

AND A VOICE CAME FROM HEAVEN:  
"YOU ARE MY SON, WHOM I LOVE;  
WITH YOU I AM WELL PLEASED."

- MARK 1:11 -

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1st Sunday Of Lent

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**LBW (Green)** Lutheran Book of Worship

**WOV (Blue)** With One Voice

**CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS LBW p.56**

**P** *In the name of the father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.*

**C Amen**

**P** *Almighty God, to whom all hearts are open, all desires known, and from whom no secrets are hid: Cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love you and worthily magnify your holy name, through Jesus Christ our Lord.*

**C Amen**

**P** *If we say we have no sin, we deceive ourselves, and the truth is not in us. But if we confess our sins, God who is faithful and just will forgive our sins and cleanse us from all unrighteousness.*

**P** *Most merciful God,*

**C** **We confess that we are in bondage to sin and cannot free ourselves. We have sinned against you in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done and by what we have left undone. We have not loved you with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. For the sake of your son, Jesus Christ, have mercy on us. Forgive us, renew us, and lead us, so that we may delight in your will and walk in your ways, to the glory of your holy name.**

**Amen.**

**P** *In the mercy of almighty God, Jesus Christ was given to die for us, and for his sake God forgives us all our sins. As a baptized Christian of the Church of Christ, and by his authority, I therefore declare to you the entire forgiveness of all your sins, in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.*

**C Amen.**

**OPENING HYMN “Shout to the Lord”** Words on Screen

**GREETING LBW p. 57**

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

**C** **And also with you.**

**KYRIE LBW p. 57 (spoken)**

## **PRAYER OF THE DAY**

**P** *The Lord be with you.*

**C** **And also with you.**

**P** *Let us pray.*

**C** **Almighty and everlasting God, in Christ you have revealed your glory among the nations. Preserve the works of your mercy, that your Church throughout the world may persevere with steadfast faith in the confession of your name, through your son, Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.**

## **FIRST LESSON: Genesis 9: 8-17**

Then God said to Noah and to his sons with him, <sup>9</sup>“As for me, I am establishing my covenant with you and your descendants after you, <sup>10</sup>and with every living creature that is with you, the birds, the domestic animals, and every animal of the earth with you, as many as came out of the ark.

<sup>11</sup>I establish my covenant with you, that never again shall all flesh be cut off by the waters of a flood, and never again shall there be a flood to destroy the earth.” <sup>12</sup>God said, “This is the sign of the covenant that I make between me and you and every living creature that is with you, for all future generations: <sup>13</sup>I have set my bow in the clouds, and it shall be a sign of the covenant between me and the earth. <sup>14</sup>When I bring clouds over the earth and the bow is seen in the clouds, <sup>15</sup>I will remember my covenant that is between me and you and every living creature of all flesh; and the waters shall never again become a flood to destroy all flesh. <sup>16</sup>When the bow is in the clouds, I will see it and remember the everlasting covenant between God and every living creature of all flesh that is on the earth.” <sup>17</sup>God said to Noah, “This is the sign of the covenant that I have established between me and all flesh that is on the earth.”

**L** **The Word of the Lord.**

**C** **Thanks be to God.**

**PSALM: Psalm 25: 1-10** (*unison*)

**To you, O LORD, I lift up my soul.**

**O my God, in you I trust;**

**do not let me be put to shame;**

**do not let my enemies exult over me.**

**Do not let those who wait for you be put to shame;**

**let them be ashamed who are wantonly treacherous.**

**Make me to know your ways, O LORD;**

**teach me your paths.**

**Lead me in your truth, and teach me,**

**for you are the God of my salvation;**

**for you I wait all day long.**

**Be mindful of your mercy, O LORD, and of your steadfast love,**

**for they have been from of old.**

**Do not remember the sins of my youth or my transgressions;**

**according to your steadfast love remember me,**

**for your goodness' sake, O LORD!**

**Good and upright is the LORD;**

**therefore he instructs sinners in the way.**

**He leads the humble in what is right,**

**and teaches the humble his way.**

**All the paths of the LORD are steadfast love and faithfulness,**

**for those who keep his covenant and his decrees.**

**SECOND LESSON: 1 Peter 3: 18-22**

For Christ also suffered for sins once for all, the righteous for the unrighteous, in order to bring you to God. He was put to death in the flesh, but made alive in the spirit, <sup>19</sup> in which also he went and made a proclamation to the spirits in prison, <sup>20</sup> who in former times did not obey, when God waited patiently in the days of Noah, during the building of the ark, in which a few, that is, eight persons, were saved through water. <sup>21</sup> And baptism, which this prefigured, now saves you—not as a removal of dirt from the body, but as an appeal to God for a good conscience, through the resurrection of Jesus Christ, <sup>22</sup> who has gone into heaven and is at the right hand of God, with angels, authorities, and powers made subject to him.

