

First Sunday in Lent

March 9, 2025

8:30 am and 10:45 am



GATHERING MUSIC

Larry Landusky

WELCOME

Josh McDonald

RESPONSIVE READING

Josh McDonald

The rain fell on the earth forty days and forty nights.

Moses was on the mountain for forty days and forty nights.

Elijah got up, and ate and drank; then he went in the strength of that food for forty days and forty nights to Horeb the mount of God.

Jesus was in the wilderness for forty days, tempted by Satan; and he was with the wild beasts; and the angels waited on him.

Lord God, who cleansed the earth through forty days of floods,
And gave Your guiding law through forty days of worship,

Who revived Elijah through forty days of pilgrimage,
And sent Your Son to fight our foe through forty days of fasting;

Grant us grace to enter the flood, the fire, the desert,
The penitence and the journey, the emptiness and the fasting,

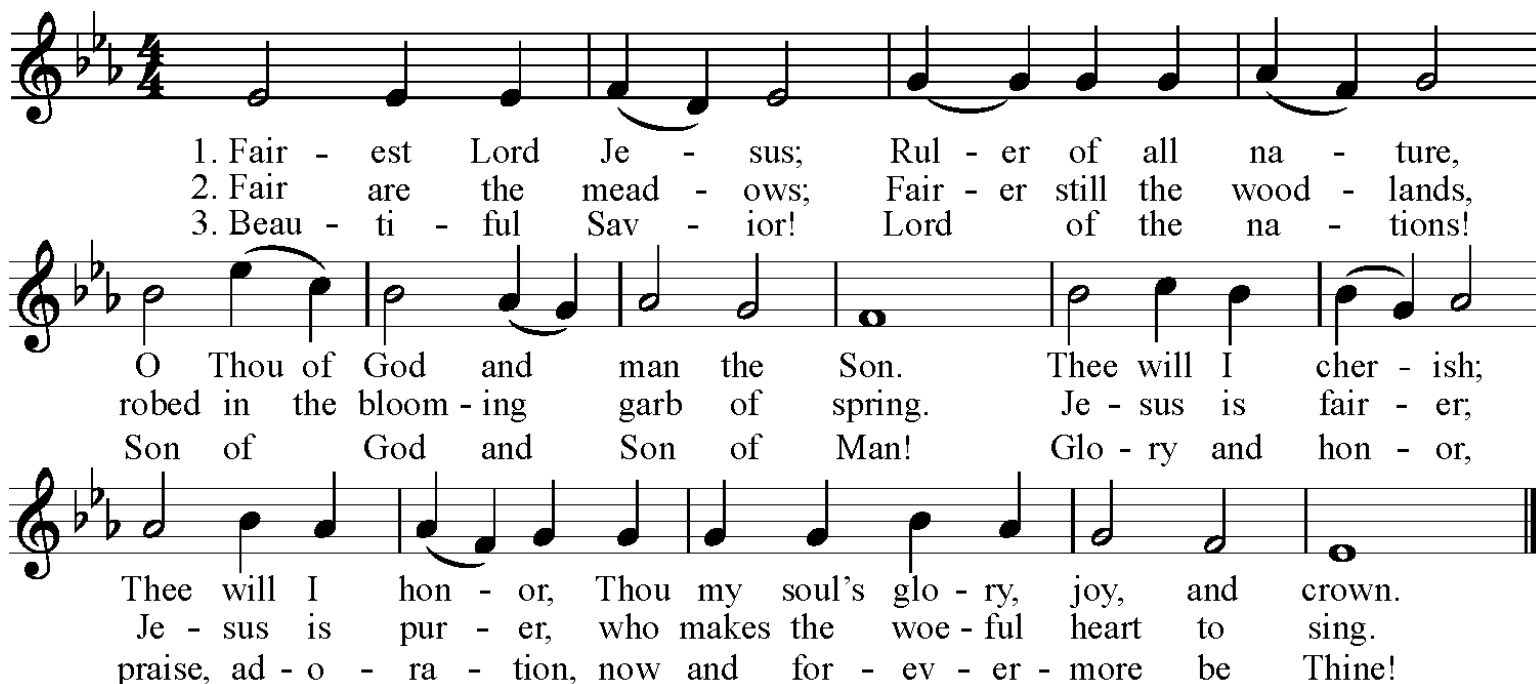
That leads us to Gethsemane, and the dark scene of Golgotha,
And leave us at the empty tomb, to see Your risen Son.

