

*House of Prayer
Lutheran Church*

THE SON OF MAN

**MUST SUFFER MANY THINGS
AND BE REJECTED**

MARK 8:31



*"... my house shall be called a house of prayer
for all peoples." Is. 56:7*

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**Welcome to Worship!
We are a “Church Together”**

God calls us to be a church together as we find ourselves physically separated, but spiritually united as one community of God. Whether you are a visitor or longtime member, you are welcome to join us in worshiping Jesus Christ. You might do this by:

- Using this bulletin as a devotional.
- Watch and follow the worship video on our website at www.hoplutheran.com.

Offerings may be mailed to the office:

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Contact the Office and Pastor:

Office phones (760-745-3738) will be monitored during office hours and messages responded to in a reasonable manner. For the safety of everyone during this pandemic, we have been told to not have in-person meetings or visits. If you have a pastoral concern, call the office and leave a message to set up a time to converse with the pastor.



Sunday, February 28, 2021

Second Sunday in Lent

PRELUDE “Prelude and Fugue in Gm”

J.S.Bach

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

CONFSSION AND FORGIVENESS

Blessed be the holy Trinity, + one God, the keeper of the covenant,
the source of steadfast love, our rock and our redeemer. **Amen.**

God hears us when we cry, and draws us close in Jesus Christ.
Let us return to the one who is full of compassion.

Fountain of living water,
Pour out your mercy over us.
Our sin is heavy, and we long to be free.
Rebuild what we have ruined and mend what we have torn.
Wash us in your cleansing flood.
Make us alive in the Spirit to follow in the way of Jesus,
as healers and restorers of the world you so love. Amen.

Beloved, God's word never fails. The promise rests on grace:
by the saving love of Jesus Christ, the wisdom and power of God,
your sins are + forgiven, and God remembers them no more.
Journey in the way of Jesus. **Amen.**

SHARING OF THE PEACE

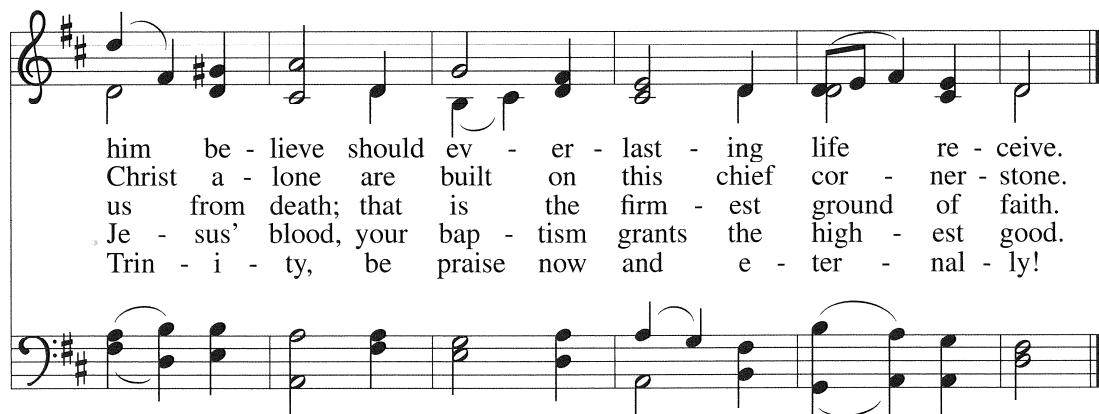
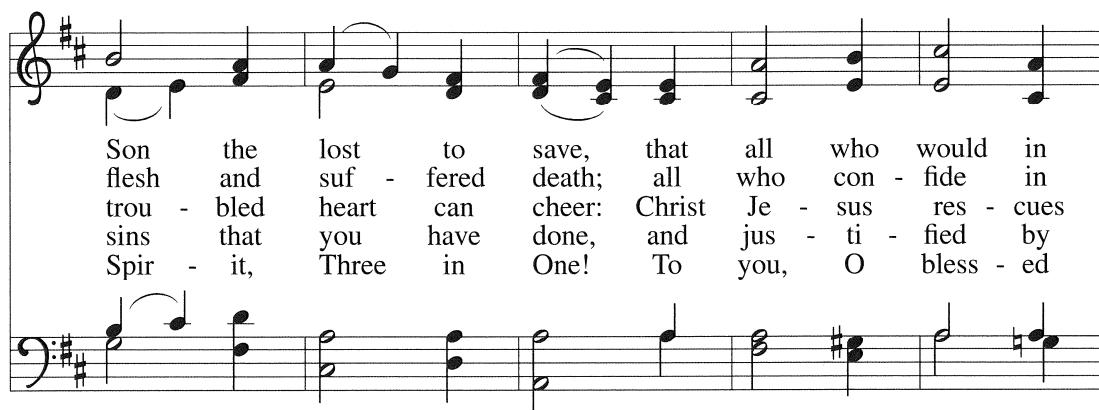
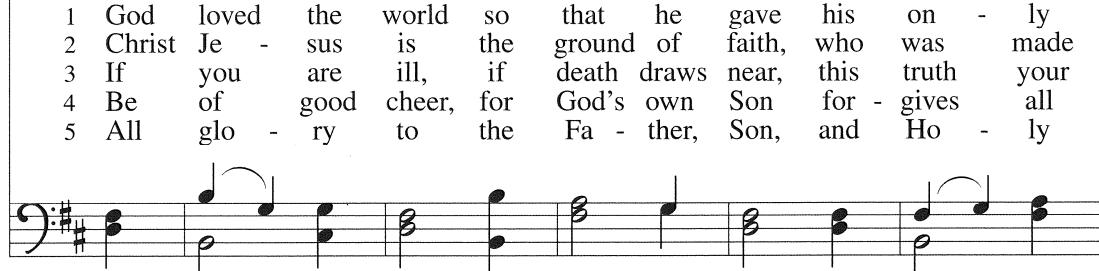
Peace of the Lord be with you; **And also with you.**

