

DIVINE SERVICE III

HYMN OF INVOCATION: 413 O WONDROUS TYPE! O VISION FAIR

Stand - The sign of the cross may be made by all in remembrance of their Baptism.

INVOCATION

- \blacksquare In the name of the Father and of the + Son and of the Holy Spirit.
- **C** Amen.

Confession and Absolution

- P Beloved in the Lord! Let us draw near with a true heart and confess our sins unto God our Father, beseeching Him in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ to grant us forgiveness.
- **P** Our help is in the name of the Lord,
- **C** who made heaven and earth.
- I said, I will confess my transgressions unto the Lord,
- **C** and You forgave the iniquity of my sin.

Silence for reflection on God's Word and for self-examination.

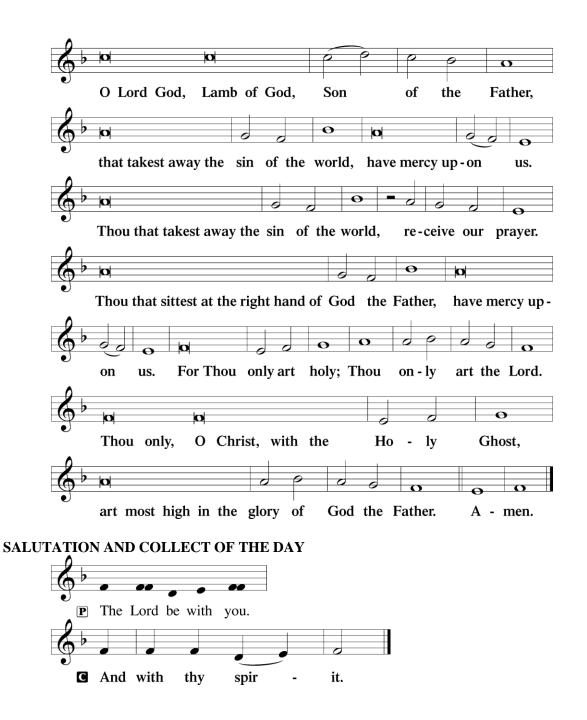
- **P** O almighty God, merciful Father,
- **C** I, a poor, miserable sinner, confess unto You all my sins and iniquities with which I have ever offended You and justly deserved Your temporal and eternal punishment. But I am heartily sorry for them and sincerely repent of them, and I pray You of Your boundless mercy and for the sake of the holy, innocent, bitter sufferings and death of Your beloved Son, Jesus Christ, to be gracious and merciful to me, a poor, sinful being.

P Upon this your confession, I, by virtue of my office, as a called and ordained servant of the Word, announce the grace of God unto all of you, and in the stead and by the command of my Lord Jesus Christ I forgive you all your sins in the name of the Father and of the +→ Son and of the Holy Spirit.

C Amen.

Service of the Word







▶ O God, in the glorious transfiguration of Your beloved Son You confirmed the mysteries of the faith by the testimony of Moses and Elijah. In the voice that came from the bright cloud You wonderfully foreshowed our adoption by grace. Mercifully make us co-heirs with the King in His glory and bring us to the fullness of our inheritance in heaven; through the same Jesus Christ, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.



Sit

OLD TESTAMENT READING

Deuteronomy 34:1–12

Then Moses went up from the plains of Moab to Mount Nebo, to the top of Pisgah, which is opposite Jericho. And the LORD showed him all the land, Gilead as far as Dan, all Naphtali, the land of Ephraim and Manasseh, all the land of Judah as far as the western sea, the Negeb, and the Plain, that is, the Valley of Jericho the city of palm trees, as far as Zoar. And the LORD said to him, "This is the land of which I swore to Abraham, to Isaac, and to Jacob, 'I will give it to your offspring.' I have let you see it with your eyes, but you shall not go over there." So Moses the servant of the LORD died there in the land of Moab, according to the word of the LORD, and he buried him in the valley in the land of Moab opposite Beth-peor; but no one knows the place of his burial to this day. Moses was 120 years old when he died. His eye was undimmed, and his vigor unabated. And the people of Israel wept for Moses in the plains of Moab thirty days. Then the days of weeping and mourning for Moses were ended.

And Joshua the son of Nun was full of the spirit of wisdom, for Moses had laid his hands on him. So the people of Israel obeyed him and did as the LORD had commanded Moses. And there has not arisen a prophet since in Israel like Moses, whom the LORD knew face to face, none like him for all the signs and the wonders that the LORD sent him to do in the land of Egypt, to Pharaoh and to all his servants and to all his land, and for all the mighty power and all the great deeds of terror that Moses did in the sight of all Israel.

