



"GO FROM YOUR COUNTRY . . . TO THE LAND I WILL SHOW YOU."

Second Sunday in Lent ♦ Praise Worship

LUTHERAN CHURCH OF THE GOOD SHEPHERD

Olney, Maryland

MARCH 8, 2020 | 11:00 AM

Let us go into the house of the Lord.

We are thankful that you have come to worship the Lord with us today. We pray you will return soon.

Holy Communion is...

† The body and blood of our Lord Jesus Christ received “in, with, and under” the bread and wine for God’s People. *Matthew 26:26, 28*

† Coming to the table believing the words “given and shed FOR YOU.”

Preparation might involve three questions:

Do I believe in the Lord Jesus Christ? Am I sorry for my sins?

Am I ready to lead a new life?

† God’s grace in “forgiveness of sins, life, and salvation.”

Matthew 26:28; 1 Peter 1:18-19; Romans 6:8-9; Romans 8:31-32

SUNDAY SCHOOL

Age 3 through grade 6 - All Purpose Room

Grade 7/8 – Confirmation Classroom
(back of 104a)

High School – Room 103 (OGSLY Room)

Adults - Room 104 (Choir Room)

Please turn off all electronic devices during our worship together, so that we can give glory to God without distraction.

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WELCOME

GATHERING

WHAT THE LORD HAS DONE IN ME

RUEBEN MORGAN

Let the weak say I am strong. Let the poor say I am rich
Let the blind say I can see. It's what the Lord has done in me.

Let the weak say I am strong. Let the poor say I am rich
Let the blind say I can see. It's what the Lord has done in me.

Hosanna, hosanna to the Lamb that was slain
Hosanna, hosanna Jesus died and rose again.
Hosanna, hosanna to the Lamb that was slain
Hosanna, hosanna Jesus died and rose again.

Into the river I will wade. There my sins are washed away,
from the heavens' mercy stream of the Savior's love for me.

I will rise from waters deep into the saving arms of God.
I will sing salvation songs: Jesus Christ has set me free.

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Let the weak say I am strong. Let the poor say I am rich
Let the blind say I can see. It's what the Lord has done in me.

HOLY BAPTISM OF OLIVIA GRACE LOWE

All stand and face the baptismal font.

INVOCATION

- P** In the name of the Father and of the † Son and of the Holy Spirit.
C **Amen.**

BAPTISMAL ADDRESS

- P** Dearly beloved, Christ our Lord says in the last chapter of Matthew, “All authority in heaven and on earth has been given to Me. Therefore go and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit.” In the last chapter of Mark our Lord promises, “Whoever believes and is baptized will be saved.” And the apostle Peter has written, “Baptism now saves you.” The Word of God also teaches that we are all conceived and born sinful and are under the power of the devil until Christ claims us as His own.

Therefore, depart you unclean spirit, and make room for the Holy Spirit in the name of the Father and of the † Son and of the Holy Spirit.

GIVING THE SIGN OF THE CROSS

- P** How is this child to be named?

(Parents respond)

- C** **Olivia Grace**

- P** Olivia Grace, receive the sign of the holy cross upon your † forehead and upon your † heart, to mark you as one redeemed by Christ the crucified.

ADDRESS TO SPONSORS

- P** From ancient times, the Christian Church has observed the custom of appointing sponsors for baptismal candidates. As a sponsor, it is your task to confess with the whole Church the faith in our God, Father, Son, and Holy Spirit, in whose name Olivia Grace is to be baptized.

After she has been baptized you are at all times to remember Olivia in your prayers, put her in mind of her Baptism, and, as much as in you lies, give your counsel and aid, especially if she should lose her parents, that she be brought up in the true knowledge and worship of God and be taught the Ten Commandments, the Creed, and the Lord's Prayer, and that, as she grows in years, you place in her hands the Holy Scriptures, bring her to the services of God's house, and provide for her further instruction in the Christian faith, that she come to the Sacrament of Christ's Body and Blood and thus, abiding in her baptismal grace and in communion with the Church, she may grow up to lead a godly life to the praise and honor of Jesus Christ.

Is it your intention gladly and willingly to serve Olivia Grace as a sponsor in the Christian faith?

