



St. Mark Presbyterian Church

First Sunday in Lent

March 9, 2025

Gathering Music

Worship Team

Welcome and Call to Worship

Rev. Ann Marie Quigley-Swanson

One: As we walk into the wilderness, setting our face toward the cross,

All: The Holy Spirit is with us.

One: As we focus and prepare, fasting by letting go and by taking on,

All: The Holy Spirit is with us.

One: Facing temptations, finding help from unexpected quarters,

All: The Holy Spirit is with us.

One: Come, let us seek God's way together.

*Song of Praise

10,000 Reasons
Jonas Myrin | Matt Redman

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Confession

Wally Doppenberg

Almighty God, you love us, but we have not loved you; you call, but we have not listened. You run to us with love and grace; but we walk away from neighbors in need. We are wrapped up in our own concerns. We have gone along with evil, with pride, quarrelling, and divisiveness. Holy God, help us to see ourselves clearly, so that, as you move toward us in mercy, we may repent, turn to you, receive mercy, and give mercy to others; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Assurance of Forgiveness

*Sharing the Peace of Christ

Time with Young Disciples

Elizabeth Smith

*Song

Holy, Holy, Holy
Reginald Heber | John Bacchus Dykes

Prayer for Understanding

Scripture Reading

Psalm 63:1-8

Sermon

Rev. Ann Marie Quigley-Swanson

*Closer: Practicing Spiritual Practices
Meditation*

***Affirmation of Faith**

The Apostles' Creed

I believe in God the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth; and in Jesus Christ His only Son our Lord; who was conceived by the Holy Ghost, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; he descended into hell; the third day he rose again from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and sitteth on the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Ghost; the holy catholic Church; the communion of saints; the forgiveness of sins; the resurrection of the body; and the life everlasting. Amen.

Ordination and Installation of Officers

Elder
Sally West

Deacon
Kim Hodge

Offering

Song

Heaven Song
Phil Wickham

Pastoral Prayer and The Lord's Prayer

***Closing Song**

Great Are You Lord
David Leonard | Jason Ingram | Leslie Jordan

***Benediction**

Serving in Worship Today
Rev. Ann Marie Quigley-Swanson
Wally Doppenberg, Liturgist
Elizabeth Smith (TWYD)
Worship Team
Tech Team

The flowers are provided
by Carol Anderson to the
glory of God.

Ten Thousand Reasons

Bless the Lord O my soul O my soul
Worship His holy name
Sing like never before O my soul
I'll worship Your holy name

The sun comes up it's a new day dawning
It's time to sing Your song again
Whatever may pass
and whatever lies before me
Let me be singing when the evening comes

Bless the Lord O my soul O my soul
Worship His holy name
Sing like never before O my soul
I'll worship Your holy name

You're rich in love and You're slow to anger
Your name is great and Your heart is kind
For all Your goodness I will keep on singing
Ten thousand reasons for my heart to find

Bless the Lord O my soul O my soul
Worship His holy name
Sing like never before O my soul
I'll worship Your holy name

And on that day when my strength is failing
The end draws near and my time has come
Still my soul will sing Your praise unending
Ten thousand years and then forevermore

Bless the Lord O my soul O my soul
Worship His holy name
Sing like never before O my soul
I'll worship Your holy name
I'll worship Your holy name...
Yes, I'll worship Your holy name

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Jonas Myrin | Matt Redman
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Holy, Holy, Holy

Holy holy holy
Lord God Almighty
Early in the morning
Our song shall rise to Thee
Holy holy holy
Merciful and mighty
God in three persons
Blessed Trinity

Holy holy holy
all the saints adore thee
casting down their golden
crowns around the glassy sea
cherubim and seraphim
falling down before thee
who wert and art and
evermore shalt be.

Holy holy holy
Though the darkness hide Thee
Though the eye of sinful man
Thy glory may not see
Only Thou art holy
There is none beside Thee
Perfect in power
In love and purity

Holy holy holy
Lord God Almighty
All Thy works shall praise Thy name
In earth and sky and sea
Holy holy holy
Merciful and mighty
God in three persons
Blessed Trinity

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John Bacchus Dykes | Reginald Heber
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Heaven Song

You wrote a letter and You signed Your name
I read every word of it page by page
You said that You'd be coming, coming for me
soon
Oh my God I'll be ready for You

I want to run on greener pastures
I want to dance on higher hills
I want to drink from sweeter waters
In the misty morning chill
And my soul is getting restless
For the place where I belong
I can't wait to join the angels and sing
My heaven song

I hear Your voice and I catch my breath
Well done my child enter in and rest
Tears of joy roll down my cheek
It's beautiful beyond my wildest dreams

I want to run on greener pastures
I want to dance on higher hills
I want to drink from sweeter waters
In the misty morning chill
And my soul is getting restless
For the place where I belong
I can't wait to join the angels and sing

I want to run on greener pastures
I want to dance on higher hills
I want to drink from sweeter waters
In the misty morning chill
And my soul is getting restless
For the place where I belong
I can't wait to join the angels and sing
No, I can't wait to join the angels and sing
My heaven song

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Phil Wickham
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Songs

Great Are You Lord

You give life You are love
You bring light to the darkness
You give hope You restore ev'ry heart that is
broken
And great are You Lord

It's Your breath in our lungs
So we pour out our praise
We pour out our praise
It's Your breath in our lungs
So we pour out our praise to You only

You give life You are love
You bring light to the darkness
You give hope You restore ev'ry heart that is
broken
And great are You Lord

It's Your breath in our lungs
So we pour out our praise
We pour out our praise
It's Your breath in our lungs
So we pour out our praise to You only

And all the earth will shout Your praise
Our hearts will cry... these bones will sing
Great are You Lord
(REPEAT 2X)

It's Your breath in our lungs
So we pour out our praise
We pour out our praise
It's Your breath in our lungs
So we pour out our praise to You only

It's Your breath in our lungs
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We pour out our praise
It's Your breath in our lungs
So we pour out our praise to You only
Great are You Lord

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