LET US PRAY

THE FIFTH SUNDAY IN LENT

March 17, 2024

WELCOME TO RESURRECTION!

We're so glad you're here! At Church of the Resurrection (Rez), we believe that you can be transformed by encountering the love of Jesus. Through this encounter, many people have received healing, become part of a community, and learned to serve others. Our vision is to invite everyone into this kind of transforming relationship with Jesus and his Church, whether you are exploring Christianity for the first time or grew up attending church.

If you are visiting us for the first time or watching on livestream, we are so excited to have you with us. We would love to meet you and give you a gift at the Guest Center.

Find ways to get involved at churchrez.org/connect and check out what's happening now at churchrez.org/signup.



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Fr. Steve Williamson Cathedral Dean

As the cathedral church, Resurrection is the headquarters for our regional family of churches, the Diocese of the Upper Midwest, as well as the home of the bishop. The mission of our Diocese is to plant a revival of Word and Sacrament infused by the Holy Spirit.

Learn more about us at midwestanglican.org.



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Bishop Stewart E. Ruch III
Anglican Diocese of the Upper Midwest



VISITING?

We would love to meet you and give you a gift at the Guest Center.

CHILDREN

Children's ministry is available at both services for infants through 5th grade. Midweek ministry for 1st through 5th graders will resume April 10 on Wednesday evenings from 6:30-8pm.

YOUTH

RezYouth, for middle and high school students, will resume April 10 on Wednesdays from 6:30-8/8:30pm. Visit churchrez.org/youth to learn more.

QUESTIONS?

- For general questions: office@churchrez.org
- Set up a meeting with a pastor: meghanrobins@churchrez.org
- Contact non-staff vestry (church board): rezvestrymembers@gmail.com

EVENTS AND NEWS

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SUNDAY WORSHIP

8:30am & 10:30am





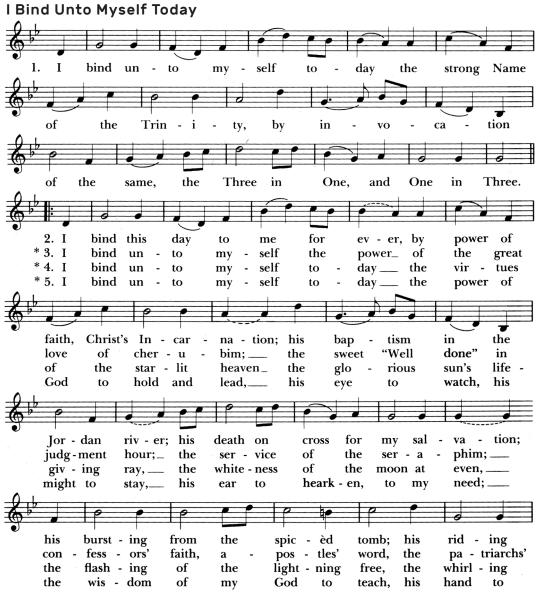


THE WORD OF GOD

In the first half of the service, we encounter God by hearing and responding to his truth in the Bible.

The Processional Hymn

Please stand.







Words: Att. Patrick (372-466); tr. Cecil Frances Alexander (1818-1895).

Music: ST. PATRICK'S BREASTPLATE, Irish melody; adapt. Charles Villiers Stanford (1852-1924).

St. 6, DEIRDRE, Irish melody; harm. Ralph Vaughan Williams (1872-1958).

The Collect for Purity

CELEBRANT: Bless the Lord who forgives all our sins.

PEOPLE: His mercy endures forever.

CELEBRANT: Almighty God, to you all hearts are open, all desires known, and from

you 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 Christ our Lord.

ALL: Amen.

The Ten Commandments

Please kneel or sit.

CELEBRANT: Hear the commandments of God to his people:

I am the Lord your God who brought you out of bondage.

You shall have no other gods but me.

PEOPLE: Amen. Lord have mercy.

CELEBRANT: You shall not make for yourself any idol.

PEOPLE: Amen. Lord have mercy.

