

March 16, 2025 2nd Sunday Of Lent

PRELUDE
ANNOUNCEMENTS

CALL TO WORSHIP (Mary Scifres)

God, our light and our salvation, calls us to worship.

We gather in faith, confidence and praise.

Come; seek the face of God.

God's face shines upon us with grace and love.

Be strong, my friends, for God is here.

Thanks be to God for this wonderful gift.

*HYMN PH #227 *"Fairest Lord Jesus"*

OPENING PRAYER (Mary Scifres)

Mighty God, we come into your presence from many different places and situations. Light our way in this time of worship. Calm our hearts, focus our thoughts, and strengthen our faith, as we pray and praise this day. Amen.

Sung Response

***Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost,
As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be,
World without end. Amen. Amen.***

THE WORD OF GOD

EPISTLE READING

[Philippians 3:17 – 4:1](#)

GOSPEL READING

[Luke 13:31-35](#)

Special Music

HYMN SING

A SERMON

"Enemies"

HYMN PH#83

"If Thou But Suffer God to Guide Thee"

PRAYERS FOR THE DAY

Joys and Concerns

Prayers of Intercession

Pastoral Prayer and 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 debts as we forgive our debtors. Lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory forever. Amen.

Response

THE OFFERING

Sung Response

***Praise God, from whom all blessings flow.
Praise God, all creatures here below.
Praise God for all that love has done.
Creator, Christ, and Spirit, one. Amen***

Prayer of Thanksgiving (Mary Scifres)

Mighty God, bless these gifts, that they might bring strength to our faith, love to your world, and comfort to the forsaken. Amen.

HYMN PH #218 *'O Jesus, I Have Promised"*

BENEDICTION