

**Sunday, February 25, 2018 10:30 a.m.**

**SECOND SUNDAY IN LENT**

Prelude

Lighting the Christ Candle and Opening the Bible

Welcome and Announcements

**COMING TO GOD**

The Call to Worship

\*Hymn: 321 Praise to the Lord, the Almighty

Prayer of Adoration, Confession, and Assurance of Pardon

Anthem: *Down to the River to Pray* arr. Sheldon Curry

As I went down in the river to pray, studying about that good old way and who shall wear the starry crown good Lord, show me the way! O sisters let's go down let's go down, come on down O sisters let's go down, down in the river to pray. O brothers let's go down let's go down, come on down come on brothers let's go down, down in the river to pray O fathers let's go down let's go down, come on down O fathers let's go down, down in the river to pray O mothers let's go down let's go down, don't you want to go down come on mothers let's go down, down in the river to pray O sinners let's go down let's go down, come on down O sinners let's go down, down in the river to pray.

Time with the Children

\*Hymn: Father, I place into your hands (see insert)

[Children leave for the Kid Zone Club]

**LISTENING TO GOD**

Prayer for Illumination

Old Testament: Genesis 3:1-13 [O.T. page 3]

New Testament: Matthew 4:1-11 [N.T. page 3]

Reader: This is the word of the Lord

People: **Thanks be to God**

\*Hymn: 746 What a friend we have in Jesus

Sermon: TESTS, TRIALS, AND TEMPTATIONS

**RESPONDING TO GOD**

The Offering

The Offertory Anthem: *The Lord's Prayer* Albert Hay Malotte

Our Father, which art in heaven, hallowed be thy name; thy kingdom come; thy will be done, in earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors. And lead us not into temptation; but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, the power, and the glory, for ever and ever. Amen.

\*The Doxology and Presentation of Gifts

*Were the whole realm of nature mine,  
That were an offering far too small;  
Love so amazing, so divine  
Demands my soul, my life, my all.*

Prayer of Dedication

Prayers of Thanksgiving, Intercession and the Lord's Prayer

\*Hymn: 651 Guide me, O thou great Redeemer

\*The Benediction and Choral Amen

Postlude

\*You are invited to stand as you are able

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**TODAY**

Greeter:	Don Henderson
Ushering Captain:	Bob Elson
Scripture Reader:	Bonnie Brooks
Coffee Hour Host:	Margaret and Len Dieleman, Wayne and Carolynn Holderney

*A Journey Through Lent*