(Sponsors respond)

C Yes, with the help of God.

P God enable you both to do and to will this faithful and loving work and with his grace fulfill what we are unable to do.

C Amen.

BAPTISMAL GOSPEL

P Hear the Holy Gospel according to St. Mark.

They brought young children to [Jesus] that he might touch them; but the disciples rebuked those who brought them. But when Jesus saw it he was greatly displeased and said to them, "Let the little children come to me, and do not forbid them; for of such is the kingdom of God. Assuredly, I say to you, whoever does not receive the kingdom of God as a little child will by no means enter it." And He took them up in His arms, put His hands on them, and blessed them.

This is the Word of the Lord.

C Thanks be to God.

RENUNCIATION OF THE DEVIL AND CONFESSION OF FAITH

P Because this child cannot answer for herself, we shall all, together with sponsors and parents, faithfully speak on her behalf in testimony of the forgiveness of sin and the birth of the life of faith which God our Father bestows in and through Baptism.

P Olivia Grace, do you renounce the devil?

C Yes, I renounce him.

P Do you renounce all his works?

C Yes, I renounce them.

P Do you renounce all his ways?

C Yes, I renounce them.

P Do you believe in God, the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth?

C Yes, I believe.

P Do you believe in Jesus Christ, His only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried; He descended into hell; the third day He rose again from the dead; He ascended into heaven and sits at the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence he will come to judge the living and the dead?

C Yes, I believe.

P Do you 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?

C Yes, I believe.

LORD'S PRAYER

**C 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 and
ever. Amen.**

BAPTISM OF OLIVIA GRACE LOWE

P Olivia Grace, I baptize you in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit.

C Amen.

P The almighty God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, who has given you the new birth of water and of the Spirit and has forgiven you all your sins, strengthen you with His grace to life † everlasting. Peace be with you.

C Amen.

(A lighted candle is given to the sponsors.)

PRESENTATION OF THE BAPTISMAL CANDLE

- P** Receive this burning Light. Live always by the light of Christ, and be ever watchful for His coming, that you may meet Him with joy and enter with him to the marriage feast of the Lamb in His kingdom, which shall have no end.

WELCOMING THE NEWLY BAPTIZED

- P** Through Baptism, God has added Olivia Grace to his own people to declare the wonderful deeds of our Savior, who has called us out of darkness into his marvelous light.
- C** **We welcome you into the Lord's family. We receive you as a fellow member of the body of Christ, a child of the same heavenly Father, to work with us in His kingdom.**
- P** And you, Olivia Grace, the Lord bless you in all your ways from this time forth and even forevermore.
- C** **Amen.**

BAPTISM HYMN I WAS THERE TO HEAR YOUR BORNING CRY JOHN YLVISAKER

I was there to hear your borning cry,
I'll be there when you are old.
I rejoiced the day you were baptized,
to see your life unfold.
I was there when you were but a child,
with a faith to suit you well;
In a blaze of light you wandered off
to find where demons dwell.

When you heard the wonder of the Word
I was there to cheer you on;
You were raised to praise the living Lord,
to whom you now belong.
If you find someone to share your time
and you join your hearts as one,
I'll be there to make your verses rhyme
from dusk 'till rising sun.

In the middle ages of your life,
not too old, no longer young,
I'll be there to guide you through the night,
complete what I've begun.
When the evening gently closes in,
and you shut your weary eyes,
I'll be there as I have always been
with just one more surprise.

I was there to hear your borning cry,
I'll be there when you are old.
I rejoiced the day you were baptized,
to see your life unfold.

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SALUTATION

- A** The Lord be with you.
- C** **And also with you.**

COLLECT OF THE DAY

- P** Let us pray.
O God, You see that of ourselves we have no strength. By Your mighty power defend us from all adversities that may happen to the body and from all evil thoughts that may assault and hurt the soul; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.
- C** **Amen.**

OLD TESTAMENT READING *(SIT)*

GENESIS 12:1–9 NIV

- ¹ The Lord had said to Abram, “Go from your country, your people and your father’s household to the land I will show you.
² “I will make you into a great nation,
and I will bless you;
I will make your name great,
and you will be a blessing
³ I will bless those who bless you,
and whoever curses you I will curse;
and all peoples on earth

will be blessed through you.”

