

Welcome to Glory Lutheran Church



*Lazarus,
come out!*

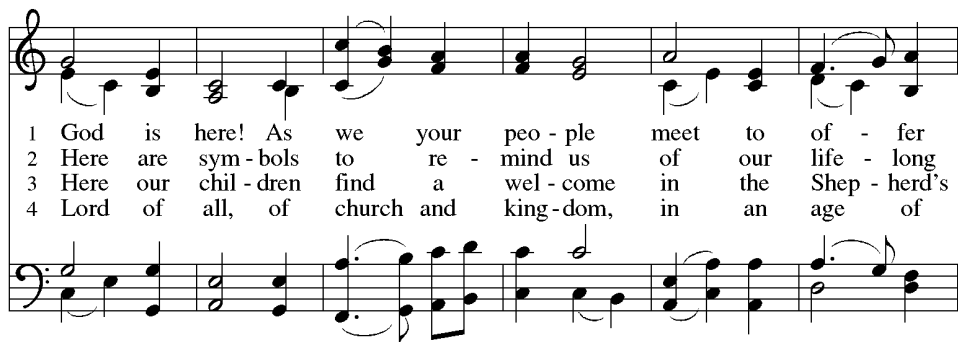
JOHN 11:43

**Fifth Sunday in Lent
March 26 , 2023**

Reaching Up... Reaching Out... Reaching In...

Gathering Song - God is Here

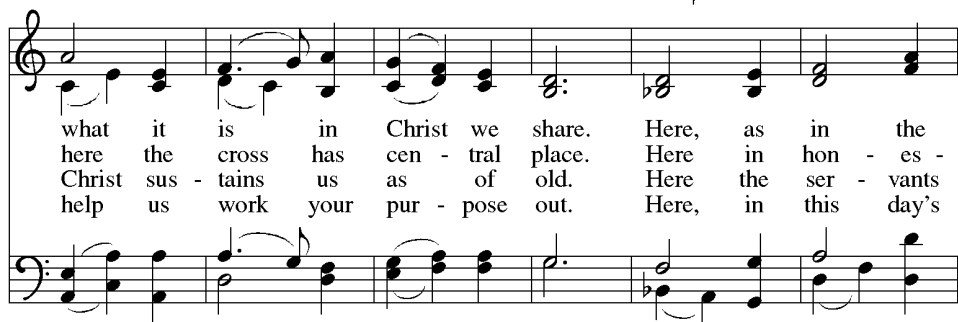
sing verses 1, 2 & 4




1 God is here! As we your peo - ple meet to of - fer
2 Here are sym - bols to re - mind us of our life - long
3 Here our chil - dren find a wel - come in the Shep - herd's
4 Lord of all, of church and king - dom, in an age of



praise and prayer, may we find in full - er mea - sure
need of grace; here are ta - ble, font, and pul - pit;
flock and fold; here as bread and wine are tak - en,
chance and doubt, keep us faith - ful to the gos - pel;



what it is in Christ we share. Here, as in the
here the cross has cen - tral place. Here in hon - es -
Christ sus - tains us as of old. Here the ser - vants
help us work your pur - pose out. Here, in this day's



world a - round us, all our var - ied skills and arts
ty of preach - ing, here in si - lence, as in speech,
of the Ser - vant seek in wor - ship to ex - plore
ded - i - ca - tion, all we have to give, re - ceive;

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wait the com - ing of the Spir - it in - to o - pen minds and hearts.
here, in new - ness and re - new - al, God the Spir - it comes to each.
what it means in dai - ly liv - ing to be - lieve and to a - dore.
we, who can - not live with - out you, we a - dore you! We be - lieve!

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Holy Spirit

Words and Music by
Stuart Townend and Keith Getty



1. Ho - ly Spir - it, liv - ing Breath of God, breathe new
2. Ho - ly Spir - it, come a - bide with - in, may Your
3. Ho - ly Spir - it, from cre - a - tion's birth, giv - ing



life in - to my will - ing soul. _____
joy be seen in all I do. _____
life to all that God has made, _____



Let the pres - ence of the ris - en Lord come re -
Love e - nough to cov - er ev - 'ry sin, in each
show Your pow - er once a - gain on earth, cause Your



-new my heart and make me whole.
thought and deed and at - ti - tude.
church to hun - ger for Your ways.

Cause Your word to come a -
Kind - ness to the great - est
Let the fra - grance of our

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live in me; Give me faith for what I
and the least, gen - tle - ness that sows the
pray'rs a - rise; Lead us on the road of



can - not see, give me pas - sion for Your
path of peace. Turn my striv - ings in - to
sac - ri - fice, that in u - ni - ty the



pu - ri - ty; Ho - ly Spir - it breathe new life in me.
works of grace; Breath of God show Christ in all I do.
face of Christ may be clear for all the world to see.