A This is the Word of the Lord.

C Thanks be to God.

GRADUAL - TONE E

Psalm 117:1-2a; 96:8

Praise the LORD, all | nations!* Extol him, all | peoples! For great is his steadfast | love toward us,* and the faithfulness of the LORD endures for- | ever. Ascribe to the LORD the glory | due his name;* bring an offering, and come in- | to his courts!

EPISTLE

Hebrews 3:1–6

Therefore, holy brothers, you who share in a heavenly calling, consider Jesus, the apostle and high priest of our confession, who was faithful to him who appointed him, just as Moses also was faithful in all God's house. For Jesus has been counted worthy of more glory than Moses—as much more glory as the builder of a house has more honor than the house itself. (For every house is built by someone, but the builder of all things is God.) Now Moses was faithful in all God's house as a servant, to testify to the things that were to be spoken later, but Christ is faithful over God's house as a son. And we are his house if indeed we hold fast our confidence and our boasting in our hope.



This is the Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

Stand



HOLY GOSPEL

P The Holy Gospel according to St. Luke, the ninth chapter.



Now about eight days after these sayings [Jesus] took with him Peter and John and James and went up on the mountain to pray. And as he was praying, the appearance of his face was altered, and his clothing became dazzling white. And behold, two men were talking with him, Moses and Elijah, who appeared in glory and spoke of his departure, which he was about to accomplish at Jerusalem. Now Peter and those who were with him were heavy with sleep, but when they became fully awake they saw his glory and the two men who stood with him. And as the men were parting from him, Peter said to Jesus, "Master, it is good that we are here. Let us make three tents, one for you and one for Moses and one for Elijah"—not knowing what he said. As he was saying these things, a cloud came and overshadowed them, and they were afraid as they entered the cloud. And a voice came out of the cloud, saying, "This is my Son, my Chosen One; listen to him!" And when the voice had spoken, Jesus was found alone. And they kept silent and told no one in those days anything of what they had seen.

P This is the Gospel of the Lord.



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I believe in one God, the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth and of all things visible and invisible.

And in one Lord Jesus Christ. the only-begotten Son of God, begotten of His Father before all worlds, God of God, Light of Light, very God of very God, begotten, not made, being of one substance with the Father, by whom all things were made; who for us men and for our salvation came down from heaven and was incarnate by the Holy Spirit of the virgin Marv and was made man; and was crucified also for us under Pontius Pilate. He suffered and was buried. And the third day He rose again according to the Scriptures and ascended into heaven and sits at the right hand of the Father. And He will come again with glory to judge both the living and the dead. whose kingdom will have no end. And I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord and giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son, who with the Father and the Son together is worshiped and glorified, who spoke by the prophets. And I believe in one holy Christian and apostolic Church, I acknowledge one Baptism for the remission of sins, and I look for the resurrection of the dead and the life + of the world to come. Amen.

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HYMN OF THE DAY: 415 JESUS ON THE MOUNTAIN PEAK

SERMON -- "Master It is Good We are Here!"

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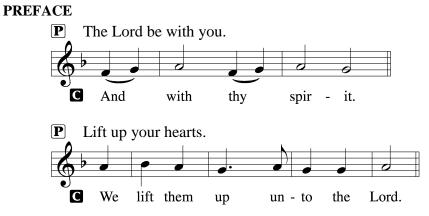
OFFERTORY C Cre-ate in me a clean heart, 0 God. and re new a right spir-it with - in me. Cast me not a way from Thy pres-ence, and take not Thy Ho-ly Spir - it me the joy of Thy sal - va from me. Re - store un - to and up - hold me with Thy free spir-it. tion, A - men.

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PRAYER OF THE CHURCH

P Let us pray for the whole Church of God in Christ Jesus and for all people according to their needs.

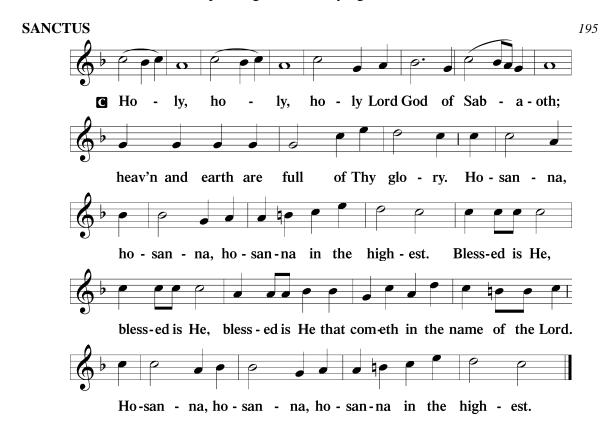




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■ It is truly meet, right, and salutary... ...Therefore with angels and archangels and with all the company of heaven we laud and magnify Your glorious name, evermore praising You and saying:



LORD'S PRAYER

THE WORDS OF OUR LORD

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PAX DOMINI

P The peace of the Lord be with you always.



