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Second Wednesday in Lent
March 9, 2022

Prelude
Tower Bells
Welcome

Visitors are encouraged to note their attendance by filling out the "Welcome" side (blue print) of the pew cards and putting the card into the offering plate.

OPENING HYMN – 421 *Jesus, Grant that Balm and Healing*

OPENING VERSICLES FOR LENT (*Congregation Stands*)

P This is the day which the Lord has made;

C let us rejoice and be glad in it.

P From the rising of the sun to its setting,

C the name of the Lord is to be praised.

P Return to the Lord, your God, for He is gracious and merciful.

C slow to anger, and abounding in steadfast love, and repents of evil.

P Jesus said: If any man would come after Me,

C let him deny himself and take up his cross and follow Me.

P Christ was wounded for our transgressions.

C He was bruised for our iniquities.

P From the rising of the sun to its setting,

C The name of the Lord is to be praised.

**All Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit;
as it was in the beginning, is now, and will be forever. Amen.**

CANTICLE HYMN — 750 vs 1-3 *If Thou But Trust in God to Guide Thee*

READINGS FROM THE HOLY SCRIPTURES – Isaiah 41:8-13

8 But you, Israel, my servant,
Jacob, whom I have chosen,
the offspring of Abraham, my friend;
9 you whom I took from the ends of the earth,
and called from its farthest corners,
saying to you, “You are my servant,
I have chosen you and not cast you off”;
10 fear not, for I am with you;
be not dismayed, for I am your God;
I will strengthen you, I will help you,
I will uphold you with my righteous right hand.
11 Behold, all who are incensed against you

shall be put to shame and confounded;
those who strive against you
shall be as nothing and shall perish.
12 You shall seek those who contend with you,
but you shall not find them;
those who war against you
shall be as nothing at all.
13 For I, the LORD your God,
hold your right hand;
it is I who say to you, “Fear not,
I am the one who helps you.”

P: This is the Word of the Lord.

C: Thanks be to God.

Matthew 6:1-6

1 “Beware of practicing your righteousness before other people in order to be seen by them, for then you will have no reward from your Father who is in heaven.
2 “Thus, when you give to the needy, sound no trumpet before you, as the hypocrites do in the synagogues and in the streets, that they may be praised by others. Truly, I say to you, they have received their reward. 3 But when you give to the needy, do not let your left hand know what your right hand is doing, 4 so that your giving may be in secret. And your Father who sees in secret will reward you.
5 “And when you pray, you must not be like the hypocrites. For they love to stand and pray in the synagogues and at the street corners, that they may be seen by others. Truly, I say to you, they have received their reward. 6 But when you pray, go into your room and shut the door and pray to your Father who is in secret. And your Father who sees in secret will reward you.

P: This is the Word of the Lord.

C: Thanks be to God.

RESPONSORY

P We have an advocate with the Father; Jesus Christ, the Righteous One.
C He was delivered up to death; He was delivered for the sins of the people.
P Blessed is the one whose transgression is forgiven, whose sin is covered.
C He was delivered up to death; He was delivered for the sins of the people.
P We have an advocate with the Father; Jesus Christ, the Righteous One.
C He was delivered up to death; He was delivered for the sins of the people.

PSALM 4 and SERMON (See insert)

SERMON HYMN — 750 vs 4-7

*If Thou But Trust in God to Guide Thee
(Offering brought forward during verse 7)*

COLLECT FOR THE WORD *Congregation Stands*

C Blessed Lord, You have caused all Holy Scriptures to be written for our learning. Grant that we may so hear them, read, mark, learn, and take them to heart that, by the patience and comfort of Your holy Word, we may embrace and ever hold fast the blessed hope of everlasting life; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.

THE LORD'S PRAYER (*Sing*)

Our Father,
Which art in heaven,
Hallowed be Thy name.
Thy Kingdom come,
They will be done on earth as it is in heaven.
Give us this day our daily bread,
And forgive us our debts as we forgive our debtors.
And lead us not into temptation,
But deliver us from evil,
For Thine is the Kingdom and the power and the glory, forever. Amen.

THE NAME OF THE LORD UPON US

P Let us bless the Lord. **C Thanks be to God.**

P The LORD bless you and keep you;
the LORD make his face shine upon you and be gracious to you;
the LORD look upon you with favor and give you peace.

C Amen.

CLOSING HYMN – 919

Abide, O Dearest Jesus

LENT and HOLY WEEK SCHEDULE

Date	Topic	Time
March 2 Ash Wednesday	Psalm 91	1:00 pm & 7:00 pm (Kidz Konnection & meal 5:30 pm)
Wed., March 9	Psalm 4	1:00 pm & 7:00 pm (5:30 pm meal)
Wed., March 16	Psalm 85	1:00 pm & 7:00 pm (5:30 pm meal)
Wed., March 23	Psalm 32	1:00 pm & 7:00 pm (5:30 pm meal)
Wed., March 30	Psalm 126	1:00 pm & 7:00 pm (5:30 pm meal)
Wed., April 6	Psalm 31:5, 9-16	1:00 pm & 7:00 pm (Kidz Konnection & meal 5:30 pm)
Thursday, April 14 Maundy Thursday	Psalm 116:12-19 (With Holy Communion)	1:00 pm & 7:00 pm
Friday, April 15 Good Friday	Psalm 22	1:00 pm & 7:00 pm
Resurrection Sunday April 17	Psalm 118:1, 15-29 (With Holy Communion)	10:00 am