Confession & Forgiveness

All may make the sign of the cross, the sign that is marked at baptism, as the pastor begins.

P: Blessed be the holy Trinity, + one God,
who journeys with us these forty days,
and sustains us with the gift of grace.

C: **Amen.**

P: Let us acknowledge before God and one another
our need for repentance and God's mercy.

Silence is kept for reflection.

P: Holy God,

C: **we confess to you our faults and failings.
Too often we neglect and do not trust your holy word;
we take for ourselves instead of giving to others;
we spoil rather than steward your creation;
we cause hurt though you call us to heal;
we choose fear over compassion.
Forgive us, renew us, and lead us,
as we seek to follow in your way of life.
Amen.**

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- P:** Hear the good news:
God so loved the world that God gave the only Son,
so that all may receive life. This promise is for you!
God embraces you with divine mercy,
+ forgives you in Christ's name,
and revives you in the Spirit's power.
- C: Amen.**

Greeting / Prayer of the Day

Almighty God, your Son came into the world to free us all from sin and death. Breathe upon us the power of your Spirit, that we may be raised to new life in Christ and serve you in righteousness all our days, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. **Amen.**

Sharing of the Peace

Please take time to say "Peace be with you" as directed.

Hymn of Praise - Wonderful Merciful Savior

Wonderful, merciful Savior, precious Redeemer and Friend;
Who would have thought that a Lamb could rescue the souls of men?
oh, You rescue the souls of men.

(Chorus)

**You are the One that we praise,
You are the One we adore.
You give the healing and grace our hearts always hunger for,
oh, our hearts always hunger for.**

Counselor, Comforter, Keeper,
Spirit we long to embrace;
You offer hope when our hearts have hopelessly lost the way,
oh, we hopelessly lost the way.

(Chorus)

Almighty, infinite Father,
faithfully loving Your own;
Here in our weakness You find us falling before Your throne,
oh, we're falling before Your throne.

(Chorus)

Children's Time

Kids Church Note

*There is generally no Kids Church on long weekends during the year. (i.e. This is the first weekend of Spring Break.) The Baby Room and the Toddler Nook are available to use if you wish. There are also children's activity folders for different age groups in the Narthex and children's bulletins at the entrance to the sanctuary.
There will be Kids Church next Sunday. Thank you.*

First Lesson: Ezekiel 37:1-14

L: Word of God, Word of Life. **C: Thanks be to God.**

Psalm 130

L: Out of the depths I cry to you, O LORD.

C: Lord, hear my voice!

**Let your ears be attentive
to the voice of my supplications!**

L: If you, O LORD, should mark iniquities,
Lord, who could stand?

**C: But there is forgiveness with you,
so that you may be revered.**

L: I wait for the LORD, my soul waits,
and in his word I hope;

**C: my soul waits for the Lord
more than those who watch for the morning,
more than those who watch for the morning.**

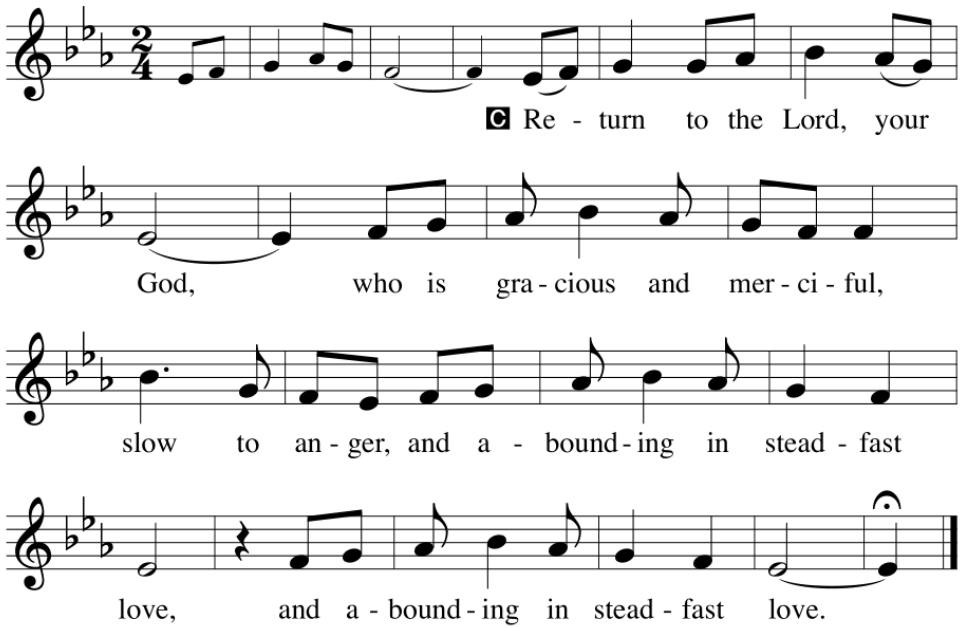
L: O Israel, hope in the LORD!
For with the LORD there is steadfast love,
and with him is great power to redeem.

