Welcome to
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†Make Disciples for Jesus through Word & Sacrament†

First Sunday in Lent

March 1, 2020

Opening Hymn: #396 In Adam We Have All Been One

Order of Worship: Service of Word and Sacrament on page 26

Old Testament Lesson: Genesis 2:7-9, 15-17, 3:1-7

Psalm of the Day: Psalm 130 on page 114 in front of the hymnal

Epistle Lesson: Romans 5:12-19

ILS Children Sing

Gospel Lesson: Matthew 4:1-11

Children's Sermon

Sermon Hymn: #349 Jesus, Priceless Treasure

Sermon Text: Romans 5:12-19

Sermon Theme: One man made a difference.

Confession of Faith: The Nicene Creed on page 31 in front of the

hymnal

The Gathering of Our Gifts to the Praise and Glory of God

Prayer of the Church on page 32 in front of the hymnal

The Lord's Prayer

The Sacrament on page 33 in front of the hymnal

Hymn #403 I Know My Faith Is Founded

Hymn: #418 My God Will Never Leave Me

Hymn #317 *O Lord, We Praise You – verse 1* (sung in place of Thank the Lord)

Closing Prayer & Blessing

Closing Hymn: #316 O Jesus, Blessed Lord, to Thee

The Lord's Supper

In I Corinthians 10:16-17 and 11:23-29 God's Word gives us important instructions concerning the reception of the Lord's Supper. In keeping with these instructions we practice "close communion" at Grace Lutheran Church. We ask that only confirmed members at Grace or members of other WELS or ELS congregations come forward for the Lord's Supper today. If you are not a WELS or ELS member and would like to discuss reception of the Lord's Supper please speak with Pastor Tobison.

Organist: Elizabeth Kurth; Ushers: Ken & Jonnie Sitz, Kevin Vik, Dan Harsdorf & Doug Hanneman; Altar Flower Committee: Joyce Kuehl & Karen Pachan; Worship Folders 3/8: Micke; Treats today: Utsch & Vik; 3/8: Wall & Wendlandt; Counters today: Ackerman; 3/8: Ross/Lade

Living in God's Grace This Week

Sunday: 8am Bible Study

9am Worship w/ Communion

10:15am Sunday School

Monday: 6:30pm Jesus Cares

7pm Choir

Tuesday: 2 & 7pm Bible Study Wednesday: 4pm Confirmation

5:30pm Lenten Supper

7pm Worship

Thursday: 6:15pm Women's Bible Study

7pm Women's Circle

Saturday: 7pm Worship w/ Communion

Sunday: 8am Bible Study

9am Worship w/ Communion 10:15am Sunday School

6:30pm GILL

Last Week at Grace

Total Worship Attendance (Sat/Sun/Wed): 30/82/78
Total Offerings (Sat/Sun): \$2,673 Needed: \$4,612

March calendars & Forward In Christ are available in the narthex.

We will have a door offering for **LIMA** today.

<u>Lenten Worship</u> will be held on Wednesday at 7pm. Pastor Panning will be preaching on *The Son of God Goes Forth to War:* Skirmishes. The Long Range Planning Committee will be **serving** beef/chicken hard/soft shell tacos at 5:30pm.

Lenten Suppers will be served by:

3/4 — Long Range Planning – tacos & wraps 3/11 — GILL – soups & sandwiches 3/18 — St. Peter's – sandwiches & salads

3/25 — Evangelism/Fellowship Committees – sloppy jo's

4/1 — Church Council – fish fry & game feed 4/9 — Choir – hotdishes

Save the Date:

March 19 & 20: Movie night at Grace at 7pm — Gospel of Mark
Please note date change

April 11: Reality Easter – Performances every 30 minutes starting at 1pm. The last one will be at 3:30pm.

