

Service of Holy Communion



2nd Week in Lent

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LUTHERAN SERVICE BOOK

Divine Service Setting 3, pp. 184-202

Prelude

—kneel as able—

Confession and Absolution

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Kyrie

L: Let us pray for the mercy of the Lord in the presence of God and one another. Holy God, holy and mighty, holy and immortal,

C: have mercy on us.

L: For self-centered living, and for failing to walk with humility and gentleness:

C: Holy God, holy and mighty, holy and immortal, have mercy on us.

L: For longing to have what is not ours, and for hearts that are not content in the Lord:

C: Holy God, holy and mighty, holy and immortal, have mercy on us.

L: For misuse of human relationships, and for unwillingness to see the created image of God in others:

C: Holy God, holy and mighty, holy and immortal, have mercy on us.

L: For jealousies that divide families and nations, and for rivalries that create strife and warfare:

C: Holy God, holy and mighty, holy and immortal, have mercy on us.

L: For reluctance in sharing the gifts of God, and for carelessness with the fruits of creation:

C: Holy God, holy and mighty, holy and immortal, have mercy on us.

L: For hurtful words that condemn, and for angry deeds that harm:

C: Holy God, holy and mighty, holy and immortal, have mercy on us. Amen.

Salutation and Prayer of the Day

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L: The Lord be with you.

C: And also with thy spirit.

—sit—

First Reading

Genesis 12:1-9

— stand as able —

Lenten Verse

LSB 434, st. 1

Gospel Reading

John 3:1-17

—sit—

Hymn of the Day

LSB 543

Homily

—kneel as able—

Prayers of the Church

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—stand as able—

Offertory Hymn

Create in Me

The assembly is invited to sing the Offertory in Portuguese with the ensemble.

Cria em mim, ó Deus, um puro coração, e renova em mim espírito reto.

(Create in me a clean heart, O God, and renew a right spirit within me.)

Não me lances fora da tua presença, e não retires de mim o teu Espírito Santo.

(Cast me not away from Thy presence, and take not Thy Holy Spirit from me.)

Torna a dar me a alegria da tua salvação e sustém me com um voluntário espírito.

Amém.

(Restore unto me the joy of Thy salvation, and uphold me with Thy free spirit. Amen.)



Service of the Sacrament
Lord's Prayer

pp. 194-9
Based on Javanese Song Motif, Indonesia

1
Our Fa - ther in heav - en, hal - low-ed be your Name,

3
your king-dom come, your will be — done, on earth as — in — heav-en.

5
Give us to-day our dai-ly bread. For-give us our — sins as

7
we for-give those who sin a-gainst us. Save us — from the time of tri - al

9
and de-liv-er us — from e - vil. For the king - dom, the pow - er,

11
and the glo - ry are yours now and for-ev - er. A - men.

Agnus Dei

Cordero de Dios

O Lamb of God, you take a-way the sin of the world:
 have mer-cy up - on us, have mer-cy up - on us. O
 Lamb of God, you take a - way the sin of the world:
 have mer-cy up - on us, have mer-cy up - on us. O
 Lamb of God, you take a - way the sin of the world:
 Grant us your peace, grant us your peace.

—sit—

Communion Music

LSB 686, sts. 1-3

Led by the ensemble

LSB 542

Dismissal

—stand as able—

Thanksgiving

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Post-Communion Collect (a prayer of St. Ephraim the Syrian) *prayed in unison*

C: O Lord and Master of our lives, give us not a spirit of idleness, despondency, ambition, and vain talking, but rather bestow on us, your servants, a spirit of purity, humility, patience, and love. Yes, Lord and King, grant us to see our own faults, and not to judge our brother and our sister. For blessed are You unto the ages of ages. Amen.

Salutation, Benedicamus and Benediction

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L: The Lord be with you.

C: And also with thy spirit.

Postlude

The Servants of the Word

Presider: Professor Joel Biermann

Preacher: 4th-year Seminarian John Karolus

Assistants: Dr. Daniel Mattson, Dean of the Chapel Kent Bureson, Seminarian Hayden Brown

Organist: Director of Music Arts James Marriott

Offertory and Communion Ensemble: Alan Furst, Gabi Furst, and George Felten

In Preparation for Communion

To Our Guests:

The Lord's Supper is celebrated on our campus in the confession and glad confidence that our Lord, as He says, gives not only bread and wine, but His very body and blood to eat and drink for the forgiveness of sin. In joyful obedience to the clear teaching of our Lord Jesus those are invited to His table who trust His words, repent of all sin, and set aside any refusal to forgive and love as He forgives and loves us. They show forth His death until He comes. Because Holy Communion is a confession of the faith which is confessed at this altar, any who are not yet instructed, in doubt, or who hold a confession differing from that of The Lutheran Church—Missouri Synod and so are unable to receive the Sacrament are invited to meditate on God's Word in the distribution hymns and pray for the day when divisions will have ceased. -Kent J. Bureson, Dean of the Chapel

Notes Regarding Communion

- The campus Lord's Supper is sponsored and hosted by The Lutheran Church of Webster Gardens and Pastors Joel Christiansen and Brian King.
- We are fed with bread that is prepared in our community.

- We drink the joyous cup of salvation from wine that is grown and produced locally, fruit of the earth that surrounds us here in Missouri, gifts of the Creator's hand. The Chapel's Red Wine is from Montelle Winery, Augusta, Missouri and the White Wine is from Blumenhof Winery, Dutzow, Missouri.
- When receiving the cup to partake of Christ Jesus' blood, please place your hand on the cup in some way to assist the server in guiding it to your mouth. Depending upon how those distributing the cup are holding it, you can either take hold of the cup at the base on the bottom OR on the stem of the chalice OR at the bowl itself on the upper part. By doing so you will assist the server and help to prevent any unwelcome spillage.
- The Reliquary (unconsecrated, additional bread) will be distributed after the service in the narthex if there is sufficient quantity. You are invited to take a piece with you.
- If illness or other extenuating circumstances lead you not to drink wine directly from the chalice, you may intinct the bread by dipping it into the chalice.

