

**Come Worship With Us...**

**Saturday, March 20<sup>th</sup> at 5:00 pm**

**Sunday, March 21<sup>st</sup> at 9:00 am**

**Education Hour at 10:30 am**



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LENT 4 MID-WEEK

March 17, 2010 – 10:30am

The Order of Matins

With Holy Communion

*Trinity, Menasha is a fellowship of Lutheran Christians  
being empowered by the Holy Spirit  
through the Word of God and His Sacraments  
to encourage, refresh, and strengthen both adults and children in the  
redemptive work of Jesus Christ,  
while sharing His love with those who do not know their Savior.*

PRELUDE – RINGING OF THE BELLS – PASTORAL GREETING

*Stand*

HYMN *Jesus, I Will Ponder Now* LSB 440

OPENING SENTENCES LSB 219

PSALMODY - VENITE LSB 220-221

PSALM 107:1–9 (*Antiphon: v. 19*)

**P** Then they cried to the LORD in their trouble,  
and he delivered them from their distress. (*Antiphon*)

**C** Oh give thanks to the LORD, for he is good,  
for his steadfast love endures forever!  
Let the redeemed of the LORD say so,  
whom he has redeemed from trouble  
and gathered in from the lands,  
from the east and from the west, from the north and from the south.

**P** Some wandered in desert wastes,  
finding no way to a city to dwell in;  
hungry and thirsty,  
their soul fainted within them.

**C** Then they cried to the LORD in their trouble,  
and he delivered them from their distress.  
He led them by a straight way  
till they reached a city to dwell in.

**P** Let them thank the LORD for his steadfast love,  
for his wondrous works to the children of men!  
For he satisfies the longing soul,  
and the hungry soul he fills | with good things.

POST-COMMUNION COLLECT

LSB 166

**P** We give thanks to You, almighty God, that You have refreshed us through this salutary gift, and we implore You that of Your mercy You would strengthen us through the same in faith toward You and in fervent love toward one another; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

**C** Amen.

BENEDICTION

LSB 166

CLOSING HYMN

*When Peace, like a River*

LSB 763

**Leading Worship**

Preaching Minister: Rev. Steven S. Billings  
Assisting Minister: Michael Stapleton  
Lector: David Jording  
Eucharist: David Jording  
Organist: Nancy Lephart

LORD'S PRAYER **LSB 162**

WORDS OF OUR LORD **LSB 162**

THE PEACE OF THE LORD **LSB 163**

**P** The peace of the Lord be with you always.

**C** Amen.

AGNUS DEI **LSB 162**

HYMNS FOR THE DISTRIBUTION

Chief of Sinners Though I Be **LSB 611**

Glory Be to Jesus **LSB 433**

Drawn to the Cross, Which Thou Has Blessed **LSB 560**

Lamb of God, Pure and Holy **LSB 434**

*Stand*

DISMISSAL **LSB 164**

**P** The true body and blood of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ strengthen and preserve you steadfast in the one true faith to life everlasting. Depart † in peace.

**C** Amen.

POST COMMUNION CANTICLE-Nunc Dimittis **LSB 165**

**ALL: 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.**

**P** Then they cried to the LORD in their trouble,  
and he delivered them from their distress. (*Antiphon*)

*Sit*

HYMN ***What Wondrous Love Is This*** **LSB 543**

**The Passion of Our Lord  
According to St. Luke - Part 4: Luke 23:1-25**

Evangelist: *Then the whole company of them arose and brought him before Pilate. And they began to accuse him, saying,*

**CHORUS: “We found this man misleading our nation and forbidding us to give tribute to Caesar, and saying that he himself is Christ, a king.”**

Evangelist: *And Pilate asked him,*

**CHORUS: “Are you the King of the Jews?”**

Evangelist: *And he answered him,*

CHRIST: “You have said so.”

Evangelist: *Then Pilate said to the chief priests and the crowds,*

**CHORUS: “I find no guilt in this man.”**

Evangelist: *But they were urgent, saying,*

**CHORUS: “He stirs up the people, teaching throughout all Judea, from Galilee even to this place.”**

Evangelist: *When Pilate heard this, he asked whether the man was a Galilean. And when he learned that he belonged to Herod's jurisdiction, he sent him over to Herod, who was himself in Jerusalem at that time. When Herod saw Jesus, he was very glad, for he had long desired to see him, because he had heard about him, and he was hoping to see some sign done by him. So he questioned him at some length, but he made no answer. The chief priests and the scribes stood by, vehemently accusing him. And Herod with his soldiers treated him with contempt and mocked him. Then, arraying him in splendid clothing, he sent him back to Pilate. And Herod and Pilate became friends with each other that very day, for before this they had been at enmity with each other. Pilate then called together the chief priests and the rulers and the people, and said to them,*

**CHORUS:** **“You brought me this man as one who was misleading the people. And after examining him before you, behold, I did not find this man guilty of any of your charges against him. Neither did Herod, for he sent him back to us. Look, nothing deserving death has been done by him. I will therefore punish and release him.”**

Evangelist: *But they all cried out together,*

**CHORUS:** **“Away with this man, and release to us Barabbas”—**

Evangelist: *— a man who had been thrown into prison for an insurrection started in the city and for murder. Pilate addressed them once more, desiring to release Jesus, but they kept shouting,*

**CHORUS:** **“Crucify, crucify him!”**

Evangelist: *A third time he said to them,*

**CHORUS:** **“Why, what evil has he done? I have found in him no guilt deserving death. I will therefore punish and release him.”**

Evangelist: *But they were urgent, demanding with loud cries that he should be crucified. And their voices prevailed. So Pilate decided that their demand should be granted. He released the man who had been thrown into prison for insurrection and murder, for whom they asked, but he delivered Jesus over to their will.*

RESPONSORY FOR LENT

**LSB 222**

SERMON

**“Peace with God”**

Romans 5:1-11

*Stand*

CANTICLE – TE DEUM

**LSB 223-225**

*Sit*

OFFERING

*(Please Sign & Pass the Pew Pads)*

COLLECT OF THE DAY

**P** Almighty God, our heavenly Father, Your mercies are new every morning; and though we deserve only punishment, You receive us as Your children and provide for all our needs of body and soul. Grant that we may heartily acknowledge Your merciful goodness, give thanks for all Your benefits, and serve You in willing obedience; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

**C** Amen

COLLECT FOR GRACE

**LSB 228**

CONFESSION AND ABSOLUTION

**LSB 151**

**P** If we say we have no sin . . .

**C** But if we confess our sins . . .