# GOOD SHEPHERD LUTHERAN CHURCH AND CHRISTIAN DAY CARE

Lutheran Church-Canada

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## The First Sunday in Lent March 6, 2022

SERVICE:	Divine Service Setting 3 LSB pg. 184
HYMNS:	LSB 718, LSB 656, LSB 418, LSB 424
TEXT:	Luke 4:1-13
PSALM:	91:1-13

We welcome you to our Service of Worship and Praise this morning. We pray that the Word of God Spoken to us this morning will give us comfort, peace, joy, and the strength to face whatever the devil, the world, and our own sinful flesh may tempt us with throughout the coming week. If you are a visitor with us this morning, we ask that you kindly sign the guest register located in the back of the church and do come and worship again soon.

**COLLECT OF THE DAY:** O Lord God, You led Your ancient people through the wilderness and brought them to the promised land. Guide the people of Your Church that following our Saviour we may walk through the wilderness of this world toward the glory of the world to come; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

Holy Communion: Close communion has been practiced since the early Christian Church. We maintain This practice. We welcome communicant members of Good Shepherd and fellow Lutherans from churches in fellowship with Lutheran Church-Canada to receive Holy Communion. All wishing to commune that are not yet communicant members are cordially invited to speak to the Pastor before the Worship Service.

#### This Week:

Sun:	9:30 a.m.	Bible Study
	10:30 a.m.	Divine Service w/ Communion
	12:00 p.m.	Fellowship Lunch
Tues:	5:00 p.m.	Council Meeting
Wed:	10:30 a.m.	Wed. Bible Study
	12:00 p.m.	Lent Service
	5:30 p.m.	Daycare Board Meeting
Thurs:	6:30 p.m.	Catechism
Sun. Mar 13:	9:30 a.m.	Bible Study
	10:30 a.m.	Divine Service
	12:00 p.m.	Fellowship Lunch

OFFERINGS: February 27, 2022

Budget:	\$ 720.00
LCC:	\$ 0.00
WECLO:	\$ 50.00

**Other:** \$ 70.00

**NOTES DURING CORONAVIRUS OUTBREAK:** Dear saints, we rejoice that restrictions are being lifted and life is gradually returning back to normal. May God grant us His Holy Spirit, that the seed of His Word that He has planted within us would not also be choked out by the cares and worries of disease, however legitimate that worry may be. He has our tomorrows in His hands and has given us today with enough of its own cares. Having said that, it is important, at this time, that we continue to observe social distancing of 2 meters and masking orders of our town and province. As we gather at the rail please remember to leave a space between households. You may remove your mask once you come to the rail. If you would like to receive the Lord's blood from the chalice, politely refuse the individual cup and pastor will come by with the chalice. It is requested that you keep your individual cup visible so that pastor knows you have already received the blood of Christ. Our sermons continue to be recorded and posted on our Facebook page for those who are unable to join us, or those who wish to go back and hear the sermon again. Pray for your congregation and for your pastor during this time. We rejoice in God's great mercy towards us as we gather to hear His Word online and in person. Sermon audio can be found through the church website, or on our Facebook page at https://www.facebook.com/Good-Sheperd-Lutheran-Church-102466395763

**THE LUTHERAN HOUR: "One Thing Needful" (Luke 10:38-42)** The Bible is not a Magic 8-ball; it's a portal into a new world. Hear this inspirational message on WDFN 1130 AM at 6:30 a.m., WRDT 560 at 7:30 a.m. & 12:00 p.m., on SiriusXM satellite radio on 131 at 10:00 a.m., and streaming audio and pod-casts at www.lutheranhour.ca.

**STEWARDSHIP BLURB: Luke 4:8** – "And Jesus answered him, "It is written…" Isn't it interesting that Jesus does not defeat Satan with His power as God but rather by His perfect obedience in His perfect humanity? Jesus defeats Satan not by miracles but by quoting the Scriptures and living according to it. This should cause us great joy for two reasons. First, because we see Jesus win the victory for us. Second, because here Jesus shows us how to stand in that victory – on the Word of God alone. Let us build our lives on the sure rock of this Word!

