

SAVING GRACE LUTHERAN CHURCH



**The Second Sunday in Lent
Saturday, February 28, 2026 @ 3pm
Sunday, March 1, 2026 @ 8:30am, Livestreamed**

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

Opening Hymn “Crown Him with Many Crowns” (vs. 1-4) Hymn #170

**Crown him with many crowns, The Lamb upon his throne;
Hark, how the heav’nly anthem drowns All music but its own.
Awake, my soul, and sing Of him who died for thee,
And hail him as thy matchless king Through all eternity.**

**Crown him the virgin’s Son, The God incarnate born,
Whose arm those crimson trophies won Which now his brow adorn;
Fruit of the mystic rose, Yet of that rose the stem,
The root whence mercy ever flows, The babe of Bethlehem.**

**Crown him the Lord of love—Behold his hands and side,
Rich wounds, yet visible above, In beauty glorified.
Now angels in the sky Can fully bear that sight,
But downward bend their burning eyes At mysteries so bright.**

**Crown him the Lord of life, Who triumphed o’er the grave
And rose victorious in the strife For those he came to save.
His glories now we sing, Who died and rose on high,
Who died, eternal life to bring, And lives that death may die.**

CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS

Almighty God, to whom all hearts are open, and all desires known, and from whom no secrets are hid: cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of Your Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love You and worthily magnify Your holy name, through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Amen

“If we say we have no sin, we deceive ourselves, and the truth is not in us. But if we confess our sins, God who is faithful and just will forgive our sins and cleanse us from all unrighteousness.”

(1 John 1:8-9)

(Please observe a moment of silence for personal reflection and self-examination)

**When I was sinking down, sinking down, sinking down,
When I was sinking down, sinking down, When I was sinking down
Beneath God's righteous frown, Christ laid aside his crown
for my soul, for my soul, Christ laid aside his crown for my soul.**

**To God and to the Lamb I will sing, I will sing;
To God and to the Lamb I will sing; To God and to the Lamb,
Who is the great I Am, While millions join the theme,
I will sing, I will sing, While millions join the theme, I will sing.**

**And when from death I'm free, I'll sing on, I'll sing on;
And when from death I'm free, I'll sing on; And when from death I'm free,
I'll sing his love for me, And through eternity
I'll sing on, I'll sing on; And through eternity I'll sing on.**

RECEPTION OF OFFERING

RECEPTION OF NEW MEMBERS (SUNDAY)

APOSTLES' CREED

Do you believe in God the Father?

I believe in God the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth.

Do you believe in Jesus Christ, the Son of God?

I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord.

He was conceived by the power of the Holy Spirit and born of the virgin, Mary.

He suffered under Pontius Pilate was crucified, died, and was buried.

He descended into hell. On the third day he rose again.

He ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father.

He will come again to judge the living and the dead.

Do you believe in God the Holy Spirit?

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy Christian Church,

the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins,

the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen

PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION Lord, in your mercy, hear our prayer.

HOLY COMMUNION

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

BLESSING AND PRAYER

SENDING

**Sending Hymn
#532**

"How Great Thou Art"

Hymn

**O Lord my God, when I in awesome wonder
Consider all the works thy hand hath made,
I see the stars, I hear the mighty thunder,
Thy pow'r throughout the universe displayed;**

**Refrain: Then sings my soul, my Savior God, to thee, How great thou art! How great thou art!
Then sings my soul, my Savior God, to thee, How great thou art! How great thou art!**

**When through the woods and forest glades I wander, I hear the birds sing sweetly in the trees;
When I look down from lofty mountain grandeur
And hear the brook and feel the gentle breeze;
*Refrain***

**But when I think that God, his Son not sparing,
Sent him to die, I scarce can take it in,
That on the cross my burden gladly bearing
He bled and died to take away my sin;
*Refrain***

**When Christ shall come, with shout of acclamation,
And take me home, what joy shall fill my heart!
Then I shall bow in humble adoration
And there proclaim, "My God, how great thou art!"
*Refrain***

BENEDICTION & DISMISSAL Go in peace and serve the Lord! **Thanks be to God!**

Psalm 121

**¹I lift up my eyes to the hills—
from where will my help come?**

**²My help comes from the LORD,
who made heaven and earth.**

**³He will not let your foot be moved;
he who keeps you will not slumber.**

**⁴He who keeps Israel
will neither slumber nor sleep.**

**⁵The LORD is your keeper;
the LORD is your shade at your right hand.**

**⁶The sun shall not strike you by day,
nor the moon by night.**

**⁷The LORD will keep you from all evil;
he will keep your life.**

**⁸The LORD will keep your going out and your
coming in
from this time on and forevermore.**



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