Living Savior Lutheran Church

<u>Repent and turn to Jesus</u>

Lenten Services 2025

DIVINE SERVICE

Order of Worship: Evening Prayer (page 243)

Lent 1 – 03/12/25 Hymns: 544, 915, 878 Sermon Theme: <u>Repent: Turn to Jesus; Do Not Turn Away</u> Sermon Text: Matthew 27:1-5

27 When morning came, all the chief priests and the elders of the people took counsel against Jesus to put him to death. 2 And they bound him and led him away and delivered him over to Pilate the governor. 3 Then when Judas, his betrayer, saw that Jesus was condemned, he changed his mind and brought back the thirty pieces of silver to the chief priests and the elders, 4 saying, "I have sinned by betraying innocent blood." They said, "What is that to us? See to it yourself." 5 And throwing down the pieces of silver into the temple, he departed, and he went and hanged himself.

Lent 2 - 03/19/25

Hymns: 610, 767, 878

Sermon Theme: <u>Repent: Turn to Jesus; He Holds the Key to Heaven</u> Sermon Text: Luke 23:35-43

35 And the people stood by, watching, but the rulers scoffed at him, saying, "He saved others; let him save himself, if he is the Christ of God, his Chosen One!" 36 The soldiers also mocked him, coming up and offering him sour wine 37 and saying, "If you are the King of the Jews, save yourself!" 38 There was also an inscription over him, "This is the King of the Jews." 39 One of the criminals who were hanged railed at him, saying, "Are you not the Christ? Save yourself and us!" 40 But the other rebuked him, saying, "Do you not fear God, since you are under the same sentence of condemnation? 41 And we indeed justly, for we are receiving the due reward of our deeds; but this man has done nothing wrong." 42 And he said, "Jesus, remember me when you come into your kingdom." 43 And he said to him, "Truly, I say to you, today you will be with me in paradise."

Lent 3 – 03/26/25 Hymns: 440, 434, 878 Sermon Theme: <u>Repent: Turn to Jesus; He Longs to Forgive You</u>

Sermon Text: Luke 23:32-34

32 Two others, who were criminals, were led away to be put to death with him. 33 And when they came to the place that is called The Skull, there they crucified him, and the criminals, one on his right and one on his left. 34 And Jesus said, "Father, forgive them, for they know not what they do." And they cast lots to divide his garments.

Lent 4 – 04/02/25

Hymns: 611, 609, 878

Sermon Theme: <u>Repent: Turn to Jesus; He Changes Your Life</u> Sermon Text: Luke 7:44-50

44 Then turning toward the woman he said to Simon, "Do you see this woman? I entered your house; you gave me no water for my feet, but she has wet my feet with her tears and wiped them with her hair. 45 You gave me no kiss, but from the time I came in she has not ceased to kiss my feet. 46 You did not anoint my head with oil, but she has anointed my feet with ointment. 47 Therefore I tell you, her sins, which are many, are forgiven—for she loved much. But he who is forgiven little, loves little." 48 And he said to her, "Your sins are forgiven." 49 Then those who were at table with him began to say among themselves, "Who is this, who even forgives sins?" 50 And he said to the woman, "Your faith has saved you; go in peace."

Lent 1 - 04/09/25

Hymns: 436, 663, 878

Sermon Theme: <u>Repent: Turn to Jesus; When You Face Temptations</u> Sermon Text: Mark 14:32-38

32 And they went to a place called Gethsemane. And he said to his disciples, "Sit here while I pray." 33 And he took with him Peter and James and John, and began to be greatly distressed and troubled. 34 And he said to them, "My soul is very sorrowful, even to death. Remain here and watch." 35 And going a little farther, he fell on the ground and prayed that, if it were possible, the hour might pass from him. 36 And he said, "Abba, Father, all things are possible for you. Remove this cup from me. Yet not what I will, but what you will." 37 And he came and found them sleeping, and he said to Peter, "Simon, are you asleep? Could you not watch one hour? 38 Watch and pray that you may not enter into temptation. The spirit indeed is willing, but the flesh is weak."

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Regular Schedule Divine Worship 9:00 am Sunday School 10:15 am (singing) Bible Class 10:20 am



Repentance of Peter, by Carl Bloch



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