

ZECHARIAH'S PASSION PROPHECIES FULFILLED!

Welcome! Opening Prayer

Pastor: O LORD God, as we enter into Your presence for worship today during this season of Lent, send Your Holy Spirit upon us to guide and direct our hearts. Lead us humbly to confess our sins, joyfully to believe Your promise of forgiveness, attentively to listen to Your instruction, and confidently to lay before You our every prayer. We ask this in Jesus' name, our precious Savior and Lord. Amen.

P: "The Lord was very angry with our ancestors."

Congregation: "Therefore tell the people: This is what the LORD Almighty says:

P: 'Return to me,' declares the LORD Almighty,

C: 'And I will return to you,' says the LORD Almighty." (Zechariah 1:2)

P: We begin our Lenten worship in the name of the Triune God.

ALL: In the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit. Amen.

OPENING HYMN

MEDITATION ~ LENTEN SERIES THEME:

Zechariah's Passion Prophecies Fulfilled!

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NOTES:

THE OFFERTORY

We offer God our hearts again, praying for His spiritual blessings!

Create in me a clean heart, O God, and renew a right spirit within me. Cast me not away from Your presence; and take not Your Holy Spirit from me. Restore unto me the joy of Your salvation; and uphold me with Your free Spirit. Amen!

CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS OF SINS

P: Let us join in begging God to create a clean heart within us, and to restore in us the full joy of our salvation in Christ.

ALL: Almighty God, heavenly Father, I have sinned against You through my own fault in thought, word, and deed. For the sake of the innocent suffering, death, and resurrection of Your Son, Jesus Christ, have mercy on me, forgive me all my sin, and bring me to everlasting life. Amen.

P: God our heavenly Father has forgiven all your sins. By the perfect life and innocent death of our Lord Jesus Christ, He has removed your guilt forever. You are His own dear child. May God give you strength to live according to His will.

ALL: Amen.

CONFESSION PSALMODY

"O LORD, Do Not Rebuke" (Psalm 38:1-4; 14-15, 22) **Tan Supplement pg. 39**

Scripture Reading ~ Zechariah's Passion Prophecy Fulfilled!

Week	Date	Sermon Theme	Scripture Reading
Ash Wednesday	Feb. 26	Intro: Prophecy 1 Peter 1:10-12	Luke 18:31-33
Lent #2	March 4	Humble King Zechariah 9:9-11	Matthew 21:1-7
Lent #3	March 11	Betrayed Zechariah 11:11-13	Matthew 26:14-25, 45-54
Lent #4	March 18	Shepherd Zechariah 13:7	Matthew 26:26-44, 55-56
Lent #5	March 25	Temple Builder Zechariah 6:12-13	Matthew 26:57-68
Lent #6	April 1	Pierced Zechariah 12:10	John 19:28-37
Maundy Thursday	April 9	High Priest Zechariah 3:8-9	Hebrews 10:1-18
Good Friday	April 10	Fountain Zechariah 13:1	Revelation 21:1-7

Scripture Response

JESUS, REMEMBER ME Je-sus, re-mem-ber me when You come in - to Your King - dom. Je-sus, re-mem-ber me when You come in - to Your King - dom.

CONFESSION OF FAITH ~ 2nd Article and Luther's Explanation

- I believe in Jesus Christ, His only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died and was buried. He descended into hell. The third day He rose again from the dead. He ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of God the Father almighty. From there He will come to judge the living and the dead.
- I believe that Jesus Christ, true God, begotten of the Father from eternity, and also true man, born of the virgin Mary, is my Lord. He has redeemed me, a lost and condemned person, purchased and won me from all sin, from death, and from the power of the devil, not with gold or silver, but with His holy, precious blood and His innocent suffering and death.
- He did this that I should be His very own, live under Him in His kingdom, and serve Him in eternal righteousness, innocence, and joy; just as He is risen from death, lives and reigns in eternity.

This is most certainly true.

HYMN OF THE DAY

OUR OFFERING OF THANKFUL HEARTS TO THE LORD / HYMN 143:8, 14

O mighty King, no time can dim Your glory!
How shall I spread abroad Your wondrous story?
How shall I find some worthy gifts to tender?
What dare I render?

But worthless is my sacrifice, I own it; Yet, Lord, for love's sake You will not disown it; You will accept my gift in Your great meekness Nor shame my weakness.

P: Let our prayer be set before You as incense:

C: And the lifting up of our hands in prayer as our sacrifice.

> Pastor prays the Lenten prayer for the week followed by...

THE LORD'S PRAYER

Our Father in heaven,

Hallowed be Your name.

Your kingdom come.

Your will be done on earth as it is in heaven.

Give us each day our daily bread.

And forgive us our debts,

as we forgive our debtors.

