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MIDWEEK LENTEN WORSHIP

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Welcome to our Midweek Lenten Concert Series. Please remember that this concert is broadcast over KFUE radio and live streamed. We ask for you to remain silent. This is also courteous to those who come to listen and to our guest artist.

My Song Is Love Unknown (LOVE UNKNOWN)	John Eggert (b. 1946)
What Wondrous Love Is This (WONDROUS LOVE)	Benjamin Culli (b. 1975)
When I Survey the Wondrous Cross (ROCKINGHAM OLD)	Benjamin Culli
O Little Flock, Fear Not the Foe (KOMMT HER ZU MIR)	J. Wayne Kerr (b. 1958)
Water, Blood, and Spirit Crying (FILTER)	J. Wayne Kerr
From Depths of Woe I Cry to Thee (AUS TIEFER NOT)	Benjamin Culli
Love Divine, All Loves Excelling, 2 settings (HYFRYDOL)	Michael Burkhardt (b. 1957)
Now Rest Beneath Night's Shadow (O WELT, ICH MUSS DICH LASSEN)	John Eggert

Elin Hogan-Gomez serves at Salem Lutheran Church Black Jack, both as Director of Music as well as Church Secretary. Previous posts include Lord of Life Lutheran Church in Chesterfield, MO; St. Paul's Lutheran Church and School in McAllen, TX; and Eternal Hope Lutheran Church in Brooklyn Park, MN. Ms. Hogan-Gomez first studied at the College of St. Catherine in St. Paul, MN, where she received her Bachelor of Arts in Spanish. She went on to Concordia University—Saint Paul, where she earned a second degree (post-baccalaureate) in Parish Music. During her three years at Concordia, she studied organ with Dr. John Eggert.

Ms. Hogan-Gomez and her husband, Adam, were married in September of 2020. They live in Webster Groves with their dog, Shiloh, cat, Cash, and a tank full of tropical fish (which do not have names). When time allows, she and Adam enjoy hiking, going for drives, and cooking.

SERVICE OF PRAYER AND PREACHING

P = Pastor

* = Stand

C = Congregation

*Opening Hymn

LSB 436 Go to Dark Gethsemane



1 Go to dark Geth - sem - a - ne, All who feel the
2 Fol - low to the judg - ment hall, View the Lord of
3 Cal - v'ry's mourn - ful moun - tain climb; There, a - dor - ing
4 Ear - ly has - ten to the tomb Where they laid His



tempt - er's pow'r; Your Re - deem - er's con - flict see,
life ar - rained; Oh, the worm - wood and the gall!
at His feet, Mark that mir - a - cle of time,
breath - less clay; All is sol - i - tude and gloom.



Watch with Him one bit - ter hour; Turn not from His
Oh, the pangs His soul sus - tained! Shun not suf - f'ring,
God's own sac - ri - fice com - plete. "It is fin - ished!"
Who has tak - en Him a - way? Christ is ris'n! He



griefs a - way; Learn from Je - sus Christ to pray.
shame, or loss; Learn from Him to bear the cross.
hear Him cry; Learn from Je - sus Christ to die.
meets our eyes. Sav - ior, teach us so to rise.

*Invocation

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

C Amen.

*Opening Versicles

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 Better is one day in Your courts than a thousand elsewhere;

C I would rather be a doorkeeper in the house of my God than dwell in the tents of the wicked.

P Make me to know Your ways, O Lord.

C Teach me Your paths.

P Sanctify us in Your truth.

C Your Word is truth.

P From the rising of the sun to its setting,

C The name of the Lord is to be praised.

C 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.

*Reading

Luke 23:44–49

⁴⁴It was now about the sixth hour, and there was darkness over the whole land until the ninth hour, ⁴⁵while the sun's light failed. And the curtain of the temple was torn in two. ⁴⁶Then Jesus, calling out with a loud voice, said, "Father, into your hands I commit my spirit!" And having said this he breathed his last. ⁴⁷Now when the centurion saw what had taken place, he praised God, saying, "Certainly this man was innocent!" ⁴⁸And all the crowds that had assembled for this spectacle, when they saw what had taken place, returned home beating their breasts. ⁴⁹And all his acquaintances and the women who had followed him from Galilee stood at a distance watching these things.

P This is the Word of the Lord.

C Thanks be to God.

*Ten Commandments

C You shall have no other gods.

You shall not misuse the name of the Lord your God.

Remember the Sabbath day by keeping it holy.

Honor your father and your mother.

You shall not murder.

You shall not commit adultery.

You shall not steal.

You shall not give false testimony against your neighbor.

You shall not covet your neighbor's house.

