

10 a.m. Worship
Augustana Lutheran Church
Pastor Amy Kelly
Accompanist Kaele Peterson

GATHERING

The Holy Spirit calls us together as the people of God.

(*stand if able)

PRELUDE

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

*CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS

P: Blessed be the holy Trinity, \pm one God, who writes the law on our hearts, who draws all people together through Jesus.

C: Amen.

P: Held in God's mercy, let us confess our sin in the presence of God and of one another.

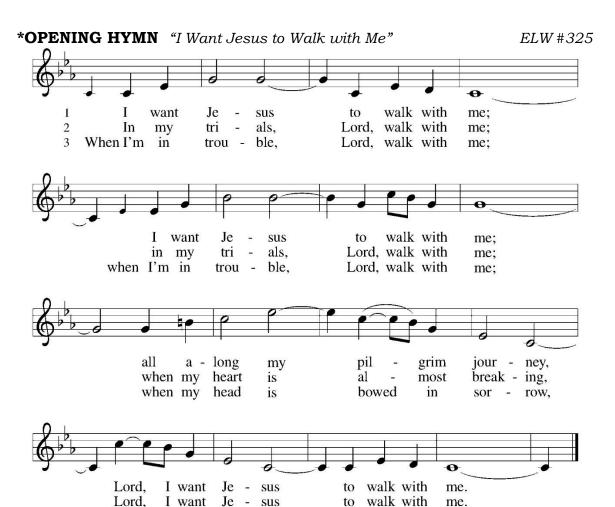
Silence is kept for reflection.

P: Holy God,

C: we confess that we are caught in snares of sin and cannot break free. We hoard resources while our neighbors are hungry and cold. We speak in ways that silence others. We are silent when we should speak up. We keep score in our hearts. We let hurts grow into hatred. For all these things and for sins only you know, forgive us, Lord. Amen.

P: Here is a flood of grace: Out of love for the whole world, God draws near to us, breaks every snare of sin, washes away our wrongs, and restores the promise of life through + Jesus Christ.

C: Amen.



Text: African American spiritual

Music: SOJOURNER, African American spiritual

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*GREETING

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

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C: And also with you.



*PRAYER OF THE DAY

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.

CHILDREN'S WORD

WORD

God speaks to us in scripture reading, preaching and song.

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. ¹I 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."

P: The word of the Lord.

C: Thanks be to God.

*GOSPEL ACCLAMATION "Sanctuary"



*GOSPEL

P: The Holy Gospel according to Mark.

C: Glory to you, O Lord.

Mark 8:31-38

³¹Then he 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."

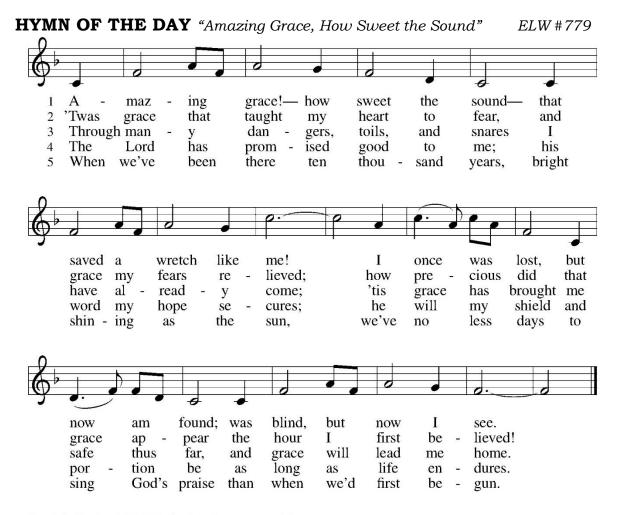
³⁴He called the crowd with his disciples, and said to them, "If any want to become my followers, let them deny themselves and take up their cross and follow me. ³⁵For those who want to save their life will lose it, and those who lose their life for my sake, and for the sake of the gospel, will save it. 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."

P: The Gospel of our Lord.

C: Thanks be to God.

MESSAGE



Text: John Newton, 1725–1807, alt., sts. 1–4; anonymous, st. 5 Music: NEW BRITAIN, W. Walker, *Southern Harmony*, 1835

*APOSTLES' CREED

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 THE PEOPLE

Each petition will end with the words, "Lord, in Your mercy," Congregation responds in song:



Text: Ken Medema, b. 1943 Music: Ken Medema CHILDREN PRAYING

*PASSING OF THE PEACE

P: The Peace of Christ be with you always.

C: And also with you.

OFFERING



Text: Henry Smith

Music: GIVE THANKS, Henry Smith

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*OFFERING PRAYER

P: Jesus, you are the bread of life and the host of this meal. Bless these gifts that we have gathered that all people may know your goodness. Feed us not only with this holy food but with hunger for justice and peace. We pray this in your name.

C: Amen.

MEAL

God feeds us with the presence of Jesus Christ. We commune together following The Lord's Prayer.

GREAT THANKSGIVING & WORDS OF INSITUTION

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: Holy, almighty and merciful God. You are most holy, and great is the majesty of your glory.

You so loved the world that you gave your only Son, so that everyone who believes in him may not perish but have eternal life.

We give you thanks for his coming into the world to fulfill for us your holy will and to accomplish all things for our salvation. In the night in which he was betrayed, our Lord Jesus took bread, and gave thanks; broke it, and gave it to his disciples, saying: Take and eat; this is my body, given for you. Do this for the remembrance of me.