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LENT

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God Loved the World



GREETING

The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God,
and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all.
And also with you.

PRAYER OF THE DAY

Let us pray.....

O God, by the passion of your blessed Son you made an instrument of shameful death to be for us the means of life. Grant us so to glory in the cross of Christ that we may gladly suffer shame and loss for the sake of your Son, Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.

WORD

READING: Genesis 17:1-7, 15-16

¹When Abram was ninety-nine years old, the LORD appeared to Abram, and said to him, “I am God Almighty; walk before me, and be blameless. ²And I will make my covenant between me and you, and will make you exceedingly numerous.” ³Then Abram fell on his face; and God said to him, ⁴“As for me, this is my covenant with you: You shall be the ancestor of a multitude of nations. ⁵No longer shall your name be Abram, but your name shall be Abraham; for I have made you the ancestor of a multitude of nations. ⁶I will make you exceedingly fruitful; and I will make nations of you, and kings shall come from you. ⁷I will establish my covenant between me and you, and your offspring after you throughout their generations, for an everlasting covenant, to be God to you and to your offspring after you.” ¹⁵God said to Abraham, “As for Sarai your wife, you shall not call her Sarai, but Sarah shall be her name. ¹⁶I will bless her, and moreover I will give you a son by her. I will bless her, and she shall give rise to nations; kings of peoples shall come from her.”

The word of the Lord;
Thanks be to God.

Psalm 22

Hal H. Hopson

(25-31)

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Refrain

Lord, in you I trust. You are my God.

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I come with praise before the Lord,
Release me from all strife;
The poor will feast at tables full
And find eternal life. **R**

The mighty on their knees will bow;
As mortals, they discern
That, as from dust God gave them breath,
To dust they shall return. **R**

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION (PAGE 142b)

*Return to the Lord, your God,
for he is gracious and merciful,
slow to anger and abounding in steadfast love,
and abounding in steadfast love.*

GOSPEL: Mark 8:31-38

The holy gospel according to St Mark;

Glory to you, O Lord.

³¹[Jesus] began to teach them that the Son of Man must undergo great suffering, and be rejected by the elders, the chief priests, and the scribes, and be killed, and after three days rise again.³²He said all this quite openly. And Peter took him aside and began to rebuke him. ³³But turning and looking at his disciples, he rebuked Peter and said, “Get behind me, Satan! For you are setting your mind not on divine things but on human things.” ³⁴He called the crowd with his disciples, and said to them, “If any want to become my followers, let them deny themselves and take up their cross and follow me. ³⁵For those who want to save their life will lose it, and those who lose their life for my sake, and for the sake of the gospel, will save it. ³⁶For what will it profit them to gain the whole world and forfeit their life? ³⁷Indeed, what can they give in return for their life? ³⁸Those who are ashamed of me and of my words in this adulterous and sinful generation, of them the Son of Man will also be ashamed when he comes in the glory of his Father with the holy angels.”

The gospel of the Lord;

Praise to you, O Christ.

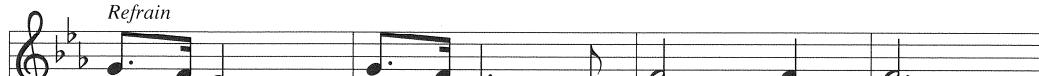
SERMON: Rev. Karin Boye

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Lead Me, Guide Me

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Lead me, guide me, a - long the way;



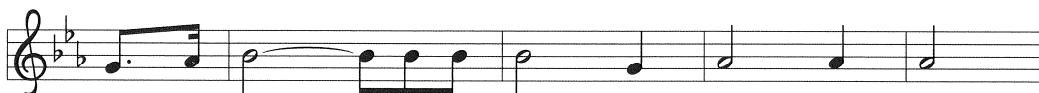
for if you lead me, I can - not stray.



