

Awakening Worship at 8:15 am

March 31i thi, 2019 Fourth Sunday of Lent

Pastor Steven Klemz. Preaching + Presiding

Gather

Call to Worship, Rachel Kibler, Cantor

God of compassion, show us your mercy.

God of Abraham, shape this world.

God of abundance, give us your blessings.

God of life, revive us.

Greeting

Spiritual Stretch

Prayer of the Day

Word

Gospel: Luke 15:1-3, 11b-32 (page 850 in the pew Bible)

Message with a question for the day; this is conversational

Silence for meditation

"Lord of All Goodness" page 5 of the songbook (sing 6 times)

Apostles' Creed, page 105 in the hymnal

Prayers

Begin with singing, "In the Wilderness" (Page 11 of the Song Book)

Conclude with singing "In the Wilderness"

The Sharing of the Peace

Meal

Offering

Hymn No. 779 "Amazing Grace" (Vs. 1,2,3)

Holy Communion

Gather around the altar, The Lord's Prayer (Lord's Prayer is printed on the pew card. You are welcome to bring this forward.)

Silence for reflection, blessing

Sending

Benediction

Sending: Hymn No. 666, "What Wondrous Love Is This "(Vs. 1,2,.3)

Go in peace. Christ is your light. Thanks be to God!

Postlude music



Announcements

"Conversations in Grace"

12:15-1 pm Wednesdays, in Lent, April 3. Bring a brown bag lunch and explore scripture and devotional writings on grace. Pastor Steve and Lisa Mensinger will facilitate our discussion. No prior knowledge of scripture is needed. All are welcome!

Lenten Services

On April 3rd, Midweek Lenten Worship begins at 7:15 pm with Holden Evening Prayer. Bible study and discussion groups will meet from 6:30 until 7:15. Our traditional soup suppers precede the evening's events, beginning at 6 pm.

}} Gathered - Acts 2: 42-45

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Quilting Without Borders

The next Quilting Without Borders gathering will be at Zion on Thursday April 4th at 7 pm. Quilting Without Borders is a great opportunity to connect through grace with other congregations across the valley. All are welcome to attend, all you need to know how to do is tie a knot! The quilts will be gifted to the Crossroads Urban Center.