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DISTRIBUTION

DISTRIBUTION HYMN: 414 'TIS GOOD, LORD, TO BE HERE

DISTRIBUTION HYMN: 814 O BLESS THE LORD, MY SOUL

DISTRIBUTION HYMN: 416 SWIFTLY PASS THE CLOUDS OF GLORY

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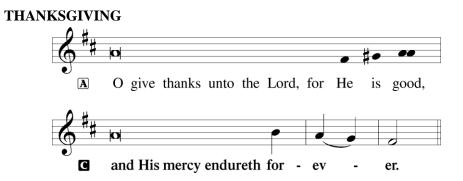
THE DISMISSAL

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- **C** Amen.







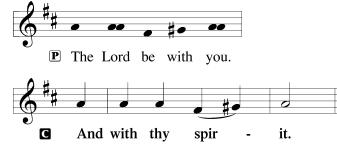
POST-COMMUNION COLLECT

A Let us pray.

We give thanks to You, almighty God, that You have refreshed us through this salutary gift, and we implore You that of Your mercy You would strengthen us through the same in faith toward You and in fervent love toward one another; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

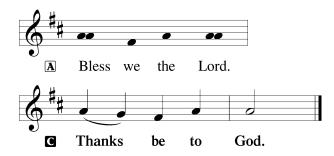


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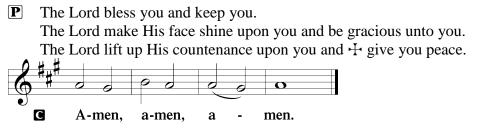


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BENEDICTION



HYMN TO DEPART: 417 ALLELUIA, SONG OF GLADNESS

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Concordia Lutheran Church and Preschool Announcements March 2, 2025

At its February 2nd Special Meeting, the members of Concordia voted to extend a divine call to **Pastor Jesse Schlie**, Associate Pastor at Trinity Lutheran Church in Jefferson City, Missouri. We pray the guidance of the Holy Spirit as Pastor Schlie deliberates this call.

Please pray for the comfort of the Holy Spirit for the family of Concordia member, **Della Kilgore**, who passed away on Monday, February 24.

Ladies, join us as we carpool to Our Shepherd Lutheran Church in Avon on Saturday, March 22, for the **LWML West Zone Spring Gathering**. We'll leave from the church parking lot at 8:15 and enjoy breakfast and fellowship. Following breakfast, we'll participate in the Prayer Service under the theme "Blessed are They..." based on Matthew 5:1-12. We are invited to support Our Shepherd's food pantry by donating canned meat or paper goods.

May 3rd at 1 pm, Beef and Boards is performing "*Church Basement Ladies*". The show is based on the book *Growing Up Lutheran*. We have a block of 20 tickets reserved in Section 1. Doors open at 10:45 am and a lunch buffet is served before the 1:00 pm showtime. The cost is \$78/ticket. If you are interested in going, let Sarah Shadday know and pay Sarah or the office by March 31st, 2025. **There are 3 tickets left in our group**.

Altar Flower Sign-up Calendar - The sign up calendar sheet is located at the bulletin board outside of the restrooms.

Emergencies: For pastoral emergencies, call Pastor Dennis Fangmeyer at 620-886-0911. Leave a message if he doesn't answer.