⁴ So Abram went, as the Lord had told him; and Lot went with him. Abram was seventy-five years old when he set out from Harran. ⁵ He took his wife Sarai, his nephew Lot, all the possessions they had accumulated and the people they had acquired in Harran, and they set out for the land of Canaan, and they arrived there.

⁶ Abram traveled through the land as far as the site of the great tree of Moreh at Shechem. At that time the Canaanites were in the land. ⁷ The Lord appeared to Abram and said, “To your offspring I will give this land.” So he built an altar there to the Lord, who had appeared to him.

⁸ From there he went on toward the hills east of Bethel and pitched his tent, with Bethel on the west and Ai on the east. There he built an altar to the Lord and called on the name of the Lord. ⁹ Then Abram set out and continued toward the Negev.

A This is the Word of the Lord.

C **Thanks be to God.**

PSALM (*Spoken Responsively*)

PSALM 121 NIV

¹I lift up my eyes to the mountains—
where does my help come from?

**²My help comes from the LORD,
the Maker of heaven and earth.**

³He will not let your foot slip
he who watches over you will not slumber.

**⁴Indeed, he who watches over Israel
will neither slumber nor sleep.**

⁵The LORD watches over you—
the LORD is your shade at your right hand.

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

⁷The LORD will keep you from all harm—
he will watch over your life;

**⁸The LORD will watch over your coming and goings
both now and forevermore.**

EPISTLE

ROMANS 4:1–8, 13–17 NIV

¹ What then shall we say that Abraham, our forefather according to the flesh, discovered in this matter? ² If, in fact, Abraham was justified by works,

he had something to boast about—but not before God. ³ What does Scripture say? “Abraham believed God, and it was credited to him as righteousness.”

⁴ Now to the one who works, wages are not credited as a gift but as an obligation.

⁵ However, to the one who does not work but trusts God who justifies the ungodly, their faith is credited as righteousness. ⁶ David says the same thing when he speaks of the blessedness of the one to whom God credits righteousness apart from works:

⁷ “Blessed are those
whose transgressions are forgiven,
whose sins are covered.

⁸ Blessed is the one
whose sin the Lord will never count against them.” . . .

¹³ It was not through the law that Abraham and his offspring received the promise that he would be heir of the world, but through the righteousness that comes by faith. ¹⁴ For if those who depend on the law are heirs, faith means nothing and the promise is worthless, ¹⁵ because the law brings wrath. And where there is no law there is no transgression.

¹⁶ Therefore, the promise comes by faith, so that it may be by grace and may be guaranteed to all Abraham’s offspring—not only to those who are of the law but also to those who have the faith of Abraham. He is the father of us all. ¹⁷ As it is written: “I have made you a father of many nations.” He is our father in the sight of God, in whom he believed—the God who gives life to the dead and calls into being things that were not.

A This is the Word of the Lord.

C **Thanks be to God.**

LENTEN VERSE (*Stand*)

C Re - turn to the Lord, your God, for He is gra - cious and
mer - ci - ful, slow to an - ger, and a - bound - ing in
stead - fast love, and a - bound - ing in stead - fast love.

P The Holy Gospel according to St. John, the third chapter.

C **Glory to You, O Lord.**

¹ Now there was a Pharisee, a man named Nicodemus who was a member of the Jewish ruling council. ² He came to Jesus at night and said, “Rabbi, we know that you are a teacher who has come from God. For no one could perform the signs you are doing if God were not with him.”

³ Jesus replied, “Very truly I tell you, no one can see the kingdom of God unless they are born again.”

⁴ “How can someone be born when they are old?” Nicodemus asked. “Surely they cannot enter a second time into their mother’s womb to be born!”

⁵ Jesus answered, “Very truly I tell you, no one can enter the kingdom of God unless they are born of water and the Spirit. ⁶ Flesh gives birth to flesh, but the Spirit gives birth to spirit. ⁷ You should not be surprised at my saying, ‘You must be born again.’ ⁸ The wind blows wherever it pleases. You hear its sound, but you cannot tell where it comes from or where it is going. So it is with everyone born of the Spirit.”