In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit. Amen.

The Lord be with you.
And also with you.

* *Fairest Lord Jesus*

CRUSADERS' HYMN



1. Fair - est Lord Je - sus; Rul - er of all na - ture,
2. Fair are the mead - ows; Fair - er still the wood - lands,
3. Beau - ti - ful Sav - ior! Lord of the na - tions!

O Thou of God and man the Son. Thee will I cher - ish;
robed in the bloom - ing garb of spring. Je - sus is fair - er;
Son of God and Son of Man! Glo - ry and hon - or,

Thee will I hon - or, Thou my soul's glo - ry, joy, and crown.
Je - sus is pur - er, who makes the woe - ful heart to sing.
praise, ad - o - ra - tion, now and for - ev - er - more be Thine!

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*PASTORAL PRAYER

Charles Johnson

CHILDREN'S TIME (10:45 AM)

David Cameron

All children are invited to come forward. Following Children's Time,
ages 4-5 are invited to Preschool Praise, room #102 of the Children's Wing.

OLD TESTAMENT READING

William Sullivan, Alexa MacKenzie

Psalms 91:1-2, 9-16

¹You who live in the shelter of the Most High, who abide in the shadow of the Almighty,
²will say to the Lord, "My refuge and my fortress; my God, in whom I trust." ⁹Because you
have made the Lord your refuge, the Most High your dwelling place, ¹⁰no evil shall befall
you, no scourge come near your tent. ¹¹For he will command his angels concerning you to
guard you in all your ways. ¹²On their hands they will bear you up, so that you will not dash
your foot against a stone. ¹³You will tread on the lion and the adder; the young lion and the
serpent you will trample under foot. ¹⁴Those who love me, I will deliver; I will protect those
who know my name. ¹⁵When they call to me, I will answer them; I will be with them in
trouble; I will rescue them and honor them. ¹⁶With long life I will satisfy them and show
them my salvation.

The Word of God for the People of God.

Thanks be to God!

Lord, Who Throughout These Forty Days

GLORIFY THY NAME



1. Lord, who through-out these for - ty days for us did fast and
2. As you with Sa - tan did con - tend and did the vic - tory
3. And through these days of pen - i - tence, and through your pas - sion -
4. A - bide with us, that through this life of doubts and hope and



pray, teach us, O Christ, to mourn our sins and close by You to stay.
win, O give us strength in You to fight, in You to con - quer sin.
tide for - ev - er - more, in life and death, O Christ, with us a - bide.
pain, an Eas - ter of un - end - ing joy we may at last at - tain!

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***GOSPEL READING**

William Sullivan, Alexa MacKenzie

Luke 4:1-13

¹Jesus, full of the Holy Spirit, returned from the Jordan and was led by the Spirit in the wilderness, ²where for forty days he was tested by the devil. He ate nothing at all during those days, and when they were over he was famished. ³The devil said to him, “If you are the Son of God, command this stone to become a loaf of bread.” ⁴Jesus answered him, “It is written, ‘One does not live by bread alone.’ ” ⁵Then the devil led him up and showed him in an instant all the kingdoms of the world. ⁶And the devil said to him, “To you I will give all this authority and their glory, for it has been given over to me, and I give it to anyone I please. ⁷If you, then, will worship me, it will all be yours.” ⁸Jesus answered him, “It is written, ‘Worship the Lord your God, and serve only him.’ ” ⁹Then the devil led him to Jerusalem and placed him on the pinnacle of the temple and said to him, “If you are the Son of God, throw yourself down from here, ¹⁰for it is written, ‘He will command his angels concerning you, to protect you,’ ¹¹and ‘On their hands they will bear you up, so that you will not dash your foot against a stone.’ ” ¹²Jesus answered him, “It is said, ‘Do not put the Lord your God to the test.’ ” ¹³When the devil had finished every test, he departed from him until an opportune time.

This is the Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ.

Thanks be to God!

CHORAL RESPONSE

Second Voices

Jesus in the Wilderness
composed by Tyler Mabry

Temptation

INVITATION TO CHRISTIAN DISCIPLESHIP

You are invited to dedicate your life to Christ, join our faith community, or answer a call from God to do ministry in this world by coming forward during the hymn and share this decision with a pastor.

**The Solid Rock*

SOLID ROCK

1. My hope is built on noth - ing less than Je - sus' blood and right - eous - ness;
 2. When dark - ness seems to hide His face, I rest on His un - chang - ing grace;

I dare not trust the sweet - est frame, but whol - ly lean on Je - sus' name.
 In ev - ery high and storm - y gale, my an - chor holds with - in the veil.