CELEBRANT: You shall not invoke with malice the Name of the Lord your God.

PEOPLE: Amen. Lord have mercy.

CELEBRANT: Remember the Sabbath Day and keep it holy.

PEOPLE: Amen. Lord have mercy.

CELEBRANT: Honor your father and your mother.

PEOPLE: Amen. Lord have mercy.

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CELEBRANT: You shall not commit murder.

PEOPLE: Amen. Lord have mercy.

CELEBRANT: You shall not commit adultery.

PEOPLE: Amen. Lord have mercy.

CELEBRANT: You shall not steal.

PEOPLE: Amen. Lord have mercy.

CELEBRANT: You shall not be a false witness.

PEOPLE: Amen. Lord have mercy.

CELEBRANT: You shall not covet anything that belongs to your neighbor.

PEOPLE: Amen. Lord have mercy.

The Confession of Sin

DEACON: Let us confess our sins against God and our neighbor.

Please be seated or kneel. There will be a time of silence.

ALL: Most merciful God, we confess that 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. We are truly sorry and we humbly repent. For the sake of your Son Jesus Christ,

have mercy on us and forgive us;

that we may delight in your will, and walk in your ways,

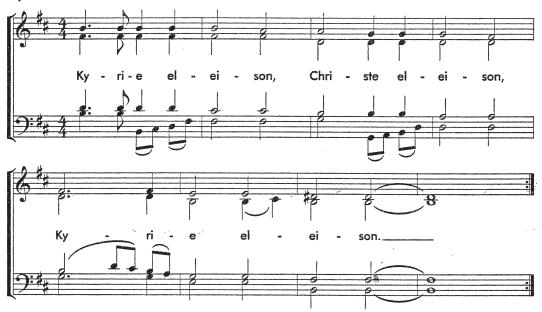
to the glory of your Name. Amen.

CELEBRANT: Almighty God have mercy on you, forgive you all your sins through our

Lord Jesus Christ, strengthen you in all goodness, and by the power

of the Holy Spirit keep you in eternal life. Amen.

Kyrie Eleison



Lord have mercy, Christ have mercy, Lord have mercy.

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The Collect of the Day

A brief prayer on the theme of the day.

CELEBRANT: The Lord be with you.

PEOPLE: And with your spirit.

CELEBRANT: Let us pray.

Almighty God, you alone can bring into order the unruly wills and affections of sinners: Grant your people grace to love what you command and desire what you promise; that, among the swift and varied changes of this world, our hearts may surely there be fixed where true joys are to be found; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever.

ALL: Amen.

READER: A reading from the prophet Jeremiah.

Jeremiah 31:31-34 (ESV)

READER: The Word of the Lord.

PEOPLE: Thanks be to God.

Psalm 51:10-15 (BCP 2019)

- 10 Create in me a clean heart, O God, * and renew a right spirit within me.
- Cast me not away from your presence, * and take not your holy Spirit from me.
- O give me the comfort of your help again, * and sustain me with your willing Spirit.
- Then shall I teach your ways unto the wicked, * and sinners shall return unto you.
- Deliver me from blood-guilt, O God, the God of my salvation, * and my tongue shall sing of your righteousness.
- O Lord, open my lips, * and my mouth shall show forth your praise.

Please stand for the Gospel reading.

DEACON: The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ, according to John.

PEOPLE: Glory to you, Lord Christ.

John 12:20-33 (ESV)

DEACON: The Gospel of the Lord.

PEOPLE: Praise to you, Lord Christ.

The Sermon

We Wish to See Jesus

-Bp. Stewart E. Ruch III

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Please stand for the Creed and the Prayers of the People.

CELEBRANT: Let us confess our faith in the words of the Nicene Creed:

ALL: We believe in one God,

the Father, the Almighty, maker of heaven and earth,

of all that is, visible and invisible.

We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ,

the only-begotten Son of God,

eternally begotten of the Father,

God from God, Light from Light,

true God from true God,

begotten, not made,

of one Being with the Father.

Through him all things were made.