**C: It is he who will redeem Israel
from all its iniquities.**

Second Lesson: Romans 8:6-11

L: Word of God, Word of Life. **C: Thanks be to God.**

Gospel Acclamation



Re - turn to the Lord, your
God, who is gra - cious and mer - ci - ful,
slow to an - ger, and a - bound - ing in stead - fast
love, and a - bound - ing in stead - fast love.

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Gospel Lesson

John 11:1-45

C: Glory to you, O Lord.

P: The Gospel of the Lord. **C: Praise to you, O Christ.**

SERMON



Hymn of the Day - Beautiful Things



1 All this pain; I won - der if I'll
2 All this earth; . . . could all that is
3 All a - round, . . . hope is spring - ing



ev - er find my way. I won - der if my
lost ev - er be found? . . . Could a gar - den
up from this old ground. . . . Out of cha - os,



life could real - ly change at all.
come up from this ground at all?
life is be - ing found in you.



You make beau-ti-ful things, you make beau-ti - ful things out of the dust.



You make beau - ti - ful things, you make beau-ti -



ful things out of us.

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Confession of Faith - 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

Prayer Response:

P: Merciful God, C: receive our prayer.

Offering

*As you leave, you may place your offering onto
the plate located at the back of the church
or use the online options available on our website.*

Offertory Prayer

God of good gifts,
receive these and all our offerings
as we present them in faithful service
for the sake of your gospel.
Prepare our hearts to receive you in this meal
as you pour out your very presence
through Christ Jesus, the wellspring of eternal life. **Amen.**

Great Thanksgiving

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 him thanks and praise.

P: It is indeed right...

P: ...we praise your name and join their unending hymn:

C: 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. Hosanna in the highest.

Words of Institution

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

Holy Communion

Christ invites us all and wants you to be included.

Please approach the altar from the centre aisle. Extend your hands, the bread will be dropped into your open hands. Then, proceed to the left or right to accept the wine/grape juice from the tray.*

Those wishing to be included without having the bread and wine may come forward for a blessing. Please indicate this by folding your arms. **All wafers and bread are gluten free.*



Communion Songs - I am the Bread of Life

sing verses 1, 2 & 5

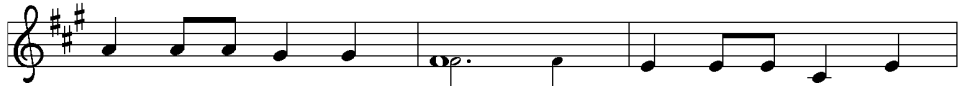
Leader or All



1 "I am the Bread of life. You who
 2 "The bread that . . . I will give is my
 3 "Un - less . . . you . . . eat of the
 4 "I am the res - ur - rec - tion, . . .
 5 Yes, Lord, . . . I be - lieve that . . .



come to me shall not hun - ger, and who be -
 flesh for the life of the world, . . . and if you
 flesh of the Son of Man . . . and . . .
 I . . . am the life. . . . If you be -
 you . . . are the Christ, . . . the . . .



lieve in me shall not thirst. No one can come to
 eat . . . of this bread, you shall . . . live for -
 drink . . . of his blood, and drink . . . of his
 lieve . . . in . . . me, e - ven . . . though you
 Son . . . of . . . God, who . . . have . . .



me un - less the Fa - ther beck - ons."
 ev - er, . . . you shall live for - ev - er."
 blood, you shall not have life with - in you."
 die, . . . you shall live for - ev - er."
 come in - to . . . the . . . world. . . .

Refrain

All



"And I will raise you up, and I will raise you up,



and I will raise you up on the last day."



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Thank You

Thank You for Your kindness.
Thank You for your mercy.
Thank You for the cross.
Thank You for the price You paid.

Thank You for salvation.
Thank You for unending grace.
Thank You for Your hope.
Thank You for this life You give.

(Chorus)

**There is no one like You.
There is no one like You, God.
All my hope is in You.**

Jesus. Jesus.

(Jesus. Jesus.)

Thank You for Your promise.
Thank You for Your favour.
Thank You for Your love,
ev'rything You've done for me.

(Chorus)

To Your name, we give all the glory.
To Your name, we give all the praise.
You're alive, our God everlasting.
Let Your face shine on us.
(repeat)

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Your Love

Look what You've done in my life;
See what You've done in this heart;
You've brought hope, healing and freedom;
Look what You've done in my life.
(repeat)

And though I'm not deserving of Your love,
You give it all to me;
With open arms You welcome me.

