



Wednesday, February 25, 2026

Week 1: Dying to Pride, Living for Others

“For even the Son of Man came not to be served but to serve, and to give his life as a ransom for many.”

Mark 10:45

Opening Hymn ... “My Faith Looks Up to Thee” *LSB* 702; vrs. 1-3

Invocation and Call to Worship

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

P: The apostle Paul writes, “Walk in a manner worthy of the calling to which you have been called, with all humility and gentleness, with patience, bearing with one another in love...” (Ephesians 4:1-2).

C: Lord, help us to lay aside selfish, conceited and prideful ways.

P: We are told, “Do nothing from selfish ambition or conceit, but in humility count others more significant than yourselves. Let each of you look not only to his own interests, but also to the interests of others” (Philippians 2:3-4). This is the attitude of Jesus Christ, who gave himself for us.

C: Lord, help us to be humble and to regard others as more important than ourselves. Lead us to lives of service to others.

P: The Lord tells us, “Through love serve one another” (Galatians 5:13).

C: Lord, help us to love others as you love us.

Confession and Absolution

P: Let us confess our sins to God and ask his forgiveness.

C: Almighty God, you have called us in Christ Jesus to lives of love and service, but we so often would rather serve ourselves. Instead of putting the needs of others ahead of our own, we seek to satisfy our own selfish desires. We follow our own ways and not the way of love to which we have been called. Have mercy on us, and forgive us. Strengthen us by your Spirit to follow in our Savior’s steps, to walk in the way of love.

P: God has had mercy on us. He sent his Son to be our Savior. Jesus put our needs and interests ahead of his own, and bore our sins in his body on the cross. Our sins are washed away in his blood. I announce to you that your sins are forgiven in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit. Amen.

C: Almighty God, renew in us the mind of Christ, so that we might lay aside our pride and follow our Savior, who came not to be served but to serve and to give his life for us.

Prayer of the Day

P: ...Hear our prayer and accept our grateful praise. Amen.

Hymn ... "Hail, Thou Once Despised Jesus"
LSB 531; vrs. 1-2

Old Testament Reading ... *Genesis 11:1-9*

Epistle Reading ... *Philippians 2:1-11*

Gospel Reading ... *Mark 10:35-45*

Sermon Hymn ... "Lord of Glory, You Have Bought Us"
LSB 851; vrs.1-2

Sermon

Hymn of Response ... "Lord of Glory, You Have Bought Us";
LSB 851; vrs. 3-4

Apostles' Creed

Offering & Attendance / Involvement Cards

Prayers

P: (*after each petition*)... Lord Jesus, you gave your life to save us;

C: Help us to spend our lives in service to others.

Lord's Prayer

Benediction

P: If there is any encouragement in Christ, any comfort from love, any participation in the Spirit, any affection and sympathy, complete my joy by being of the same mind, having the same love, being in full accord and of one mind.

C: Do nothing from selfish ambition or conceit, but in humility count others more significant than yourselves. Let each of you look not only to his own interests, but also to the interests of others.

P: Now may the Lord of peace himself give you peace at all times in every way. The Lord be with you all. Amen.

Closing Hymn ... "Son of God, Eternal Savior" *LSB 842; vrs. 1-2*

Midweek Lenten & Holy Week Worship Services

Wednesday, February 25

11:30 AM & 7 PM Worship

*Meal: Soup & Sandwiches hosted by *Bibi's Hope*

Wednesday, March 4

11:30 AM & 7 PM Worship

*Meal: Hot Dogs & Loose Meats hosted by *KinderCottage Preschool*

Wednesday, March 11

11:30 AM & 7 PM Worship

*Meal: Spaghetti hosted by *Confirmation*

Wednesday, March 18

11:30 AM & 7 PM Worship

*Meal: Taco Bar hosted by *High School*

Wednesday, March 25

11:30 AM & 7 PM Worship

*Meal: Lasagna hosted by *Handbells / Choir*

Palm Sunday, March 29

Worship 6:30 PM, Thursday, March 26;

8:15 & 10:45 AM, Sunday, March 29

Maundy Thursday, April 2

11:30 AM & 7 PM Worship with Holy Communion

Good Friday, April 3

11:30 AM & 7 PM Worship

Easter Sunday, April 5

6:30 AM, 8:30 AM & 10:30 AM Worship with Holy Communion

7:30-10 AM Redeemer Youth serve Easter Breakfast

(Free-will Offering & Carry-outs available).