

ORDER OF WORSHIP

INVOCATION

P In the name of the Father and of the ✠ Son and of the Holy Spirit.

C Amen.

SALUTATION AND COLLECT OF THE DAY

P The Lord be with you.

C And also with you.

P Let us pray.

O God, in the glorious transfiguration of Your beloved Son You confirmed the mysteries of the faith by the testimony of Moses and Elijah. In the voice that came from the bright cloud You wonderfully foreshowed our adoption by grace. Mercifully make us co-heirs with the King in His glory and bring us to the fullness of our inheritance in heaven; through the same Jesus Christ, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

C Amen.

Sit

CHOIR SELECTIONS

OLD TESTAMENT READING

P This is the Word of the Lord.

Deuteronomy 34:1–12

C Thanks be to God.

EPISTLE

P This is the Word of the Lord.

Hebrews 3:1–6

C Thanks be to God.

Stand

ALLELUIA AND VERSE (Sung)

Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia.

These things are written that you may believe that Jesus is the Christ, the Son of God.

Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia.

HOLY GOSPEL

Luke 9:28–36

P The Holy Gospel according to St. Luke, the ninth chapter.

C Glory to You, O Lord.

P This is the Gospel of the Lord.

C Praise to You, O Christ.

Sit

HYMN #918

"Guide Me, O Thou Great Redeemer"



1 Guide me, O Thou great Re - deem - er, Pil - grim through this
2 O - pen now the crys - tal foun - tain Whence the heal - ing
3 When I tread the verge of Jor - dan, Bid my anx - ious



bar - ren land. I am weak, but Thou art might - y;
stream doth flow; Let the fi - ery, cloud - y pil - lar
fears sub - side; Death of death and hell's de - struc - tion,



Hold me with Thy pow'r - ful hand. Bread of heav - en,
Lead me all my jour - ney through. Strong de - liv - 'rer,
Land me safe on Ca - naan's side. Songs of prais - es,



bread of heav - en, Feed me till I want no
strong de - liv - 'rer, Be Thou still my strength and
songs of prais - es I will ev - er give to



more; Feed me till I want no more.
shield; Be Thou still my strength and shield.
Thee; I will ev - er give to Thee.

Text: William Williams, 1717-91, abr.; (st. 1): tr. Peter Williams, 1722-96, alt.; (sts. 2-3): tr. William Williams, 1717-91 Tune: John Hughes, 1873-1932

SERMON

"Entering Into the Promised Land"

Deuteronomy 34:1-12

OFFERING

Stand

PRAYER OF THE CHURCH

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.

Service of the Sacrament

CONFESSION AND ABSOLUTION

THE WORDS OF OUR LORD

PAX DOMINI

P The peace of the Lord be with you always.

C Amen.

AGNUS DEI (Sung)

C 1 O Jesus Christ, true Lamb of God,
You take the sin of the world away;
O Jesus Christ, true Lamb of God,
Have mercy on us, Lord, we pray.

2 O Jesus Christ, true Lamb of God,
You take the sin of the world away;
Have mercy on us, Jesus Christ,
And grant us peace, O Lord, we pray.

Text: Stephen P. Starke

DISTRIBUTION

HYMN #637

"Draw Near and Take the Body of The Lord"



1 Draw near and take the bod - y of the Lord,
2 He who His saints in this world rules and shields,
3 Come for - ward then with faith - ful hearts sin - cere,



And drink the ho - ly blood for you out - poured;
To all be - liev - ers life e - ter - nal yields;
And take the pledg - es of sal - va - tion here.



Of - fered was He for great - est and for least,
With heav'n - ly bread He makes the hun - gry whole,
O Lord, our hearts with grate - ful thanks en - dow



Him - self the vic - tim and Him - self the priest.
Gives liv - ing wa - ters to the thirst - ing soul.
As in this feast of love You bless us now.

Text: Latin, 7th cent.; tr. John Mason Neale, 1818-66, alt. Tune: Trente quatre Pseaumes de David, 1551.

HYMN #414

"Tis Good, Lord, to Be Here"



1 'Tis good, Lord, to be here! Thy
2 'Tis good, Lord, to be here, Thy
3 Ful - fill - er of the past And
4 Be - fore we taste of death, We
5 'Tis good, Lord, to be here! Yet



glo - ry fills the night; Thy face and gar - ments,
beau - ty to be - hold Where Mo - ses and E -
hope of things to be, We hail Thy bod - y
see Thy king - dom come; We long to hold the
we may not re - main; But since Thou bidst us



like the sun, Shine with un - bor - rowed light.
li - jah stand, Thy mes - sen - gers of old.
glo - ri - fied And our re - demp - tion see.
vi - sion bright And make this hill our home.
leave the mount, Come with us to the plain.