**L** The Word of the Lord.

**C** Thanks be to God.

**CHILDREN'S MESSAGE:** "*Jesus Loves Me*" (*1<sup>st</sup> verse only*)

**LENTEN VERSE** LBW p. 63 (Sung)

**GOSPEL: Mark 1: 9-15**

**P** *The Holy Gospel today is according to Mark, the 1<sup>st</sup> chapter.*

**C** **Glory to you, O Lord.**

In those days Jesus came from Nazareth of Galilee and was baptized by John in the Jordan. And just as he was coming up out of the water, he saw the heavens torn apart and the Spirit descending like a dove on him. <sup>11</sup> And a voice came from heaven, "You are my Son, whom I love; with you I am well pleased." And the Spirit immediately drove him out into the wilderness. He was in the wilderness forty days, tempted by Satan; and he was with the wild beasts; and the angels waited on him.

Now after John was arrested, Jesus came to Galilee, proclaiming the good news of God, and saying, "The time is fulfilled, and the kingdom of God has come near; repent, and believe in the good news."

**P** *The Gospel of the Lord.*

**C** **Praise to you, O Christ.**

**SERMON: "Remind Me Who I Am"**

**SONG OF THE DAY: "The Power of Your Love" – Kendra & Lori  
Kappler**

**APOSTLE'S CREED** LBW p. 65

**THE PRAYERS OF THE CHURCH**

**P** *...Lord in your mercy,*

**C** **Hear our prayer.**

**LORD'S PRAYER** LBW p. 71

**SHARING OF GOD'S PEACE**

**P** *The peace of the Lord be with you all.*

**C** **And also with you.**

**OFFERING**

**OFFERING HYMN "Let The Vineyards Be Fruitful" LBW p.66**

**OFFERTORY PRAYER** LBW p. 68

**P** *And together we pray. Blessed are you,*

**C** **O Lord our God, maker of all things. Through your goodness you have blessed us with these gifts. With them we offer ourselves to your service, and dedicate our lives to the care and redemption of all that you have made, for the sake of him who gave himself for us, Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.**

**BLESSING LBW** p. 76

And now receive the blessing. May the Lord bless you and keep you. May the Lord make his face shine on you and be gracious to you. The Lord look upon you with his favor and give you peace.

**Amen.**

**SENDING SONG** “*Shine, Jesus, Shine*” WOV p. 651

**DISMISSAL**

**P** *Go in peace and serve your neighbor.*

**C** **Yes we will. Thanks be to God.**

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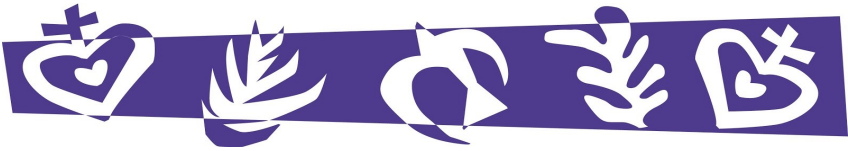
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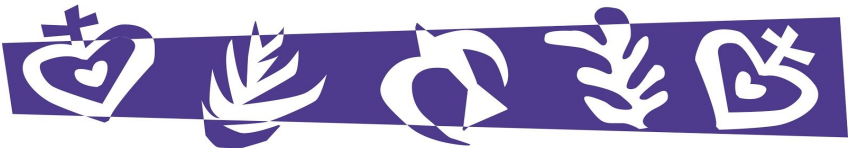


# 2021 Lenten Worship Schedule

## *“Isaiah”*

### Rebellion To Redemption

Wed Feb 17	Ash Wednesday 5:30 Worship @ East 7:00 Worship @ Baltic
Wed Feb 24	6:00 pm Lenten Service @ East w/Pastor Tom Stadem
Wed Mar 3	6:00 pm Lenten Service @ Baltic w/Pastor Jared Rakness
Wed Mar 10	6:00 pm Lenten Service @ East w/Pastor Adam Guthmiller
Wed Mar 17	6:00 pm Lenten Service @ Baltic w/Pastor Randall Questad
Wed Mar 24	6:00 pm Lenten Service @ East w/Pastor Laura Phillips
Thu Apr 1	6:00 pm Maundy Thursday Service @ Baltic
Fri Apr 2	6:00 pm Good Friday Service @ East
Sun Apr 4	7:00 am Easter Sunrise Service @ East 9:00 am Easter Sunrise Service @ Baltic



### LENTEN OFFERING

**Baltic:** 1/2 Banquet &  
1/2 Baltic Food Bank  
**East:** Baltic Food Bank

## Sunday, February 21<sup>st</sup>

<b>Baltic</b>	9:00 Worship
<b>East Nidaros</b>	10:30 Worship
	10:30 Online Worship

## Things Happening Week of February 21st

Mon Feb 22	TBD
Tues Feb 23	TBD
Wed Feb 24	6:00 <b>Lent Service</b> at East
Thurs Feb 25	9:00 Bulletin & Newsletter Assembly
Fri Feb 26	TBD
Sat Feb 27	10:30-11:30 Food Back Open

## Sunday, February 28<sup>st</sup>

<b>Baltic</b>	9:00 Worship
<b>East Nidaros</b>	10:30 Worship
	10:30 Online Worship
	4:00 Joint Council Retreat & Council Meetings at Morton Center