For us and for our salvation he came down from heaven,

was incarnate from the Holy Spirit and the Virgin Mary,

and was made man.

For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate;

he suffered death and was buried.

On the third day he rose again

in accordance with the Scriptures;

he ascended into heaven and is seated

at the right hand of the Father.

He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead,

and his kingdom will have no end.

We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life,

who proceeds from the Father and the Son,

who with the Father and the Son is worshiped and glorified,

who has spoken through the Prophets.

We believe in one holy catholic and apostolic Church.

We acknowledge one Baptism for the forgiveness of sins.

We look for the resurrection of the dead,

and the life of the world to come. Amen.

Prayers of the People

LEADER: Lord, in your mercy:

ALL: Hear our prayer.

Global Partner Spotlight: Tim

Each week, we pray for one of our global partners. Use this bio as a reminder to pray for them today and throughout the week. Due to safety concerns, we are often limited in how much we can share about the location and nature of this ministry. Pick up a copy of more detailed and updated prayer requests for our global partners at the Good Friday Gift table in the Narthex.

Tim is living and serving in the Middle East. Pray for his preparations to return to the US on home assignment this month.

The Peace Please stand.

CELEBRANT: The peace of the Lord be always with you.

PEOPLE: And with your spirit.

Please use this time to share the peace of Christ with those around you. Parents, please pick up your children from their RezKids classrooms after the announcements.

The Offertory

GIVING SUMMARY:

Year to Date Income

July 1, 2023 thru February 29, 2024

Actual	Budget	Difference
\$1,353,151	\$1,482,000	(\$128,849)

Current Month Outlook - March

March Goal	March Giving	Difference
\$205,200	\$102,230	(\$102,970)

GIVE ONLINE:

Scan the code to pay by card or bank account or go to churchrez.org/give



THE HOLY COMMUNION

In the second part of the service, we encounter God at his table.

The Doxology

Please stand.

CANTOR: Praise God from whom all blessings flow,

PEOPLE: Praise God from whom all blessings flow,

CANTOR: Praise him, all creatures here below.

PEOPLE: Praise him, all creatures here below.

CANTOR: Praise him above, ye heavenly host,

PEOPLE: Praise him above, ye heavenly host,

CANTOR: Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost,

PEOPLE: Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost, Amen.

"Doxology," music by Steve Williamson © 2018. Used by permission.

The Great Thanksgiving

CELEBRANT: The Lord be with you.

PEOPLE: And with your spirit.

CELEBRANT: Lift up your hearts.

PEOPLE: We lift them to the Lord.

CELEBRANT: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

PEOPLE: It is right to give him thanks and praise.

CELEBRANT: ... Countless throngs of angels stand before you to serve you and offer you unceasing praise. Joining with them we acclaim you, and glorify your Name, as we sing,

ALL: Holy, Holy, Holy Lord,
God of power and might!
Heaven and earth are full of your glory!
Hosanna in the highest!
Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord!
Hosanna in the highest!

"Holy, Holy, Holy," by Richard Leonard, © 1997 Laudemont Ministries.

Please remain standing or kneel.

celebrant: ... Recalling Christ's death, proclaiming his resurrection and ascension, awaiting his coming in glory; and offering to you, from the gifts you have given us, this bread and this cup, we praise you and we bless you.

ALL: We praise you, we bless you, we give thanks to you, and we pray to you, Lord our God.

CELEBRANT: . . . Through Christ, and with Christ, and in Christ, all honor and glory are yours Almighty God and Father, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, for ever and ever.

All: Amen

CELEBRANT: And now, as our Savior Christ has taught us, we are bold to pray,

ALL: Our Father 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 our sins,

As we forgive those who sin against us.

And lead us not into temptation.

But deliver us from evil.

For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory

For ever and ever.

For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory

For ever and ever,

Amen.

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The Breaking of the Bread

During the season of Lent, we refrain from speaking the word 'Alleluia.'

CELEBRANT: Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us;

PEOPLE: Therefore let us keep the feast!

ALL: Lamb of God, You take away the sin of the world

Have mercy on us, have mercy on us.