Again, after supper, he took the cup, gave thanks, and gave it for all to drink, saying:
This cup is the new covenant in my blood, shed for you and for all people for the forgiveness of sin.
Do this for the remembrance of me.

For as often as we eat of this bread and drink from this cup, we proclaim the Lord's death until he comes.

C: Christ has died. Christ is risen. Christ will come again.

P: To you, O God, Father, Son, and Holy Spirit, be all honor and glory in your holy church, now and forever. **C: Amen.**

THE LORD'S PRAYER 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

We partake of the bread and wine together.

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COMMUNION HYMN "Eat This Bread, Drink This Cup" ELW #492 Refrain D G Bm Em Α A/C# Eat this bread, drink this cup. Taste and see the Α G Em Bm F#m good-ness of God. Bread of life, cup of love, G^2 G D A we re-joice in your pres - ence. C will bless the Lord all times, at 2 Look up on the Lord, be ra diant, An gels fold their wings a - round us, 4 Saints of God, bow down and wor ship, F/E Dm Am Esus E Flext: Jeremy Young, b. 1948, refrain; With One Voice, stanzas, based on Fs. 34 Masic: Jeremy Young Francis on an one of the Augmentation 10 with praise heart voice; and in my I God nev turn a way. God will in save guard through good and ill. Those who seek the the ho ly name. Rise to tell God's Am D G Em Asus A Refrain 0 glo - ry for - ev - er: lis ten and re joice! ev - 'ry af - flic - tion, hear us when we pray. Lord will lack noth - ing; taste, and have your fill.

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PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

P: Generous God, at this table we have tasted your immeasurable grace. As grains of wheat are gathered into one bread, now make us one loaf to feed the world; in the name of Jesus, the Bread of life.

C: Amen.

SENDING

God blesses us and sends us in mission to the world.

FINAL BLESSING

P: May the Lord bless you and keep you. May the Lord make His face to shine upon you, and be gracious unto you. May the Lord look upon you with favor and give us peace, forever and ever.

C: Amen.

Lord.

*SENDING HYMN "Humble Thyself/Awesome God"

Humble thyself in the sight of the Lord; Humble thyself in the sight of the

And He, shall lift, you up. Higher and higher And He, shall lift, you up.

Our God is an awesome God He reigns from heaven above With wisdom, power, and love Our God is an awesome God. Serve one another in the sight of the Lord; Serve one another in the sight of

the Lord;

And He, shall lift, you up. Higher and higher And He, shall lift, you up.

Our God is an awesome God He reigns from heaven above With wisdom, power, and love

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*DISMISSAL

P: Go in peace, humble to serve.

C: Thanks be to God.

AUGUSTANA'S CALENDAR

Sun	2/25	9:15 a.m. 10 a.m. 11 a.m. 4 p.m. 5:30 p.m.	Coffee Fellowship Worship February Birthdays Celebration National Youth Meeting Ladies Pottery Night
Wed	2/28	11:30 a.m. 12:10 p.m. 3:30–5 p.m. 6:30 p.m.	Ladies Lunch @ Cally's Café Lenten Service @ Hope Storykeepers @ Zion Lenten Service @ Hope; 5:30 meal
Thu	2/29	9 a.m. 12 p.m.	Piecemakers Quilting in Fellowship Hall Bible Study in Libary
Sun	3/5	9:15 a.m. 10 a.m. 11:20 a.m.	Coffee Fellowship Worship Worship Board Meeting

Please see the Kiosk for details on other happenings this week



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February Birthdays

Braden Bucher Dennis Youngberg

Darren Johnson Lester Kiphuth

Elijah Nygaard Jr. Andrew Johnson

Maeve Rogers Bret Kiphuth

Rae Montgomery Brant Scheuerman

Rachel Wahlstrom Patrick Eidenschink

Eleanor Auseth Judy Heinen

Karen Gabrielson Bert Hoffman

Jerry Shea Owen Winge

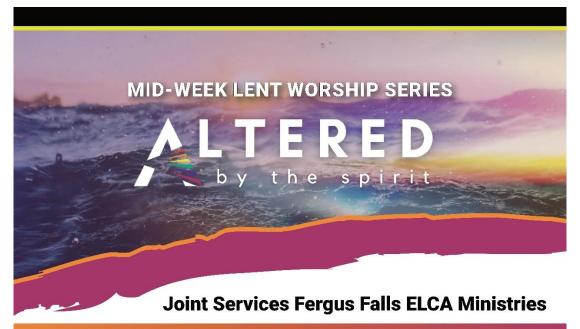
Janet Swenson Donna Johnson

February Anniversaries

Paul and Sara Manock

Bert and Ann Hoffman

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WEDNESDAYS, FEBRUARY 21-MARCH 20, 2024

12:10pm Worship followed by Lunch • 5:30pm Meal • 6:30pm Worship

Theme: "ALTERED BY THE SPIRIT"

FEBRUARY 21

Augustana Lutheran Church www.augustanalutheran.org

FEBRUARY 28

Hope Lutheran Church www.hopeff.org

MARCH 6

First Lutheran Church www.Firstlutheranchurchff.org

MARCH 13

Zion Lutheran Church www.zionlutheranff.org

MARCH 20

Bethlehem Lutheran Church www.bethlehemff.org

 6:30pm* services will be live-streamed & on KBRF AM 1250
 Visit Church website for live-stream links