Text: Joseph A. Robinson, 1858–1933, alt. Tune: Johann Sebastian Bach, 1685–1750, adapt.

CHOIR SELECTIONS

Stand

BENEDICTION

P 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.

C Amen.

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INFORMATION FOR YOU

From Our Library: Our Donation book sale starts on March 5th. If you have any unused books that are suitable for the sale, you can deposit them in the container beneath the Corner Boutique shelves. Feature DVD: The Chosen - Season Four. It is 3 DVDs with 8 episodes and runs for 552 min. Code: Chosen 4.

Next Sunday's Lutheran Hour is "Unless a Grain of Wheat Dies" with Rev. Dr. Michael Zeigler. Do you want a life that amounts to more than a hill o' beans? Hear how Christ's death and resurrection gives us life with God that can't be measured. (John 12:24)

Watch Main Street Living on TV, a service led by local LCMS pastors. See it Sundays on Ch 15 KVRR Fargo (Ch 10 on Arvig) at 9 am, on Ch 29 WFTC at 9:30 am from the Cities (including on DISH if you have the Twin Cities stations or on Selective TV 9.2) or at mainstreetliving.com anytime. Rev. Bruce Noennig, Detroit Lakes, preaches March 9.

We are in need of facilitators for two work groups. Please contact the office if interested. The church office is coordinating the work groups.

Wednesday Bible Class is studying the Gospel of John. Join us!

Thrivent Choice Dollars from 2024 need to be designated by March 31.

Pastor Brady Finnern was reelected as our district president at convention this past week. After 25 years of serving as a district vice president, Pastor Lee chose not to run. Pastor Jeff Ross was elected our vice president. Gary Euren and Jeff Fassett were elected to the district board from our region.

If you would be interested in being on a committee headed by Todd Powers of Trinity, Carlos, to help organize a circuit fishing tournament and fish fry for this summer to benefit TIM, let Pastor know. Or come to a meeting March 11 at 7 PM at Good Shepherd.

Sacred Heart Catholic Church in Urbank invites you to their Friday Fish Fry suppers on: March 7 and 21 and April 4th from 5-7 pm. Menu is fish, potatoes, vegetable, coleslaw, and dessert. Adults are \$15, age 6-12 \$5.

OUR RESPONSE TO GOD

Attend 2-22	18		
Attend 2-23	142	Communed	93
Offering	\$1,217.25	Home Use	\$200.00
TIM	\$40.00	Total	\$1,417.25
Offerings for February			\$12,764.25
Offerings Needed each Month			\$23,009.00
Sunday School Attend	31	Offering	\$16.00
TIM Goal:	\$3,000	Receipts:	\$290.00

OUR MISSION:

Empowered by God's Word; we know, love and share Jesus Christ.

INFORMATION FOR TODAY

Who can I tell about how Jesus leads us to the Promised Land?

Welcome to the St Pauls Lutheran High School Choir from Concordia, Missouri, as they join us in worship and sing during our service this morning. They will do some sharing in the fellowship hall about their school and themselves and answer questions after worship. ACT will serve a free pasta bar meal for everyone afterwards.

Being baptized today is Marcus Randall Meissner, son of Jesse & Mindy Meissner. Marcus's sponsors are Derick Schmidt and Amya Schmidt. May God bless and keep Marcus always!

The first Sunday of every month is **LWML Mite Sunday**. We invite you to drop your loose change into the LWML mite box in the narthex. 25% of our mites go to the national biennial goal of \$2,350,000, including \$100,000 for Dakota Boys and Girls Ranch. The remainder of our mites are sent to the Minnesota North District for grants of \$147,000 biennially, including \$9,840 for Good Shepherd Lutheran High School, Otsego. There is also a box for Canadian coins and other donations for Michael Thomas.

Lent begins March 5 on Ash Wednesday. Our Wednesday Lenten services will be at 7 PM with a soup supper at 6 PM. The Gospel in Genesis will be our theme as we look at six key Gospel moments in Genesis.

If you were not able to have your picture taken for our new directory, please submit a picture by March 9. Pictures should be a vertical pose with a plain background. We can also take a picture of you at church.

Pick up a flyer at the narthex counter on an opportunity for our circuit to visit St John's University and Monastery and see the St Johns Bible on March 14. See pastor if you are interested in carpooling.

Thrivent members: Sign up at the narthex counter for a project. If you have Thrivent and would like help, contact the church office. Grants are needed soon for lent soup suppers, confirmation retreat and Portals of Prayer.

The LWML would like to thank Don Sjobeck for making and donating the peace signs to be used on the fellowship hall tables.

ACT/JCT are selling Harrys Pizzas. Contact a youth member to order or sign up at the narthex counter.

An application has been submitted with Trinity, Carlos, for a vicar for the 2025-2026 academic year. Please keep the placement process for pastors and vicars in your prayers.