Private Confession and Absolution

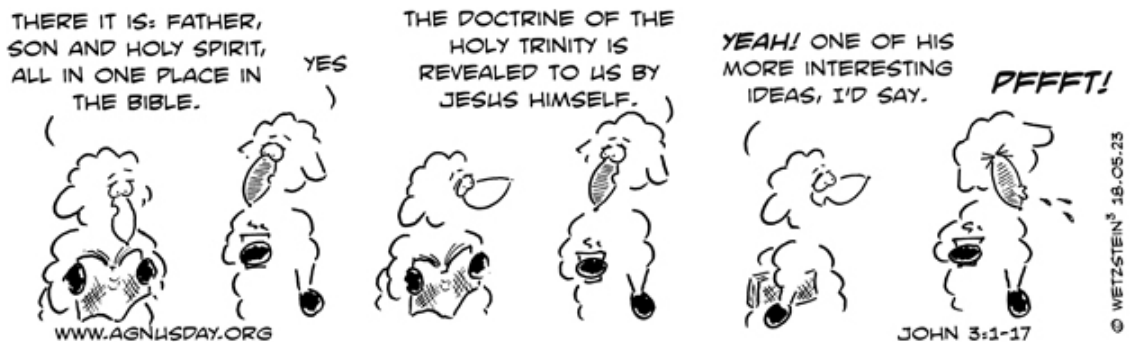
Contact Chaplain Sieveking to arrange for confession and absolution.

Prayer Requests

- Partner Church Bodies: Portuguese Evangelical Lutheran Church led by President Adalberto Hiller
- Districts and District Presidents: Ohio District led by President Kevin Wilson
- Campus Divine Service Host Congregation: The Lutheran Church of Webster Gardens, Webster Groves, MO and Pastors Joel Christiansen and Brian King
- Synodical Leaders: Vice-President John Wohlrabe Jr.
- Missionaries: Charles and Connie Cortright, Alyssa Anders, The Jerry and Patty Lawson Family, and Sarah Harms all serving in Russia
- The Lutheran Women's Missionary League
- Immigrants and Refugees, including those assisted by Christian Friends of New Americans in St. Louis: Daniel, Farah, Youssef, Diop, Haifaa, Shehadehm Mazen, Ayah, Asmaa, Mohammed, and Abdullah; The Poor and Oppressed, especially in Guatemala, Honduras, and El Salvador, and Those Suffering from Natural and Man-Made Disasters: California, Louisiana; Australia Central African Republic, Fiji, Madagascar, Philippines, Puerto Rico, Tonga, Turkey, Somalia, Yemen, Zambia and flooding in countries throughout the world
- For those throughout the world affected by COVID-19 and the prevention of the spread of the Coronavirus
- Those who are ill/undergoing surgery: Rev. Erich Kaelberer battling ALS; Roger Drinnon, father to graduate student Roger Drinnon, battling cancer; Reverend David Schneider, retired missionary, battling ALS; Bruce Lackey, father of seminarian Jonathan Lackey,

diagnosed with Parkinson's Disease; Blake Georgie, husband of staff member Carla Georgie, suffering from kidney failure and awaiting a kidney transplant; Trevor Pinch, long-time friend of Gillian Bond, in a critical phase of treatment for cancer; Eustolio Gomez, retired seminary financial advisor to students, faculty, and staff, battling the recurrence of cancer; Karl Kreft, seminary supporter, recovering from a broken leg; Vicar Rako Zech for continued healing and eradication of cancer; Richard Jostes, member of the staff, undergoing treatment for a brain tumor; Gabby, 5-year old niece of deaconess student Elizabeth Melin, battling cardio-vascular issues; Richard Rabe, grandfather of Elizabeth Melin, battling a severe case of the Shingles; Professor Emeritus David Berger, being treated in the ICU for broken bones and a fractured skull following a fall; C+W employee Kirt Beckman and his wife Doreen who has been diagnosed with lung cancer and is undergoing tests; Seminarian Joshua Parrish and his wife as they attend to her mother Jacquie, who suffers from early onset Alzheimer's Disease

- Those battling mental/emotional/psychological challenges: Somatic Symptom disorder
- Maykou Seying, the entire Seying family, the seminary community, and associates and friends of Rev. Dr. Kou Seying at his death; Vicar Mark Renner, his wife Dana, and their family mourning the death of their premature infant son, Mark; Seminarian Kevin Scott and his wife mourning the death of their baby after suffering a miscarriage; Seminarian Brandon and Dana Metcalf mourning the death of their baby, Lydia, after suffering a stillbirth; The family, friends and seminary community mourning the death of President Emeritus Karl Barth; The family, friends and seminary community mourning the death of Anita Karrer, longtime Gifts by Phone Caller in Seminary Support



Reflections on John 3 for the upcoming Sunday from Ted and Rick (dark nose) by LCMS Pastor James Wetzstein (Agnus Day appears with the permission of www.agnusday.org).

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Invitation to Communion (after peace)

God's love is poured out in Christ for you. May the Spirit open you to receive it in faith.

Blessing

**Now is the acceptable time. Now is the day of salvation. The Lord bless you and keep you.
The Lord make his face shine upon you and be gracious unto you. The Lord lift up His
countenance upon you and give you peace.**

C: Amen.