Lord, let me walk each day with thee.



Lead me, O Lord, lead me.



1 I am weak and I need thy strength and pow'r
2 Help me tread in the paths of righ - teous - ness,
3 I am lost if you take your hand from me,



to help me over my weak - est hour.
be my aid when Sa - tan and sin op - press.
I am blind with - out . . . thy light to see.



Help me through the darkness thy face to see.
I am put - ting all . . . my trust in thee.
Lord, just al - ways let me thy ser - vant be.

Refrain



Lead me, O Lord, lead me.

APOSTLES' CREED (PAGE 105)

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

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

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

PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION (HYMN 752)

*Lord, listen to your children praying, Lord, send your spirit in this place;
Lord, listen to your children praying, send us love, send us pow'r, send us grace.*

....hear us, O God, **your mercy is great.**

*Lord, listen to your children praying, Lord, send your spirit in this place;
Lord, listen to your children praying, send us love, send us pow'r, send us grace.*

LORD'S PRAYER (PAGE 191)

**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.**

SENDING

BLESSING

Response: Amen

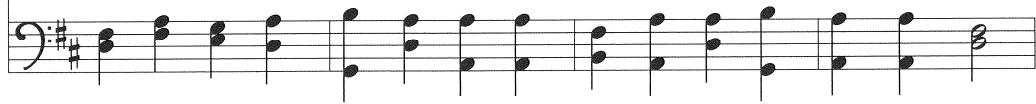
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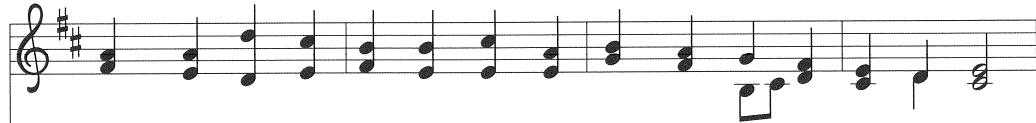
Let Us Ever Walk with Jesus



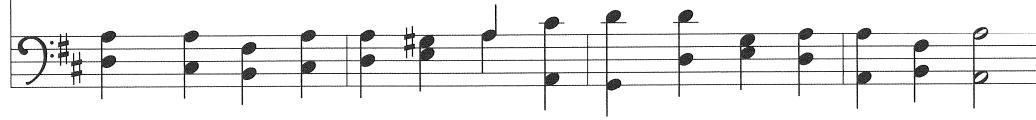
1 Let us ev - er walk with Je - sus, fol - low his ex - am - ple pure,
 2 Let us suf - fer here with Je - sus, and with pa-tience bear our cross.
 3 Let us glad - ly die with Je - sus. Since by death he con-quered death,
 4 Let us al - so live with Je - sus. He has ris - en from the dead



through a world that would de-ceive us and to sin our spir - its lure.
 Joy will fol - low all our sad-ness; where he is there is no loss.
 he will free us from de-struc-tion, give to us im - mor - tal breath.
 that to life we may a - wak - en. Je - sus, you are now our head,



On - ward in his foot-steps tread - ing, trav - 'lers here, our home a - bove,
 Though to - day we sow no laugh-ter, we shall reap ce - les - tial joy:
 Let us mor - ti - fy all pas - sion that would lead us in - to sin;
 we are your own liv - ing mem-bers; where you live, there we shall be



full of faith and hope and love, let us do our Sav - ior's bid - ding.
 all dis - com-forts that an - noy shall give way to mirth here - af - ter.
 and the grave that shuts us in shall but prove the gate of heav - en.
 in your pres - ence con - stant - ly, liv - ing there with you for - ev - er.



DISMISSAL

Go in peace. Serve the Lord; **Thanks be to God.**

POSTLUDE “Stricken, Smitten and Afflicted”
Prayer House Ringers

arr. L. Delaney



**** SCRIP will be ordered on March 8th**

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There is a wonderful saying: "Our assumptions and the truth dine at totally separate tables!", meaning that most often our wants and likings determine our expectations and actions - and they are not necessarily connected with reality.

So if you are expecting the office or your pastor to know about something - please, call the office. Messages left on the office's answering machine are checked multiple times during the day! In case of an emergency you may call Pastor Karin directly: (c) 949.705.9966. Thank you for your ongoing support.



Mission Statement
As the body of the risen Christ, nurtured by Word and Sacrament,
House of Prayer Evangelical Lutheran Church
is called to proclaim the creative and redemptive work of God,
in lives of loving service to its fellowship,
to North San Diego County and, in cooperation with others
to the ends of the earth.

