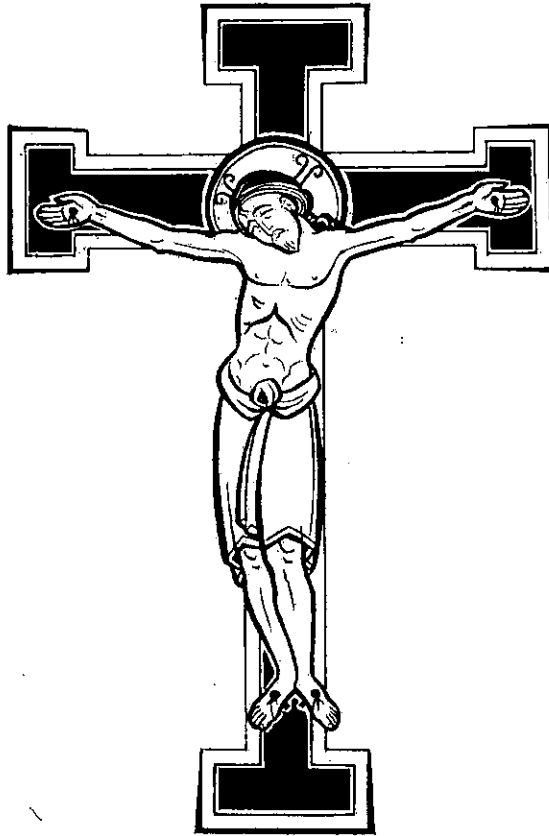


# The Season of Lent



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**Welcome** guests and visitors! For guests with a hearing aid, we have a T-coil loop which broadcasts worship directly to your device.

**Please silence your cell phones and pagers**, unless you are on emergency duty. Thank you. For the sake of the people around you, please do not display any weapons you may have with you.

**Child-size hooks and a shoe rack** are available in the coatroom for little peoples' things.

**Children are welcome** to use the Kid Space in the back of the sanctuary with books and quiet toys.

**We celebrate Holy Communion (the Eucharist) today.** We invite all to the table. If you receive bread and wine in your own church, we invite you to share the real presence of Christ among us. God's promises assure us of forgiveness and strength as we share together in grace. For reasons of health, a limited amount of grape juice and gluten-free communion bread are available by asking at the altar.

**Regarding the Liturgy**, the Congregation's responses are marked with **☒**. **☐** is for Pastor.

#### **How to Provide Altar Flowers**

Flowers for the altar are provided by members. There is a sign-up sheet by the entrance steps. Please consider providing flowers on a special date. Please fill out an announcement/dedication card (available by the flower chart) to provide information for the bulletin. Cards can be placed in the offering plate or the church office.

**Please sign up to be** a reader, a communion assistant or a member of the Altar Guild set-up and clean-up team. Sign-up sheets are by the Good News Board as you enter or exit worship.

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Allow the music of any unfamiliar tunes to wash over you until you are comfortable to join in, and the piano will lead you.

## Welcome

### Kievan Chant (*sung*)

- ☐ Holy God. Holy Mighty.  
Holy Immortal, have mercy on us.

## Hymn

### Thanksgiving for Water

#### Kyrie



1, 3 Lord, . . . have mer - cy. Lord, . . . have mer - cy.  
2 Christ, . . . have mer - cy. Christ, . . . have mer - cy.

Lord, . . . have mer - cy. Lord, . . . have mer - cy.  
Christ, . . . have mer - cy. Christ, . . . have mer - cy.



1 I want Je - sus to walk with me;  
2 In my tri - als, Lord, walk with me;  
3 When I'm in trou - ble, Lord, walk with me;

I want Je - sus to walk with me;  
in my tri - als, Lord, walk with me;  
When I'm in trou - ble, Lord, walk with me;

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all a - long my pil - grim jour - ney,  
 when my heart is al - most break - ing,  
 when my head is bowed in sor - row,

Lord, I want Je - sus to walk with me.  
 Lord, I want Je - sus to walk with me.  
 Lord, I want Je - sus to walk with me.

### Children's Story

### Old Testament Reading

*(after the reading)*

- The word of the Lord.
- Thanks be to God.

### Psalm

### The Second Reading

*(after the reading)*

- The word of the Lord.
- Thanks be to God. And peace be to you, the reader.

Re - turn to the Lord, your God, re - turn to the Lord your God, who is  
gra-clous and mer-ci-ful, slow to an - ger, and a - bound-ing in stead-fast love.

- The Holy Gospel according to \_\_\_\_\_  
 **Glory to you, O Lord.**

*(after the reading)*

- The Gospel of the Lord.  
 **Praise to you, O Christ.**

**Choir Anthem** *(when scheduled)*

**Sermon**

**The Creed** *(projected on slides)*

**Hymn** *(During which offerings will be received)*

**Prayers**

- Brothers and sisters, let us pray for the whole people of God in Christ Jesus, and for all people according to their needs.

*After each petition*

- Lord, in your mercy, . . .  
 **Receive our prayer.**
- Into your hands, O God, we commend all for whom we pray, trusting in your mercy; through Jesus Christ our Lord.  
 **Amen.**

- P** The peace of the Lord be with you always.  
**C** And also with you.

### The Great Thanksgiving

- P** The Lord be with you.  
**C** And also with you.  
**P** Lift up your hearts.  
**C** We lift them to the Lord.  
**P** Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.  
**C** It is right to give our thanks and praise.
- P** . . . We proclaim the Lord's death until he comes.  
**C** Christ has died. Christ is risen. Christ will come again.

### The Lord's Prayer

- P** Lord, remember us in your kingdom, and teach us to pray:
- C** 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.

### Distribution of Communion

### Signs of God's Grace

## Benediction and Dismissal

A - men, A - men, A - - - - men.

The image shows a musical score for two staves. The top staff is in treble clef with a key signature of one sharp (F#) and a common time signature. The bottom staff is in bass clef with the same key signature and time signature. The lyrics 'A - men, A - men, A - - - - men.' are written below the top staff. The music consists of a series of chords and single notes, with a long note on the final 'men'.

## Closing Hymn

- Go in peace.
- Thanks be to God.





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Other websites and phone numbers you may need:

Our Synod [www.mittensynod.org](http://www.mittensynod.org)

The ELCA [www.elca.org](http://www.elca.org)

Our Scout Troop 1048 [www.whitelakescouting.com](http://www.whitelakescouting.com)

Suicide Hotline 1-800-SUICIDE or 988

[www.co.muskegon.mi.us/cmh/suicide\\_prevention](http://www.co.muskegon.mi.us/cmh/suicide_prevention)

Every Woman's Place 231-722-3333 or [www.everywomansplace.org](http://www.everywomansplace.org)

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That every person, including children, are encouraged  
to give 10%, save 10% & live on 80% of their income.**