Lent V

"Sacrifice and Security"
Hebrews 9

March 20, 2024

SERVICE OF PRAYER AND PREACHING   LSB p. 260-267

ANTHEM: "Nothing but the Blood"

Verse 1	Verse 3
What can wash away my sin Nothing but the blood of Jesus What can make me whole again Nothing but the blood of Jesus	Nothing can for sin atone Nothing but the blood of Jesus Naught of good that I have done Nothing but the blood of Jesus
Chorus	**Verse 4**
O precious is the flow That makes me white as snow No other fount I know Nothing but the blood of Jesus	This is all my hope and peace Nothing but the blood of Jesus This is all my righteousness Nothing but the blood of Jesus
Verse 2	**Chorus**
For my pardon this I see Nothing but the blood of Jesus For my cleansing this my plea Nothing but the blood of Jesus (*sing Chorus*)	O precious is the flow That makes me white as snow No other fount I know Nothing but the blood Nothing but the blood of Jesus

OPENING VERSICLES: LSB p. 260

OLD TESTAMENT CANTICLE: LSB p. 261

READING: *Hebrews 9:11-14*

But Christ came as a chief priest of the good things that are now here. Christ went through a better, more perfect tent that was not made by human hands and that is not part of this created world. He used his own blood, not the blood of goats and bulls, for the sacrifice. He went into the most holy place and offered this sacrifice once and for all to free us forever.

The blood of goats and bulls and the ashes of cows sprinkled on unclean people made their bodies holy and clean. The blood of Christ, who had no defect, does even more. Through the eternal Spirit he offered himself to God and cleansed our consciences from the useless things we had done. Now we can serve the living God.– GW ®

PSALM 40:

Verse	Chorus	Verse
I waited patiently for the Lord He inclined and heard my cry He lifts me up out of the pit Out of the miry clay	I will sing, sing a new song I will sing, sing a new song How long to sing this song? How long, how long, how long How long to sing this song?	Made my footsteps firm Many will see Many will see and hear *(sing Chorus)*

RESPONSORY FOR LENT: LSB p. 263

LORD'S PRAYER: LSB p. 264

ARTICLE II, LUTHER'S SMALL CATECHISM   LSB p. 322-323

SERMON: *"Sacrifice & Security"*
                                  Hebrews 9:11-14

SONG: "God Who Bleeds"

Verse 1	**Verse 2**
Oh my soul	Oh what love
Who could ever know	Knew I'd never have enough
How deep my sins go	So He chose to pay in blood
Oh my soul	Oh what love
All the gold	I'm in awe
On the earth could never pay	Every earthly gain is lost
For the debt that I have made	In the wonder of the cross
Oh my soul	Oh what love
Chorus	**Bridge**
Now I see just how great my need	See from His head His hands His feet
In His hands and in His feet	Sorrow and love flow down for me
Lamb of God oh my soul shall sing	Forever all my praise will be
Hallelujah to the God who bleeds	Glory to the God who bleeds
	See from His head His hands His feet
	Sorrow and love flow down for me
	Forever all my praise will be
	Glory to the God who bleeds
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	Hallelujah to the God who bleeds.

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CONSECRATION OF GIFTS

PRAYER: LSB p. 265

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LUTHER'S EVENING PRAYER: LSB p. 266

NEW TESTAMENT CANTICLE: "Lord, Bid Your Servant Go in Peace"   LSB 937

BLESSING: LSB p. 267

SONG TO DEPART: "Chief of Sinners"

1   Chief of sinners though I be,
    Jesus shed His blood for me,
    Died that I might live on high,
    Lives that I might never die.
    As the branch is to the vine,
    I am His, and He is mine.

2   Oh, the height of Jesus' love,
    Higher than the heav'ns above,
    Deeper than the depths of sea,
    Lasting as eternity!
    Love that found me—wondrous thought!
    Found me when I sought Him not.

3   Only Jesus can impart
    Balm to heal the wounded heart,
    Peace that flows from sin forgiv'n,
    Joy that lifts the soul to heav'n,
    Faith and hope to walk with God
    In the way that Enoch trod.

4   O my Savior, help afford
    By Your Spirit and Your Word!
    When my wayward heart would stray,
    Keep me in the narrow way;
    Grace in time of need supply
    While I live and when I die.

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