Date	Day	Worship Service / Event	Time Message Title		Scripture
Mar 5	Wed	Ash Wednesday	4:00 PM	"God Has a Word for That"	Isaiah 41:14-16
Mar 5	Wed	Ash Wednesday	6:30 PM	"God Has a Word for That"	Isaiah 41:14-16
Mar 12	Wed	Midweek Lenten Service	6:30 PM	"He Only Has Eyes for You"	Isaiah 43:1-7
Mar 19	Wed	Midweek Lenten Service	6:30 PM	"Marked"	Isaiah 44:1-5
Mar 26	Wed	Midweek Lenten Service	6:30 PM	"Breaking Down the Gates"	Isaiah 45:1-8
Apr 2	Wed	Midweek Lenten Service	6:30 PM	"Getting Out!"	Isaiah 48:17-22
Apr 9	Wed	Midweek Lenten Service	6:30 PM	"One Little Word Can Fell Him"	Isaiah 49:1-6
Apr 13	Sun	Palm Sunday Service	9:30 AM		
Apr 17	Thurs	Maunday Thursday	6:30 PM	"He Prepares a Table"	Isaiah 49:7-13
Apr 18	Fri	Good Friday Service	6:30 PM	"All"	Isaiah 52:13- 53:12
Apr 20	Sun	Easter Sunrise Service	7:00 AM	"We Are Going Home"	Isaiah 55:6-13
April 20	Sun	Easter Breakfast	8:45 AM		
April 20	Sun	Easter Divine Service	10:00 AM	"We Are Going Home"	Isaiah 55:6-13

Response in Worship and Love to our Lord for February 23, 2025

	Worship: Sunday	9:30a - 71	Total - 71
Operating Budget Offering \$3,600.50	YTD Unified Budget Offerings \$46,005.50	2025 Operating YTD needed for budget \$54,840.00 (\$6,855.00 weekly)	2025 Annual Budget \$356,450.00

BIRTHDAYS:		WEDDING ANNIVERSARIES: Years
Crouch, Lucas	3/6	
Foster, Fred	3/7	

This Week at Concordia

Mar 2	Sunday	9:30a 10:45a 6:00p	Divine Worship Sunday School Women's Bible Study
Mar 3	Monday	6:30p 7:00p	Properties Elders
Mar 4	Tuesday		
Mar 5	Wed.	4:00p 5:15p 6:30p	Ash Wednesday Service Lenten Meal Ash Wednesday Service
Mar 6	Thurs.		
Mar 7	Friday		
Mar 8	Saturday	9:00a	Quilting
Mar 9	Sunday	9:30a 10:45a 6:00p	Divine Worship Sunday School Women's Bible Study

Prayers & Intercession (Matthew 8:17)

Concordia Members Surgery/Testing/Recovery

- Lorna Warren
- Lynda Martin
- Betty Economou
- Gene Waltz
- Jim Roemer
- Peter Economou
- Tommy Ragsdale

Friends of Concordia

- Pastor Raji 2/2/25
- Rev. John Sebastian 1/30/25
- Kathleen Sebastian 1/30/25
- Virginia Day 1/30/25
- Beverly Tewell 1/30/25
- Rick Zoellner 12/30/24
- Tyshae Smith 8/28/24
- Josephine Shafer 8/13/24
- Leeroy & Vernon Good 6/10/24
- Ralph McGraw 1/2/24
- Connie Henderson 5/14/23
- Rick Wildrick 3/30/23
- Family members and Konny Hanneman; Sandy Risner 11/13/22, Hazel, Levi, Joshua & Savannah Bragdon 11/13/22, Marianne & Charles Huckleberry 12/21/21 Sylvia, Steve & Nicole Perrish 12/21/21
- Terry & Diana Deamron 9/10/22
- Beverly Stephens 8/20/22
- Ed Stephens 2/18/24
- Terry Haskett 5/15/22
- Missy, Austin & Travis Golden 4/20/22
- Judy Heine 11/22/21
- Pat Brooks 9/23/21
- Rose Swenson 7/27/21
- Susan Soggs 1/7/21
- Rev. Howard Fabricius 1/2/21
- Minna Van Arsdale 8/7/19
- Brandon Frederking 5/2/19
- Steve Stephenson 4/28/19
- Thomas Clark 12/16/18

Battling Cancer / MS

- Kelsey Merena 10/25/22
- David Buuck 9/27/21

Homebound Concordia Members

• Sharon Bruhn, 690 South State St Ball Brothers 123, Franklin IN 46131

Rehab

- Konnie Hanneman, Greenwood Meadows 1200 N State Road 135, Greenwood IN 46142
- Pat Barnes, Greenwood Meadows 1200 N State Road 135, Greenwood IN 46142

Military Servicemen & women.

- Erica Stephenson, Army, National Guard
- LTJG Chloe (Owen) Munoz, 12137 Red Barn Ct, Jacksonville, FL 32226
- Ivan Munoz, (LTJG)
- Zach Goins, 822 Timbervale Trail, Highlands Ranch, CO, 80129 (Navy Reserve)
- CPL Jadon Ranbarger (2166 Marmande St., Kailua, HI 96734)

Note: Please provide updates to office for additions and removals to the "Prayers & Intercession" listing.



