

Wednesday Lenten Service: Lectio Divina

7:30 p.m.

February 24, 2021

Prelude

Versicle

Camil Van Hulse

Welcome (Emily)

Call to Worship (Emily)

Leader: Jesus Christ is the light of the world, the light no darkness can overcome.

ALL: Stay with us, Lord, for it is evening, and the day is almost over.

Leader: Let your light scatter the darkness and illumine your church.

Hymn 469

Lord Listen to Your Children Praying

CHILDREN PRAYING

Lord, listen to your children praying. Lord, send your Spirit in this place.

Lord, listen to your children praying. Send us love; send us power; send us grace.

Invitation to Lectio Divina

Psalm 27:1, 13-14

The Lord is my light and my salvation; whom shall I fear? The Lord is the stronghold of my life; of whom shall I be afraid?

I believe that I shall see the goodness of the Lord in the land of the living. Wait for the Lord; be strong, and let your heart take courage; wait for the Lord!

Hymn 471

O Lord Hear My Prayer

Hear My Prayer

Communion Hymn 530

One Bread, One Body

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Sacrament of the Lord's Supper

Invitation to the Table

Great Prayer of Thanksgiving

The Lord be with you.

And also with you.

Lift up your hearts.

We lift them to the Lord.

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God

It is right to give our thanks and praise.

The Lord's Prayer

Our Father who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on 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 and the power and the glory, forever. Amen.

Distribution of the Bread and Cup

You may have your bread and juice with you, pre-prepared, and may serve others nearby and serve yourself saying, "the bread of life" for the bread and "the cup of salvation" for the cup. For those seated in the pews you may remove your mask to take the elements.

Prayer after Communion (Chris)

God of grace, you renew us at your table with the bread of life. May this food strengthen us in love these forty days and help us to serve you in each other. We ask this in the name of Jesus the Lord. Amen

Hymn 166

Lord, Who Throughout These Forty Days

ST. FLAVIAN

Benediction

Postlude

I Love to Tell the Story

arr. Emma Lou Diemer