

February 14,  
2016

First Sunday  
in  
Lent

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**PRAYER FOR 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 Savior 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.

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*IN THE NAME OF JESUS*

The Prelude

(Please Stand)

Opening Hymn.....O Lord, throughout These Forty Days ..... 418

Order of Worship (Lent) .....Matins p 219

Venite ..... p 220

Antiphon for Lent: **P** The Lord has redeemed His people.

**C** **O come, let us worship Him.**

Psalm 91..... responsively, by half-verse

Pastor will read to the \*, the congregation concludes the verse

Scripture Lessons as Printed on the Bulletin

Choir Anthem (8:00 service) ..... Ask of Me

Responsory (Lent) ..... p 222

'For Kids Only' / Announcements

Sermon Hymn..... A Mighty Fortess is Our God..... 656

Sermon

Hymn ..... God Loved the World So That He Gave ..... 571

Offering

Kyrie ..... p 227

Prayers: **P** ...let us pray to the Lord:

**C** **Lord, have mercy.**

Benedicamus / Benediction ..... p 228

Closing Hymn ..... Abide, O Dearest Jesus..... 919

Silent Prayer

The Postlude

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**WELCOME** to our Worship Service this morning in the name of Jesus, our Savior, *and a Special Welcome to our Guests.* May the Word of God warm your hearts with the joyful news of His love and presence in your lives.

## THIS WEEK AT ST. PAUL

Today	11:30am	Youth Group Cookie Bake
Monday	6:00pm	Confirmation
Monday	7:30pm	Handbell practice
Tuesday	7:00pm	Ex. Board Meeting
Wednesday	11:30am	Lent Service
Wednesday	12:00pm	Light Lunch/Bible Class
Wednesday	1:15am	Quilters Meet
Wednesday	6:00pm	Supper
Wednesday	7:00pm	Lent Service
Wednesday	8:00pm	Choir practice
Saturday	10:00am	LWML Prayer Service(Trinity)
Saturday	10:30am	Food Pantry

**THE FLOWERS** gracing our sanctuary this morning are placed by Helen Andrukat in loving memory of her husband Harry Andrukat.

**WEDNESDAY LENTEN SERVICES** - Our Mid-Day Lenten Service will start at 11:30am followed by a light lunch and Bible Study at 12:00. Join us at 6:00pm for a Soup Supper followed by the evening Lenten service at 7:00 pm. Sign-up sheets are at the Welcome center for the Soup Suppers, there are several dates available, look to see what afternoon or evening works best for you.

**LED REPLACEMENT CAMPAIGN** – We have wood crosses available to purchase for \$10 each. All proceeds will be used to purchase LED flood lights for the Narthex and Entrance Hall. Stop by the Welcome Center and check them out.

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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!