# FOURTH SUNDAY IN LENT March 19, 2023 FAITH LUTHERAN CHURCH 106 8TH STREET, MADISON, MINNESOTA

Pastor Ron Nichols Church (320) 598-3630 www.faithlutheranmadison.org

"Moving forward in faith by providing spiritual and physical nourishment to all God's people."

You anoint my head with oil. (Ps. 23:5)

\*Indicates to please stand as you are able

PRELUDE

BELLS

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

VIDEO OF PROJECT STARFISH

**CONFESSION & FORGIVENESS** 

GATHERING SONG ~ "Praise the One Who Breaks the Darkness #843

GREETING

**KYRIE** ~ Page 147

\*PRAYER OF THE DAY

SPECIAL MUSIC ~ "The Old Rugged Cross" Senior Choir

FIRST READING: 1 Samuel 16:1-13

PSALM 23

**SECOND READING:** Ephesians 5:8-14

**GOSPEL ACCLAMATION** ~ Page 151

**GOSPEL**: John 9:1-41

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

**SERMON** 

**HYMN OF THE DAY ~ "**Amazing Grace" #779

**APOSTLES CREED** 

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

SHARING OF THE PEACE

**OFFERING** 

**OFFERTORY:** "Let the Vineyards Be Fruitful"

OFFERING PRAYER

**GREAT THANKSGIVING** ~ Page 152

**HOLY, HOLY, HOLY** ~ Page 153

WORDS OF INSTITUTION

\*LORD'S PRAYER

**COMMUNION - SONGS OF DISTRIBUTION:** 

"Dearest Jesus, at Your Word" #520
"Be Thou My Vision" #793

### PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

### BLESSING

\*SENDING SONG ~ "Lead Me, Guide Me" #768 Vs. 1 & 3

## \*DISMISSAL

# **POSTLUDE**

# **Today's Worship Assistants**

Worship Leader: Pastor Ron Nichols

Music Director: Linda Anderson

Office Manager: Sharon Ronglien

Financial Secretary: Lorrie Ehrenberg

Financial Treasurer: Kristin Ludvigson

Education Coordinator: Darcy Daline

Helper: Lisa Strand

Reader: Jeanene Munsterman

Video/Audio: Tech. Team

Usher Team: Team 4

Acolyte: Jax Wells & Alex Neyens

Communion: Bob Hiepler & Kathy Harwick

Please also hold these concerns in your prayers, today and throughout the week. Contact the church office at 598-3630 to add or remove a person.

CARE CENTER & HOMEBOUND RESIDENTS: Margaret Klefsaas, Barb Feuerhelm, Peggy Lund, Arnie Streich, Ramona Niven, Don Husby, Betty Peterson, Marge McFarland, Ken Beyer, Betty Schulz, Lillian Lyng, Adele Miller, Margaret Davis, Verona Berg and Eva Zahrbock.



Readings for March 26

Ezekiel 37:1-14 Psalm 130 Romans 8:6-11 John 11:1-45 **PRAYER CONCERNS**: Carol Olson, Pam (Zahrbock) Rolf, Jodi Kallhoff, Jim Helgemo, Rolf Olson, Tyler Struck, Gay Dolman, Grant Trygestad, Dana Carmody and Skip Blahosky.

# **Lenten Suppers**

Suppers will be served on Wednesdays during Lent season by the youth in grades 2 through 10. Serving time is from 5:30-6:30pm. Free will donations will be taken and proceeds will go to support our youth activities.

# Menus are:

March 22 - BBQ's and Chips

March 29 - Chicken Chili

# ANNOUNCEMENTS 3/19

- Don't forget that you can listen to the Sunday service on KLQP 92.1 @ 11:30AM or watch it on Channel 8 @ 3:30PM. You may also view ALL past and present services on our website: www.faithlutheranmadison.org and our Facebook page.
- Today's flowers, bulletin and radio broadcast are in memory of Paul Trelstad whose heavenly birthday is today by Eileen Trelstad & family.
- Worship Committee will be available before and after worship services to order Easter flowers.
- Operation Starfish donation jars are in the narthex. One jar is for "boys & guys" and one for "girls & gals". Our goal is \$4900. Donations cal also be brought to the office or put in the offering plate with Operation Starfish in the memo line. Deadline is Easter Sunday.
- Do Day quilters need new or used flat sheets that are clean and in good shape, fleece blankets and flannel sheets.
- WANTED: People to volunteer to help serve communion. Contact Cindy Hansen if you are willing to help with this.
- Volunteers are needed to serve treats at coffee on Sundays. Please consider donating treats (8-9 dz.) or the funds to purchase treats (\$30-\$45 est. cost). Two or more people could join together for a Sunday. The signup sheet is on the coffee table each Sunday or call the office. Donations should be designated on the check memo line.

# **Coffee Fundraiser**

The Education Committee is starting a coffee fundraiser to raise money for youth group missions, sending children to camp and other youth activities. The "table of goodness" (coffee) will be located near the fellowship hall. We THANK you for your support!

# \*\*THIS WEEK AT FAITH\*\*

# Monday, March 20

7pm AA / AL Anon

# Wednesday, March 22

9am Hot Muffins

3:30pm Joyful Noise

5:30pm Lenten Supper

6pm Faith Ringers

7pm Lenten Service

# Thursday, March 23

8:30-12pm Do Day

11:30-12:30 Second Harvest/Meal

# Sunday, March 26

9am Worship

10am All Ages Day

Prayer Concerns - Prayers that we all stop our busyness this Lenten season and take into our hearts the INCREDIBLE sacrifice Jesus made for each of us by dying on the cross.

If you would like to sponsor a radio broadcast, bulletins or altar flowers in memory or in honor of someone, please contact the office. Prices are: radio-\$51.00 bulletins -\$25.00 flowers - \$50.00 All three-\$126.00