And do not lead us into temptation,

But deliver us from evil.

For Yours is the kingdom and the power and the glory forever.

Amen.

> On Ash Wednesday & Maundy Thursday, We'll continue with the communion liturgy.

Benediction

P: The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God the Father, and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit be with you all!

ALL: (sung) Amen!

CLOSING HYMN

Weekly Service Specifics

Ash Wednesday ~ February 26

Zechariah's Passion Prophecies Fulfilled! – *Intro: Prophecy*

Speaker: Home Pastor Text: 1 Peter 1:10-12

Hymns: 144; 132:1-4; 170:5-7

1:10 Of this salvation the prophets have inquired and searched carefully, who prophesied of the grace that would come to you, 11 searching what, or what manner of time, the Spirit of Christ who was in them was indicating when He testified beforehand the sufferings of Christ and the glories that would follow.

Lent #2 ~ March 4

Zechariah's Passion Prophecies Fulfilled! – *Humble King*Speaker: *Pastor Joe Naumann*Hymns: 162; 721; 725

9:9 "Rejoice greatly, O daughter of Zion! Shout, O daughter of Jerusalem! Behold, your King is coming to you; He is just and having salvation, Lowly and riding on a donkey, A colt, the foal of a donkey. 10 I will cut off the chariot from Ephraim And the horse from Jerusalem; The battle bow shall be cut off. He shall speak peace to the nations; His dominion shall be 'from sea to sea, And from the River to the ends of the earth.' 11 "As for you also, Because of the blood of your covenant, I will set your prisoners free from the waterless pit.

Lent #3 ~ March 11

Zechariah's Passion Prophecies Fulfilled! – **Betrayed**Speaker: **Pastor Neal Radichel** Text: **Zechariah 11:11-13**

Hymns: 140; 760; 186 (Offering: 155)

11:11 So it was broken on that day. Thus the poor of the flock, who were watching me, knew that it was the word of the Lord. 12 Then I said to them, "If it is agreeable to you, give me my wages; and if not, refrain." So they weighed out for my wages thirty pieces of silver. 13 And the Lord said to me, "Throw it to the potter"—that princely price they set on me. So I took the thirty pieces of silver and threw them into the house of the Lord for the potter.

Lent #4 ~ March 18

Zechariah's Passion Prophecies Fulfilled! – *Shepherd*Speaker: *Home Pastor*Text: *Zechariah* 13:7

Hymns: 547; 172:1,4-5,10; 143:1,8,15

13:7 "Awake, O sword, against My Shepherd, Against the Man who is My Companion," Says the Lord of hosts. "Strike the Shepherd, And the sheep will be scattered; Then I will turn My hand against the little ones.

Lent #5 ~ March 25

Zechariah's Passion Prophecies Fulfilled! – *Temple Builder*Speaker: *Pastor Nathanael Mayhew* Text: *Zechariah 6:12-13*Hymns: 159; 151:1-4,7; 171:9,11,12

6:12 Then speak to him, saying, 'Thus says the Lord of hosts, saying: "Behold, the Man whose name is the BRANCH! From His place He shall branch out, And He shall build the temple of the Lord; 13 Yes, He shall build the temple of the Lord. He shall bear the glory, And shall sit and rule on His throne; So He shall be a priest on His throne, And the counsel of peace shall be between them both." '

Lent #6 ~ April 1

Zechariah's Passion Prophecies Fulfilled! – *Pierced*Speaker: *Pastor George Dummann* Text: *Zechariah 12:10*Hymns: 153; 166; 352

12:10 "And I will pour on the house of David and on the inhabitants of Jerusalem the Spirit of grace and supplication; then they will look on Me whom they pierced. Yes, they will mourn for Him as one mourns for his only son, and grieve for Him as one grieves for a firstborn.

Maundy Thursday ~ April 9

Zechariah's Passion Prophecies Fulfilled! – *High Priest*Speaker: *Home Pastor* Text: *Zechariah 3:8-9*

Hymns: 141; 164; 178

3:8 'Hear, O Joshua, the high priest, You and your companions who sit before you, For they are a wondrous sign; For behold, I am bringing forth My Servant the BRANCH. 9 For behold, the stone That I have laid before Joshua: Upon the stone are seven eyes. Behold, I will engrave its inscription,' Says the Lord of hosts, 'And I will remove the iniquity of that land in one day.

Good Friday ~ April 10

Zechariah's Passion Prophecies Fulfilled! – *Fountain*Speaker: *Home Pastor* Text: *Zechariah* 13:1

Hymns: 149; 157; 142:5-6

13:1 "In that day a fountain shall be opened for the house of David and for the inhabitants of Jerusalem, for sin and for uncleanness.

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