

Let us pray together the prayer that Jesus taught us:

Our Father

Concluding Prayer

Lord Jesus, you did not accept the cross as much as you embraced it. Help us to love the essential suffering you sent into our lives and to bring our sins and failings to your forgiveness so that we can begin to live out again the gift of our baptism. We make this prayer in your precious name.

All: Amen



Our Lenten Journey

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Opening Prayer/Liturgy



Opening Song

Go Ye Out

Tom Booth

**Go ye out and tell all the nations
Tell all the nations of his love
Go ye out and tell all the nations,
Tell all the nations of his love.**

Praise ye the Lord, praise him, all the nations,
Glorify him all you peoples. Praise ye the Lord,
You got to praise him all you nations, Glorify him, all
you peoples.

Steadfast his love, his kindness lasts forever,
His love is pure, lasting all our days. Steadfast is his love,
his kindness lasts forever. His love is pure, lasting all our
days.

Gathering Prayer

Loving God, You are the God of the journey. You never lost sight of what was important. You achieved power and prestige while seeking out the lost and forgotten. We prayerfully ask that you guide us on our Lenten journey to wholeness.

Amen

Scripture Reading Mt. 6:1-16, 16-18

But when you fast, put oil on your head and wash your face, so that your fasting may be seen not by others but by your Father who is in secret, and your Father who sees in secret will reward you.

The Word of the Lord

All: Thanks be to God.



Prayer Response

Side 1 The Lord is our hope and our salvation,
Let us trust in Him.

Side 2 The Lord does not grow tired or weary.
Let us draw strength from Him

Side 1 The Lord increases the power of the weak
Let us be encouraged by His promise.

Side 2 Those that rely on His power will be
renewed and will find hope in his Word.
Let us call on Him for faithfulness.

Side 1 The Lord has brought Good News to the
poor and comfort for the brokenhearted.
Let us proclaim the glad tidings with
great joy.

Side 2 By His light and salvation we are freed
from darkness and sin.
Let us celebrate His goodness to us with
joy and thanksgiving.

All Amen