed;
it comes to die and sprout and grow.
So make our hearts receptive soil;
root deep the grain God bends to sow.**

The Announcement of the Gospel “Glory to You, O Lord”

Gospel John 9:1-41

Response after the Gospel “Praise to You, O Christ”

Sermon “The Blind Man in Three Acts” Pastor Dave Wollan

Song “The Summons”

Apostles’ Creed

I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth.

I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord. He was conceived by the power of the Holy Spirit and born of the virgin Mary. He suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried. He descended into hell. On the third day he rose again. He ascended into heaven, and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again to judge the living and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy Christian Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

Offering/Special Music “What Wondrous Love Is This” Ringers of Faith

Offertory Response “Create in Me”

**Create in me a clean heart, O God that I might serve You.
Create in me a clean heart, O God that I might be renewed.
So fill me and heal me and bring me back to You. Create in me a clean heart, O God that I might serve You.**

Prayers of the Church

The Lord’s Prayer

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

Song “Day by Day” WOV #746

Faith Lutheran Church (LCMC)

Hutchinson, Minnesota
10:10 a.m. Sanctuary Service
March 19, 2023
Fourth Sunday in Lent

“What Does This Mean?”

Questions about Today’s Worship Theme:
John 9:1-41

- † What did you learn from the Disciple?
- † What did you learn from the Pharisee?
- † What did you learn from the Blind Man?
- † How has Jesus made you “see”?



But they kept asking him, “Then how were your eyes opened?” He answered, “The man called Jesus made mud, spread it on my eyes, and said to me, ‘Go to Siloam and wash.’ Then I went and washed and received my sight.”

John 9:10-11

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