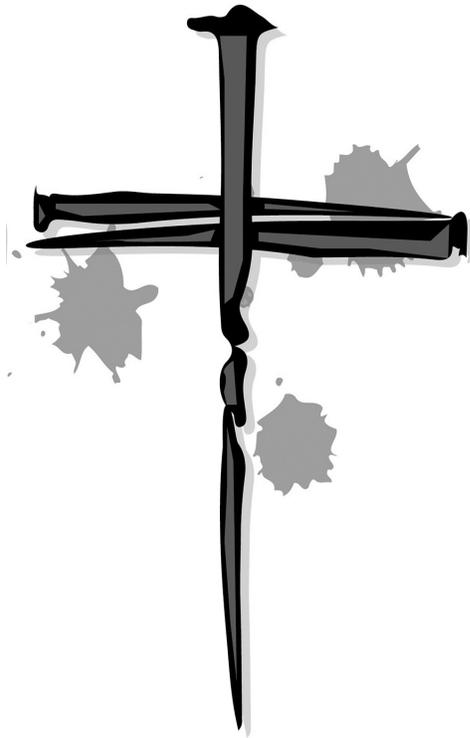


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Our Order of Worship

About our Worship Service This worship service is specially designed for midweek Lenten services from Northwestern Publishing House and reprinted with permission.

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M: Minister; **W:** Worshipers

Ringling of the Bell and Welcome

Opening Hymn: [129] Alas! and Did My Savior Bleed

Worshipers stand.

Invocation

Minster: In the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit.

Worshipers: Amen.

M: Dear friends, let us approach God with a true heart and confess our sins, asking him in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ to forgive us.

W: Lord of life, I confess that I am by nature dead in sin. For faithless worrying and selfish pride, for sins of habit and sins of choice, for the evil I have done and the good I have failed to do, you should cast me away from your presence forever. O Lord, I am sorry for my sins. Forgive me, for Jesus' sake.

M: Christ has died. Christ is risen. Christ will come again. In his great mercy, God made us alive in Christ even when we were dead in our sins. Hear the word of Christ through his called servant: I forgive all your sins in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit.

W: Amen.

M: Lord God, you have brought us safely to this hour of evening prayer. We thank you for providing all that we need for body and life. Bless us who have gathered in your name. Forgive our sins. Speak to our hearts. Dispel our sorrows with the comfort of your Word, and receive our hymns of thanks and praise, through Jesus Christ, our living Savior, who reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

W: Amen.

Worshipers sit.

Psalm 85

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Psalm Prayer

M: God of love and faithfulness, you showed favor to your people by sending your one and only Son to be our Savior. Help us to trust in him as our gracious Redeemer and to enjoy the peace he came to bring, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

W: Amen.

Lesson 4: Passion Reading**Seasonal Response**

All: All we like sheep have gone astray, and the Lord has laid on him the iniquity of us all. By his wounds we are healed.

Sermon Hymn: [497] This Is My Will**Message**

THEME: Love One Another

TEXT: John 13:31-35

When he was gone, Jesus said, "Now is the Son of Man glorified and God is glorified in him. If God is glorified in him, God will glorify the Son in himself, and will glorify him at once.

"My children, I will be with you only a little longer. You will look for me, and just as I told the Jews, so I tell you now: Where I am going, you cannot come.

"A new command I give you: Love one another. As I have loved you, so you must love one another. By this all men will know that you are my disciples, if you love one another."

Gathering of Offerings for the Lord

Worshippers stand.

Prayers**Lord's Prayer**

All: Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your name, your kingdom come, your will be done on earth as in heaven. Give us today our daily bread. Forgive us our sins as we forgive those who sin against us. Lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For the kingdom, the power, and the glory are yours now and forever. Amen.

Prayer for Peace

M: Lord God, all holy desires, all good counsels, and all just works come from you. Give to us, your servants, that peace which the world cannot give, that our hearts may be set to obey your commandments. Defend us also from the fear of our enemies that we may live in peace and quietness, through the merits of Jesus Christ our Savior, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

W: Amen.

Blessing

M: The almighty and merciful Lord, the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit, bless and keep us.

W: Amen.

Worshippers sit.

Hymn: [490] Love in Christ Is Strong and Living



Thank You to all those who volunteered to lead our two Lenten meals this year and to the other volunteers who helped bring other food items, served, and cleaned up. Our Fairview Family appreciates it very much!

Fairview's Easter Breakfast will be served Easter morning, April 21st before the 9:00a worship service, from 7:45-8:45a in the fellowship hall. We are extremely grateful to Taleen and Phil Wagie and Judy Moss for coordinating this meal. We are looking for volunteers to help set up, serve and clean up. There is a sign-up sheet on the foyer table for volunteering. Thank you!



† **Midweek Lent Worship at Fairview** †
Wednesdays, 6:30p
April 3rd through April 10th