**SUNDAY BIBLE STUDY:** Our Sunday Bible study takes place in the sanctuary at 9:30 a.m. Everyone is welcome to join us next week as we discuss Jesus' unfaltering determination to go the cross for the salvation of the world.

**WEDNESDAY BIBLE STUDY:** Our Wednesday Bible study meets at 10:30 a.m. We are resuming our study of Hebrews with the conclusion of chapter 7 and starting into chapter 8. The preacher has expounded on God's promise of a greater High Priest in chapter 7 and in chapter 8 we see how Jesus is that greater High Priest and mediator of a better covenant. Throughout the season of Lent our Wednesday study will continue taking place at 10:30 a.m. either online or in-person. If you'd like the Google Meet link, please ask Pastor Schneider.

**ALLERGIC NOTICE:** Please note that there is a child in the daycare who has a severe allergy to nuts and eggs. At this time we are asking that foods with these items not be brought in for our lunches due to cross contamination, which could cause a reaction. Thank you.

**SUNDAY MORNING FELLOWSHIP:** Thankfully with restrictions lifting we can again have fellowship on Sunday mornings after the Service. Its a good time to share and catch up on what is happening with our fellow brother and sisters in Christ. Come and stay as long as you wish and catch up on all the latest news. See you there!

**LENT SERVICES:** Our Lent services will be held at 12:00 p.m. Members who attend are invited to join us afterwards in the gym to enjoy a bagged lunch together. We will be using a series for our services written by former ABC District President Don Schieman on the passion of Christ and reading a harmony of the four gospels on the passion of Christ. If you would like a Lenten devotional we have booklets found on the grey table in the narthex from Lutheran Hour Ministries.

**LENTEN MERCY:** This Lent we will be working to support the crisis pregnancy centre: Our Lady of Guadalupe Home (OLOGH). OLOGH is the only residential home for young single mothers in Windsor. They have been open since 2013. Their centre can house up to 7 moms and their babies. On March 13<sup>th</sup> we will be having a representative from Guadalupe Home join us after our service for a special presentation on the centre. Their biggest need at the moment is funding to replace mattresses, couches, stoves, dishwasher, etc. If you would like to contribute to OLOGH you can write it in on your offering envelope and Good Shepherd will forward the money to them.

**UKRAINE SUPPORT:** If you would like to send funds in support of our sister congregations and pastors in Ukraine during this crisis, Lutheran Church-Canada has set up an avenue for you to give through their website: lutheranchurch-canada.ca

### **Prayer List For The Week:**

1. God's Servant: Rev. Paul Williams of Grace Lutheran Church in Locksley, ON.

**2. Pray for our Missionaries Around the World:** Rev. Ted & Rebecca Krey, Rev. Sergio Maita, Rev. Joel Fritsche, Danelle Putnam, Lucas Eberhart; Rev. David Preus, Jamie-Lynn Flores, Rev. Dr. Jonathan & Cheryl Nauman, Tirzah Krey, Dominican Republic; Rev. Eric & Johanna Stinnett, Ethiopia. All Haitian Pastors & people in Haiti & the Dominican Republic. Our Lutheran Church in Nicaragua, and other Missionaries who serve for us in foreign lands.

### 3. For God's People: Joan Nelson

**<u>4. For Those Celebrating This Week:</u>** Muriel King (7); Owen Kouvelas (7); Robert & Annette Smith (7); Leif Erickson (8)

### 5. For Those In Need of Prayers:

Joan Nelson\* Alice Elvy\* Elizabeth Goldman\* Wayne Bird Joe Hilger Katharina Wolf Lisa Erickson Jon Ochs

Chris Lucas Janice & Emma Kempffer Eleanor Kempffer The people of Ukraine

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