Second Sunday in Lent

SUNDAY, MARCH 17, 2019 TUESDAY, MARCH 19, 2019

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

RINGING OF THE CHURCH BELL

PRELUDE If You But Trust In God to Guide You G. Böhm (As the Prelude begins, prayerfully prepare your hearts and minds for worship.)

CALL TO WORSHIP

*HYMN #128 He Leadeth Me: O Blessed Thought

*Confession Prayer for Lent (In Unison)

We thank you, O God, for the chance to speak our minds and hearts to you. As we pray, help us not just to speak, but to listen. Guide us to make prayer a daily practice and to seek your wisdom and Godliness. Lead us into a closer walk with you and allow us to seek your influence to shine through us. Thank you for your greatness and your consistent love. We pray in the name of Jesus who modeled that love for all the world. Amen.

*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH The Apostles' Creed, Ecumenical Version Page 882 I believe in god, the Father Almighty, creator of heaven and earth. I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried; he descended to the dead. On the third day he rose again; he ascended into heaven, is seated at the right hand of the Father, and will come again to judge the living and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic** church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body and the life everlasting. Amen.

**catholic means universal

*GLORIA PATRI #71

Glory Be to the Father

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.

*PASSING THE PEACE

SCRIPTURE READING

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Terry Hicks (8:30), Sari Ness (11:00)

PASTORAL PRAYER & 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 trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil; for thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory forever. Amen.

OFFERTORY ANTHEM

I Am Thine, O Lord

Doane (8:30)

Gary Rish, soloist

In Remembrance Weston (11:00)

*THE DOXOLOGY #95

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; praise him, all creatures here below; praise him above, ye heavenly host; praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

*HYMN #2069 (FWS)

All Hail King Jesus (sing twice)

CHILDREN'S MOMENTS

Lori Meyers (11:00)

(11:00 AM Children 4-years through 2nd Grade may leave for Children's Church) (Please sing "Jesus Loves Me" refrain as they leave for Children's Church)

SCRIPTURE LESSON

LUKE 18: 1-8

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SERMON

"A WIDOW AND A JUDGE"

REV. KEN TIMMERMAN

*HYMN #298

When I Survey the Wondrous Cross

*BENEDICTION

*Postlude

Intercessor

C.H.H. Parry

* If you are able, please stand

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