April 17-25: TBD – <u>Play at Bethany</u> Lutheran College Treasure Island

May 22: <u>Tour of St. John's</u> College & a showing of the St. John's Bible — More info to come

August: St. Paul Saints game (possible date Aug. 30)

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FIRST SUNDAY IN LENT

Christian Worship: A Lutheran Hymnal 3-Year Lectionary, Year A Evangelical Heritage Version TM

First Lesson: Genesis 2:7-9, 15-17, 3:1-7

7 The LORD God formed the man from the dust of the ground and breathed into his nostrils the breath of life, and the man became a living being. 8 The LORD God planted a garden in Eden in the east, and there he put the man whom he had formed. 9 Out of the ground the LORD God made every kind of tree grow—trees that are pleasant to look at and good for food, including the Tree of Life in the middle of the garden and the Tree of the Knowledge of Good and Evil. 15 The LORD God took the man and settled him in the Garden of Eden to work it and to take care of it. 16 The LORD God gave a command to the man. He said, "You may freely eat from every tree in the garden, 17 but you shall not eat from the Tree of the Knowledge of Good and Evil, for on the day that you eat from it, you will certainly die." 3:1 Now the serpent was more clever than any wild animal which the LORD God had made. He said to the woman, "Has God really said, 'You shall not eat from any tree in the garden'?" 2 The woman said to the serpent, "We may eat fruit from the trees of the garden, 3 but not from the fruit of the tree that is in the middle of the garden. God has said, 'You shall not eat from it. You shall not touch it, or else you will die." 4 The serpent said to the woman, "You certainly will not die. 5 In fact, God knows that the day you eat from it, your eyes will be opened, and you will be like God, knowing good and evil." 6 When the woman saw that the tree was good for food, and that it was appealing to the eyes, and that the tree was desirable to make one wise, she took some of its fruit and ate. She gave some also to her husband, who was with her, and he ate it. 7 The eyes of both of them were opened, and they realized that they were naked. They sewed fig leaves together and made coverings for their waists.

Second Lesson: Romans 5:12-19

12 So then, just as sin entered the world through one man and death through sin, so also death spread to all people because all sinned. 13 For even before the law was given, sin was in the world. Now, sin is not charged to one's account if there is no law, 14 and yet death reigned from the time of Adam to the time of Moses, even over those

whose sin was not like the transgression of Adam, who is a pattern of the one who was to come. 15 But the gracious gift is not like Adam's trespass. For if the many died by the trespass of this one man, it is even more certain that God's grace, and the gift given by the grace of the one man Jesus Christ, overflowed to the many! 16 And the gift is not like the effect of the one man's sin, for the judgment that followed the one trespass resulted in a verdict of condemnation, but the gracious gift that followed many trespasses resulted in a verdict of justification. 17 Indeed, if by the trespass of the one man, death reigned through the one man, it is even more certain that those who receive the overflowing grace of the gift of righteousness will reign in life through the one man Jesus Christ! 18 So then, just as one trespass led to a verdict of condemnation for all people, so also one righteous verdict led to life-giving justification for all people. 19 For just as through the disobedience of one man the many became sinners, so also through the obedience of one man the many will become righteous.

Gospel: Matthew 4:1-11

1 Then Jesus was led by the Spirit into the wilderness to be tempted by the Devil. 2 After he had fasted forty days and forty nights, he was hungry. 3 The Tempter came and said to him, "If you are the Son of God, command these stones to become bread." 4 But Jesus answered, "It is written: Man shall not live by bread alone, but by every word that comes out of the mouth of God." 5 Then the Devil took him into the holy city. He placed him on the pinnacle of the temple, 6 and he said to him, "If you are the Son of God, throw yourself down. For it is written: He will command his angels concerning you. And they will lift you up in their hands, so that you will not strike your foot against a stone." 7 Jesus said to him, "Again, it is written: You shall not test the Lord your God." 8 Again the Devil took him to a very high mountain and showed him all the kingdoms of the world and their glory. 9 He said to him, "I will give you all of these things, if you will bow down and worship me." 10 Then Jesus said to him, "Go away, Satan! For it is written, 'Worship the Lord your God, and serve him only." 11 Then the Devil left him, and just then angels came and served him.