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Mid-Week Lenten Services - 2010

The Opening Hymn *(As noted on the back page and on the Hymn Board)*

Invocation

Pastor: *In the Name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit.*

Congregation: *(Spoken) Amen.*

Confession and Absolution

P: *Acknowledging that we stand in the presence of our Holy God, in true repentance and humility we confess our sins to our Lord in the words of the 38th Psalm:*

Psalm 38 *(Supplement page 39)*

P: *Jesus Christ is the atoning sacrifice for our sins, and not for ours only, but also for the sins of the whole world. According to His authority, and by His command, I announce to you the unalterable decree of our God that all of your sins are forgiven, in the Name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit. Amen.*

All: *(Singing from p.19 of the Supplement) The Agnus Dei "Lamb of God"*

**O Lamb of God, O Christ our Lord, Whose blood, once shed,
true life restored, impart Your Joy, our faith increase.
Sustain with Your mercy and grant us Your peace.**

The Reading of the Passion History

The Apostolic Creed

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

And in Jesus Christ, His only Son, our Lord,
Who was conceived by the Holy Ghost,
born of the virgin Mary,
suffered under Pontius Pilate,
was crucified, dead, and buried.

He descended into hell.

The third day He rose again from the dead.

He ascended into heaven

and sitteth on the right hand of God the Father almighty.

From thence He shall come to judge the quick and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Ghost,
the holy Christian Church
the communion of saints,
the forgiveness of sins
the resurrection of the body,
and the life everlasting. Amen.

The Sermon Hymn *(As noted on the back page and on the Hymn Board)*

The Sermon – *The theme for our devotions this Lenten Season is*

"We Preach Christ Crucified"

(Please turn to the back page for this evening's service details)

The Response – *(Hymn #390 "Drawn to the Cross")*

The Offering – *(TLH Hymn #179)*

**On my heart imprint Thine image,
Blessed Jesus, King of Grace
That life's riches, cares, and pleasures
Have no pow'r Thee to efface.
This the superscription be:
"Jesus, crucified for me,
is my Life, my hope's Foundation,
and my Glory and Salvation."**

The Prayer of the Day

The Lord's Prayer

The Benediction

P: *The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ,
And the love of God the Father,
And the fellowship of the Holy Spirit be with you all.*

C: **Amen, Amen, Amen.** *(Sung by all)*

The Closing Hymn *(As noted on the back page and on the Hymn Board)*

Silent Prayer

Announcements

[All are invited to remain for fellowship and light refreshments.]

Weekly Hymn and Meditation Schedule

February 17

Hymns: 325, 149,
159

Lenten Theme:
**"We Preach
Christ Crucified"**

*"Justified by Grace
Alone through
Faith Alone"*

Text: Rom 3:21-26

Pastor Eric Libby

February 24

Hymns: 140,
158, 154

Lenten Theme:
**"We Preach
Christ Crucified"**

*"The Foolish
Wisdom of the
Cross"*

Text: 1 Cor 1:18-25

Pastor Michael Roehl

March 3

Hymns: 141, 172
(1,2 & 4), 156

Lenten Theme:
**"We Preach Christ
Crucified"**

*"The Reason to
Endure"*

Text: Heb 12:1-3

Pastor Eric Libby

March 10

Hymns: 155, 721
151 (1, 6-7)

Lenten Theme:
**"We Preach
Christ Crucified"**

*"More Precious
than Life"*

Text: Phil 3:7-10

Pastor Michael Roehl

March 17

Hymns: 158, 377
(1, 7-9), 145

Lenten Theme:
**"We Preach
Christ Crucified"**

*"No Longer Dead
but Alive"*

Text: Col 2:13-15

Pastor Eric Libby

March 24

Hymns: 166, 421
171 (1, 3-7)

Lenten Theme:
**"We Preach Christ
Crucified"**

*"Peace with God
Through Our Lord
Jesus Christ"*

Text: Rom 5:1-11

Pastor Michael Roehl

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