

Church Calendar this week

Sunday, March 1
8:45 am Little Bethany Worship
9:00 am Coffee Hour (NL)
9:30 Coffee Hour (LB)
10:00 am New Life Worship

Monday, March 2
9:00 am Tai Ji Quan

Tuesday, March 3
11:00 am March Thrivent Event

Wednesday, March 4
5:15 pm Confirmation
5:45 pm Lenten Supper and Worship

Thursday, March 5
9:00 am Tai Ji Quan

Friday, March 6
No activities

Saturday, March 7
No activities

Sunday, March 8
8:45 am Little Bethany Worship
9:00 am Coffee Hour (NL)
10:00 am New Life Worship

Thank you to:

Organist:
Joyce Peterson

Reader:
Becca Olson

Sound System:
Jessica Nelson

SERMON

 HYMN OF THE DAY—LBW #377
"Lift High the Cross"

OFFERING

OFFERATORY PRAYER

Nourishing God, you are water in the wilderness and streams in the desert. Please satisfy our parched places, that we may rejoice and be for the world signs of your kingdom come. Amen.

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 catholic Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and life everlasting. Amen.

THE PRAYERS

HOLY COMMUNION

The Words of Institution and Lord's Prayer

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed by 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, Blessing, and Prayer

THE BENEDICTION

The Lord bless you and keep you. The Lord make his face shine on you and be gracious to you. The Lord look upon you with favor and give you peace. **Amen.**

 SENDING HYMN—LBW#492

"O Master, Let Me Walk With You"

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

Second Sunday of Lent

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PRELUDE

ANNOUNCEMENTS

BRIEF ORDER FOR CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS

Blessed be the holy Trinity, one God, who forgives all our sin, whose mercy endures forever.

Amen.

Let us confess our sin before God, who removes our guilt and blots out all offenses. Gracious God,

For seeking worldly delights that deceive us and dishonor you: Gracious God, have mercy on us according to your steadfast love.

For desiring self-reliance instead of hungering for your word: Gracious God, have mercy on us according to your steadfast love.

For failing to recognize your coming reign, and for hindering the work of the Spirit: Gracious God, have mercy on us according to your steadfast love.

For drawing from the well of self-serving ambition, and for disdain the living water Christ offers: Gracious God, have mercy on us according to your steadfast love.

For disregarding voices from the margin, and for distrusting signs of your healing and hope in the world: Gracious God, have mercy on us according to your steadfast love.

For dwelling in tombs of self-pity and discontent, and for disregarding Christ's call to come forth to life: Gracious God, **have mercy on us according to your steadfast love.**

God's steadfast love, grace, and forgiveness abound. Through faith, the free gift of God, you have been clothed in the righteousness of Christ. In the name of Jesus Christ, your sins are forgiven. The Spirit of the One who raised Christ from the dead dwells in you, pours God's love into your hearts, and gives you life and peace.

Amen.

 OPENING HYMN—LBW #245

"All People That on Earth Do Dwell"

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Publication Deadlines:

Sunday announcements - Tuesday A.M.,

Newsletter - 19th of the month

During Lent we journey with all those around the world who will be baptized at the Easter Vigil. In today's gospel Jesus tells Nicodemus that he must be born of water and Spirit. At the font we are given a new birth as children of God. As God made a covenant with Abraham, in baptism God promises to raise us up with Christ to new life. From worship we are sent forth to proclaim God's love for all the world.