Lamb of God, You take away the sin of the world

Have mercy on us, have mercy on us.

Lamb of God, You take away the sin of the world

Grant us your peace, grant us your peace.

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CELEBRANT: Behold the Lamb of God, behold him who takes away the sins of the

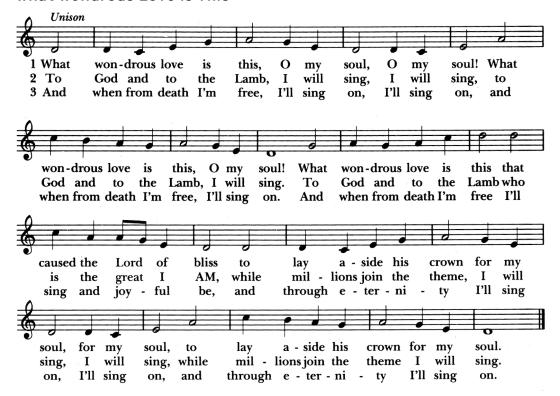
world. Blessed are those who are invited to the marriage supper of

the Lamb.

Please be seated. All who are baptized in the name of the Father, Son, and Holy Spirit and are committed to following Jesus are welcome to receive Communion. Ushers will release you row by row. Gluten-free wafers are available upon request. Non-alcoholic grape juice is available in the silver trays. Please dispose of used cups in the buckets available on tables in your section.

Songs of Worship

What Wondrous Love Is This



Words: American folk hymn, ca. 1835.

Music: WONDROUS LOVE, from The Southern Harmony, 1835.

The Prayer of Thanksgiving

Please stand.

CELEBRANT: Let us pray.

ALL: Eternal God, heavenly Father,

you have graciously accepted us as living members

of your Son our Savior Jesus Christ, and you have fed us with spiritual food in the Sacrament of his Body and Blood. Send us now into the world in peace,

and grant us strength and courage to love and serve you with gladness and singleness of heart;

through Christ our Lord. Amen.

The Blessing

This blessing or

CELEBRANT: The peace of God, which passes all understanding, keep your hearts

and minds in the knowledge and love of God, and of his Son Jesus Christ our Lord; and the blessing of God Almighty, the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit, be among you, and remain with you always.

ALL: Amen.

The Dismissal

DEACON: Let us go forth into the world, rejoicing in the power of the Holy Spirit.

PEOPLE: Thanks be to God.

Holy Week Schedule

Find service times and descriptions for all Holy Week events online at churchrez.org/holyweek

Easter Sunday Service Seats: 5 after 5am until 5:45am

Our 6am and 10am services will have identical liturgies, including the acclamation "He is risen!", baptisms, and more. For the 6am service, you may only save up to 5 seats (including your own), after 5am. At 5:45am, you must relinquish any saved seats that haven't been occupied. Please help us to be hospitable on Easter Sunday.

Immanuel Journaling Class | Tuesday, Mar 19, 7-8:30pm | St. Timothy Room A one-session class, grounded in Scripture, spiritual disciplines, and neuroscience, provides a template for listening and speaking to God through journaling. churchrez. org/signup

Immanuel Lifestyle Class | Tuesdays, Apr 9-May 14, 7-9pm

Learn to become more securely attached to God, mature in relationships, and continue your healing journey with the Lord. Sign up by Apr 7.

Good Friday Gift: Pastoral & Ministry Care for Our Global Partners

Help us invest in the health of our global partners this Lent. Visit the table in the Narthex and learn more at churchrez.org/goodfridaygift

Volunteer for Holy Week | churchrez.org/signup

Spots still remain to serve on a team and connect with others for Holy Week.

Save the Date for RezKids VBS | June 10-14

VBS is for incoming 1st graders to outgoing 5th graders. More info coming soon.

Lent Morning Prayer | Weekdays, 7am | All Saints Prayer Chapel Monday through Friday, until March 22.

Lent Devotional & Events

Weekly Lent devotional and Lent-related events at churchrez.org/lent