You shall not covet your neighbor's wife, or his manservant or maidservant, his ox or donkey, or anything that belongs to your neighbor.

*Apostles' Creed

C I believe in God, the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth.

And in Jesus Christ, His 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 into hell. The third day He rose again from the

dead. He ascended into heaven and sits at the right hand of God the Father Almighty. From thence He will come to judge the living and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy Christian Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

Sermon

“Faith in the Midst of Darkness”

(Luke 23:44–49)

Sermon Notes:

Hymn

LSB 435 Come to Calvary’s Holy Mountain



1 Come to Cal - v'ry's ho - ly moun - tain, Sin - ners, ru - ined
2 Come in pov - er - ty and mean - ness, Come de - filed, with -
3 Come in sor - row and con - tri - tion, Wound - ed, im - po -
4 They that drink shall live for - ev - er; 'Tis a soul - re -



by the fall; Here a pure and heal - ing foun - tain
out, with - in; From in - fec - tion and un - clean - ness,
tent, and blind; Here the guilt - y, free re - mis - sion,
new - ing flood. God is faith - ful; God will nev - er



Flows for you, for me, for all, In a full, per -
From the lep - ro - sy of sin, Wash your robes and
Here the trou - bled, peace may find. Health this foun - tain
Break His cov - e - nant of blood, Signed when our Re -



pet - ual tide, O - pened when our Sav - ior died.
make them white; Ye shall walk with God in light.
will re - store; They that drink shall thirst no more.
deem - er died, Sealed when He was glo - ri - fied.

*Prayer

- P** In peace let us pray to the Lord:
- C** **Lord, have mercy.**
- P** For the gift of divine peace and of pardon, with all our heart and with all our mind, let us pray to the Lord:
- C** **Lord, have mercy.**
- P** For the holy Christian Church, here and scattered throughout the world, and for the proclamation of the Gospel and the calling of all to faith, let us pray to the Lord:
- C** **Lord, have mercy.**
- P** For this nation, for our cities and communities, and for the common welfare of us all, let us pray to the Lord:
- C** **Lord, have mercy.**
- P** For seasonable weather and for the fruitfulness of the earth, let us pray to the Lord:
- C** **Lord, have mercy.**
- P** For those who labor, for those whose work is difficult or dangerous, and for all who travel, let us pray to the Lord:
- C** **Lord, have mercy.**
- P** For all those in need, for the hungry and homeless, for the widowed and orphaned, and for all those in prison, let us pray to the Lord:
- C** **Lord, have mercy.**
- P** For the sick and dying and for all those who care for them, let us pray to the Lord:
- C** **Lord, have mercy.**
- P** For . . . let us pray to the Lord:
- C** **Lord, have mercy.**
- P** Finally, for these and for all our needs of body and soul, let us pray to the Lord:
- C** **Lord, have mercy. Christ, have mercy. Lord, have mercy.**

*Lord's Prayer

- C** **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.**

*Collect of the Day


- P** Almighty God, by Your great goodness mercifully look upon Your people that we may be governed and preserved evermore in body and soul; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.
- C** **Amen.**

*Luther's Morning Prayer

C I thank You, my heavenly Father, through Jesus Christ, Your dear Son, that You have kept me this night from all harm and danger; and I pray that You would keep me this day also from sin and every evil, that all my doings and life may please You. For into Your hands I commend myself, my body and soul, and all things. Let Your holy angel be with me, that the evil foe may have no power over me. Amen .

*Closing Hymn

LSB 433 Glory Be to Jesus



1 Glo - ry be to Je - sus, Who in bit - ter pains
6 Lift we, then, our voic - es, Swell the might - y flood;

Poured for me the life - blood From His sa - cred veins!
Loud - er still and loud - er Praise the pre - cious blood!

*Blessing

L Let us bless the Lord.

C Thanks be to God.

L The almighty and merciful Lord, the Father, the ✠ Son, and the Holy Spirit, bless and preserve us.

C Amen.

Closing Voluntary

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HOLY WEEK



WORSHIP SCHEDULE

Palm Sunday – April 10

Services at 8:00 a.m., 9:20 a.m., and 10:30 a.m.

Junior Confirmation Service at 2:30 p.m.

Holy Communion at Junior Confirmation Service

Maundy Thursday – April 14

Service at 11:30 a.m.

Living Last Supper at 7:00 p.m.

Holy Communion at both services

Good Friday – April 15

Services at 11:30 a.m. and 7:00 p.m.

Holy Saturday – April 16

Service at 5:00 p.m. – Holy Communion

Easter Sunday – April 17

Sunrise Service at 6:30 a.m.

Services at 8:00 a.m., 9:20 a.m., and 10:30 a.m.

Holy Communion at all Services