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Your love is higher than the mountains;
Your love is deeper than the sea;
Jesus, You came to pay my ransom;
It's Your love, Jesus, sets me free.

(ending)

It's Your love that sets me free.
It's Your love that sets me free.

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Post-Communion Prayer

Embodied God,
at your table, we have tasted the goodness of Jesus.
With the eyes of our hearts open to your promise,
empower us to hear the needs of our neighbors
and touch the world with your love.
Amen.

BLESSING / Announcements

HOLY WEEK SERVICES



“Willow” Sunday - April 2 @ 10:30am

We will once again be using pussy willow branches instead of palm branches this year for Palm Sunday.

If you are able to bring pussy willow branches to our Willow Sunday service, it would be greatly appreciated.

Maundy Thursday - April 6 @ 7:00pm

Good Friday- April 7 @ 10:30am

Easter Sunday - April 9 @ 10:30am

Sending Song - The Spirit Sends Us Forth to Serve



1 The Spir - it sends us forth to serve; we go in
2 We go to com - fort those who mourn and set the
3 We go to be the hands of Christ, to scat - ter
4 Then let us go to serve in peace, the gos - pel



Je - sus' name to bring glad tid - ings
bur - dened free; where hope is dim, to
joy like seed and, all our days, to
to pro - claim. God's Spir - it has em -



to the poor, God's fa - vor to pro - claim.
share a dream and help the blind to see.
cher - ish life, to do the lov - ing deed.
pow - ered us; we go in Je - sus' name.

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Dismissal

EASTER BREAKFAST

You are invited to gather for a light breakfast on Easter Sunday morning before the 10:30am worship service - anytime after 9:00am.

If you would like to contribute to this meal by providing a dozen Resurrection buns (recipe provided if you would like it) or your favourite muffins, please sign up on the list in the Narthex. *Thank you.*

EASTER SUNDAY 9:00AM

Lenten Soup Supper 6PM

Final Soup Supper and
Lenten Service of 2023:
March 30th

Join us for the last week of Lenten Soup Suppers and Services.
Sign up sheets can be found on the welcome desk.

Service following soup supper,
Midweek Lenten Series:
Witness At The Cross

Lenten Service 7PM



CHURCH
Matters

The March/April Edition of the Newsletter will be published on our website this weekend.

Hardcopies are available in the Narthex.
Those who requested hardcopies, please check your mail folder.



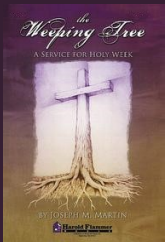
“Elijah” by Felix Mendelssohn, will be performed by the Richard Eaton Singers with the Edmonton Symphony on Friday March 31 at the Winspear Centre under the direction of Leonard Ratzlaff, conducted by Tim Shantz. Tickets are available through the Winspear website or box-office.

CHURCH DIRECTORY PHOTOS

A new edition of the Glory Church Directory is being made. Jessica will continue to sporadically set up a photography station at church to take photos as time allows.

In addition to the above photo opportunity, you are encouraged to email photos of you and your family to our directory email:

directory@glorylutheran.ca



On Good Friday, April 7,
Glory's Worship Choir, together with instrumentalists and narrators, will present a Lenten cantata as part of our worship service.
The Weeping Tree,
by Joseph M. Martin, is a poignant rendering of the cross that uses beloved hymns, newly composed music, thoughtful narration and simple sacred symbols to create a touching testament of grace.

Thank You

to those who made contributions to this week's bulletin and to members who assisted in today's service.

Worship Planners, Altar Guild, Choir, Musicians, AV Techs,

Greeters:	Bill & Audrey Hansen
Usher:	Henry & Myrna Zilm
Reader:	Pat Becker
Communion Assistants:	Debbie Kehn
Kids Church:	*No Kids Church Today
Coffee Setup/Cleanup:	Rita Spain
Church Lock-Up:	Lynn Spain

To volunteer, please sign up on the sheet on the easel in the Narthex.

Events This Week

Rehearsal for Lenten Cantata (Instruments) - Today 2:30pm

Praise Band - Tuesday 7:00pm

Lenten Soup Supper - Thursday 6:00 pm

Lenten Service - Thursday 7:00pm

Confirmation - Thursday 7:30pm Choir - Thursday 7:30pm

Attendance & Offering:

	Online	In-Person	Offering
March 19, 2023	18	94	***will be reported next week***

Next Sunday's Readings:

Isaiah 50:4-9a, Psalm 31:9-16, Philippians 2:5-11, Matthew 26:14--27:66

The service this morning will be both recorded and live streamed.

This can be accessed on our website, glorylutheran.ca.

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