

Gathering Music ..... “Living Hope”

Greeting/Announcements

Song ..... “Here in This Place *Gather Us In*” ..... WOV #718

Brief Order for Confession and Forgiveness..... WOV pg. 10

Prayer of the Day

**God of all mercy, by your power to heal and to forgive,  
graciously cleanse us from all sin and make us strong;  
through your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and  
reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and  
forever. Amen.**

First Reading ..... Numbers 21:4-9

L: The Word of the Lord.

**C: Thanks be to God.**

Second Reading ..... Ephesians 2:1-10

L: The Word of the Lord.

**C: Thanks be to God.**

Faith Seeds ..... Payton Eastman

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

The Verse:

**Oh, grant us God, that we may, too,  
Return in fast and prayer to you.  
Your steadfast love, for us, is poured,  
Through grace and mercy by your Word.**

Tune: ERHALT UNS, HERR

Gospel ..... John 3:14-21

Sermon ..... “Why do Good Things Happen to Bad People?” .....

Pastor Dave Wollan

Song ..... “The Wonderful Cross”

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 .... “Thy Holy Wings” ..... Faith Singers  
accompanied by Kylee Beilke and Bailey Fields

Offertory Response ... “Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow”

**Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;**

**Praise him, all creatures here below;**

**Praise him above, ye heav’nly host;**

**Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.**

LBW #565 Text: Thomas Ken, 1637-1711 Tune: Louis Bourgeois, c. 1510-1561

Prayers of the Church

The Words of Institution

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.**

The Distribution

Benediction

Closing Song ... “King of Kings”

# Faith Lutheran Church

## LCMC

Hutchinson, Minnesota  
10:10 a.m. Sanctuary Service  
March 10, 2024  
Fourth Sunday in Lent

### **“What Does This Mean?”**

1. Why does God use a snake to heal snake bite victims?
2. Why does God use a cross to save sinners?
3. Why do good things happen to bad people?
4. *How* do good things happen to bad people?



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