⁹ “How can this be?” Nicodemus asked.

¹⁰ “You are Israel’s teacher,” said Jesus, “and do you not understand these things? ¹¹ Very truly I tell you, we speak of what we know, and we testify to what we have seen, but still you people do not accept our testimony. ¹² I have spoken to you of earthly things and you do not believe; how then will you believe if I speak of heavenly things? ¹³ No one has ever gone into heaven except the one who came from heaven—the Son of Man. ¹⁴ Just as Moses lifted up the snake in the wilderness, so the Son of Man must be lifted up, ¹⁵ that everyone who believes may have eternal life in him.”

¹⁶ For God so loved the world that he gave his one and only Son, that whoever believes in him shall not perish but have eternal life. ¹⁷ For God did not send his Son into the world to condemn the world, but to save the world through him.

P This is the Gospel of the Lord.

C **Praise to You, O Christ.**

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE *(Sit)*

Pastor Timothy Boerger

SONG

I SURRENDER ALL

VANDEVENTER, W. WEEDEN

All to Jesus I surrender, All to Him I freely give,
I will ever love and trust Him, In His presence daily live.

I surrender all, I surrender all,
All to thee, My blessed Savior,
I surrender all.

All to Jesus I surrender, Humbly at His feet I bow,
Worldly pleasures all forsaken, Take me, Jesus, take me now.

I surrender all, I surrender all,
All to thee, My blessed Savior,
I surrender all.

All to Jesus I surrender, Lord, I give myself to Thee,
Fill me with Thy love and power, Let thy blessing fall on me.

I surrender all, I surrender all,
All to thee, My blessed Savior,
I surrender all.

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SERMON

Pastor Timothy Boerger

PRAYERS OF THE CHURCH

SHARING OF THE PEACE

God's people greet one another in the name of the Lord.

- A** The peace of the Lord be with you always.
- C** **And also with you.**

OFFERING (Sit)

*Please sign the Attendance Pad found in the pew near the aisle.
Please legibly sign your prayer requests.*

SONG

ON MY CROSS

JEROMY DEIBLER

How wide, is Your love that You would stretch Your arms
and go around the world?

And why for me, Would a Savior's cry be heard?

I don't know why you went where I was meant to go
I don't know why You love me so

Those were my nails, that was my crown
that pierced Your hands and Your brow
Those were my thorns, those were my scorns,
those were my tears that fell down
And just as You said it would be
You did it all for me
And after You counted the cost
You took my shame, my blame, on my cross

How deep, is Your grace that you could see my need,
and choose to take my place
And then for me, those words I'd hear You say,
"Father, no, forgive them for they know not what they do,
I will go because I love them so"

Those were my nails, that was my crown
that pierced Your hands and Your brow
Those were my thorns, those were my scorns,
those were my tears that fell down
And just as You said it would be
You did it all for me
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JEROMY DEIBLER

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OFFERING PRAYER

C O God, You desire no sacrifice but a contrite spirit, and You accept no gifts but those that come from an honest heart. Cleanse us by Your grace, we pray, and make our gifts acceptable in your sight, for we have nothing worthy to offer except what comes from You; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

PREFACE

P The Lord be with you.

C And also with you.

P Lift up your hearts.

C We lift them to the Lord.

P Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

C It is right to give Him thanks and praise.

PROPER PREFACE

It is right to give you thanks, O God, because you so loved the world that you gave your only Son, that whoever believes in him should not perish but have eternal life. Hear us as we pray in his name and as he has taught us:

LORD'S PRAYER

C 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 and ever. Amen.

THE WORDS OF OUR LORD

P Our Lord Jesus Christ, on the night when He was betrayed, took bread, and when He had given thanks, He broke it and gave it to the disciples and said: "Take, eat; this is My ✠ body, which is given for you. This do in remembrance of Me."

In the same way also He took the cup after supper, and when He had given thanks, He gave it to them, saying: "Drink of it, all of you; this cup is the new testament in My ✠ blood, which is shed for you for the forgiveness of sins. This do, as often as you drink it, in remembrance of Me."