On Christ, the sol - id rock, I stand, all
 Oth - er ground is sink - ing sand, all oth - er ground is sink - ing sand.

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THE MORNING OFFERING

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***OFFERTORY PRAYER**

Josh McDonald, Bobby Ebeling

OFFERTORY

Larry Landusky

Oh the Deep, Deep Love of Jesus
 arranged by Mark Hayes

** Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow*

OLD 100TH

Musical notation for the hymn "Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow". It consists of two staves of music in G major and 4/4 time. The melody is simple and hymn-like, with a key signature of one sharp (F#) and a time signature of 4/4. The lyrics are written below the notes.

Praise God from whom all bless-ings flow; Praise Him, all crea-tures here be - low;
Praise Him a - bove, ye heav'n - ly host; Praise Fa-ther, Son and Ho-ly Ghost. A - men.

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***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, the power and the glory, for ever. Amen.

COMMUNION

***PASSING THE PEACE OF CHRIST**

Please share the peace with those near you.

** The Solid Rock*

SOLID ROCK

On Christ, the solid rock, I stand.
All other ground is sinking sand.
All other ground is sinking sand.

***PASTORAL BLESSING**

Charles Johnson

This Week at 2b

TODAY

COFFEE DUTY - Hope Class

- 8:30 am: Early Worship
- 9:30 am: Sunday School/Bible Study
- 10:45 am: Late Worship & Livestream
- 4:00 pm: Bells Gloria Rehearsal
- 6:00 pm: Second Chance Al-Anon

MONDAY, March 10

- 6:30 am: Jesus and Grits @ Chicken Run Café
- 10:00 am - 4:00 pm: Labyrinth Walk in Grand Hall

TUESDAY, March 11

- 6:30 am: Tuesday Morning Prayer Breakfast @ Chicken Run Café
- 11:00 am: B & B Book Club Meeting - Hope Classroom
- 6:00 pm: Learn to Play Mahjong

WEDNESDAY, March 12

- 10:00 am: Beginners Bridge
- 2:00 pm: Senior Adult Fellowship / Day Class - Learn to Play Mahjong
- 3:30 pm: Blood Drive
- 3:45 pm: Grief Group (led by La Nelle Ethridge & Bob Powell)
- 4:00 pm: Prayer Shawl Ministry
- 5:15 pm: Wednesday Fellowship Meal
- 6:00 pm: Church Conference
- 6:30 pm: Orchestra Rehearsal
- 7:00 pm: Second Voices Rehearsal

THURSDAY, March 13

- 12:00 pm: Lenten Luncheon - Rolando Orta Guest Speaker

FRIDAY, March 14

No Activities

WEDNESDAY EVENING DINNER MENU



Down Home Cookin'

*Meatloaf, Au Gratin Potatoes, Green Bean Casserole,
Tossed Salad, Rolls, Dessert*

Kids Menu: *Chicken Nuggets, French Fries, Corn Dog,
Mac & Cheese, Green Beans, Dessert*

Adults \$8 and Kids 12 & under eat FREE!

RSVP Online at secondb.org/wednesday

Find complete information on Wednesday Programming
and RSVP for dinner at secondb.org/wednesday



Lenten Lunches

Join us each week during Lent from 12:00 - 1:00 PM for a time of
reflection, fellowship, and inspiration from guest speakers!

March 6 - Junior Vasquez

March 13 - Rolando Orta

March 20 - Judy Brandt

March 27 - Chad Wheeler

April 3 - Annie Bray

April 10 - SarahLee Morris



A meal will be provided. All are welcome!



Prayer Shawl Ministry

Every Wednesday 4:00-5:00 pm in Conference Center.
Call Maribeth Williams at (806) 781-2286 for more info.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Every Tuesday: B&B Book Club - Meets every Tuesday at 11:00.

We welcome anyone to join our group.

Contact La Nelle Ethridge for more information, 806-786-8207.

WE TAKE SERIOUSLY OUR MINISTRY OF PRAYER

Prayer cards are available. Please place your filled out card and offerings in the box on the rear wall of the Worship Hall or place in the offering plate as it is passed during worship.

ASSISTIVE LISTENING DEVICES ARE AVAILABLE FOR YOUR USE.

Please ask an usher for assistance as you enter the sanctuary for worship.

Every Member a Minister

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