PAX DOMINI

P The peace of the Lord be with you always.

C **Amen.**

DISTRIBUTION *(CONTINUOUS)*

DISTRIBUTION HYMN

ONE BREAD, ONE BODY

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Refrain: One bread, one body, one Lord of all;
One cup of blessing which we bless,
And we, though many throughout the earth,
We are one body in this one Lord.

Gentile or Jew, servant or free,
Woman or man, no more. Refrain.

Many the gifts, many the works,
one in the Lord for all. Refrain.

Grain for the fields, scattered and grown,
gathered to one for all. Refrain.

COMMUNION DISMISSAL *(Stand)*

- P** The body and blood of our Lord Jesus Christ strengthen and preserve you in body and soul to life everlasting. Depart † in peace.
- C** **Amen.**

POST-COMMUNION PRAYER

- A** Let us pray.
God of Abraham, we thank and praise you that you have fed us with the bread of heaven. Guide and refresh us as we journey through the wilderness, until we come at last to the promised land of your kingdom; through Jesus Christ our Lord.
- C** **Amen.**

BENEDICAMUS

- A** Let us bless the Lord.
- C** **Thanks be to God.**

BENEDICTION

- P** The Lord bless you and keep you.
The Lord make His face shine on you and be gracious to you.
The Lord look upon you with favor and † give you peace.
- C** **Amen.**

SENDING HYMN

THERE IS A REDEEMER

MELODY & KEITH GREEN

There is a Redeemer, Jesus God's own Son.
Precious Lamb of God, Messiah, Holy One.

Thank you Oh my Father for giving us your Son.
And leaving Your Spirit till Your work on earth is done.

Jesus my redeemer, Name above all names.
Precious Lamb of God, Messiah Hope for sinners slain.

Thank you Oh my Father for giving us your Son.
And leaving Your Spirit till Your work on earth is done.

When I stand in Glory I will see His face.
And there I'll serve my King forever in that Holy place.

Thank you Oh my Father for giving us Your Son.
And leaving Your Spirit till Your work on earth is done.
And leaving Your Spirit till Your work on earth is done.

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

SENDING

- P** Go in peace. The Spirit sends us forth to serve.
- C** **Thanks be to God.**

POSTLUDE



LENTEN
MIDWEEK
SERVICE
7:00 P.M.

Wednesday, March 11
Corned Beef Supper -5:30 PM
Service -7:00 PM

Wednesday, March 18
Service -7:00 PM

Wednesday, March 25
Baked Spaghetti Supper -5:30 PM
Service -7:00 PM

Wednesday, April 1
Shepherd's Pie Supper -5:30 PM
Service -7:00 PM

THE FOLLOWING HELPERS ARE SCHEDULED FOR MARCH 15, 2020

	8:15 AM	11:00 AM
Worship Assistant	Matt Quinn	
Elder	Mark King	Sandy Langer
Children's Message	Pastor Tim Boerger	
Communion Asst.		Alex Predoehl Eric Wald Jake Wald
Ushers	Pat Colacicco Carl Schulten	Anthony Hoffman Gail Hinds
Readers	Karen Howard	Angela Boerger Ann Sprague
Greeters	Dolores Falck	Eric Wald Melody Wald
Acolyte	Elder	Lucas Wald
Altar Guild	Gaetan Brunetto (set) Sherrie Dean (clean)	Sherrie Dean(set) Rhea Wilson(clean)

WORSHIP ATTENDANCE LAST WEEK

Worship Service	8:15 AM – 21
Worship Service	11:00 AM – 88



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SERVING TODAY

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Elder	Tim Leydig	Debbie Harman
Children's Message	Pastor Tim Boerger	
Communion Asst.		Jean Krueger Steve Gordon Bella Lourenco
Ushers	Bob Buran Jim Strachan	Andy Carpenter Paul Fowler
Readers	Vicki Wilk	Praise Team
Greeters	Henry Germai	Sherrie Dean Mary Rajnik
Acolyte	Elder	Vittoria Satterlee
Altar Guild	Kelly Groff (set) Marianne Compton (Clean)	Marianne Compton (set) Lisa Carpenter (Clean)

