



First Sunday in Lent
3/6/22
Lutheran Book of Worship
Holy Communion Setting One

GOD GATHERS US IN EVERY PLACE AS HIS HOLY PEOPLE

Lent is a 40-day season of contemplation, spiritual discipline, recalling the 40 days that Jesus spent in the wilderness. Throughout the season, we reflect upon our sinfulness and God's grace. As we take up spiritual disciplines of prayer, fasting (denying oneself), and giving to the poor, God calls us to turn from serving ourselves, repent of our sins, and return to Him.

PRELUDE

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS *Matthew 28:19; 1 John 1:8-10*

Please, stand as you are able.
In remembrance of Baptism, you may trace the sign of the cross on your chest or forehead.

In the name of the Father and of the + Son, and of the Holy Spirit. **Amen.**

God of all mercy and consolation, come to the aid of your people, turning us from our sin to live for you alone. Give us the power of your Holy Spirit that, attentive to your Word, we may confess our sins, receive your forgiveness, and grow into the fullness of your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

Let us confess our sin in the presence of God and of one another.

We keep silence for self-reflection and contrition.

Holy and Gracious God, **have mercy on me, a poor sinner.**
In your compassion forgive me my sins, known and unknown, things done and left undone.
Uphold me by your Spirit so that I may live and serve you in newness of life,
to the honor and glory of your holy name; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Almighty God has mercy on us. Through our Lord, Jesus Christ, He forgives us all our sins. May He strengthen us in all goodness, and by the power of the Holy Spirit, keep us in eternal life, in the name of the Father and of the + Son, and of the Holy Spirit. **Amen.**

GATHERING HYMN “Lord Jesus, Think on Me” (LBW #309)

1 Lord Je - sus, think on me And purge a - way my sin;
 2 Lord Je - sus, think on me, By anx - ious thoughts op - pressed;
 3 Lord Je - sus, think on me, Nor let me go a - stray;
 4 Lord Je - sus, think on me, That, when the flood is past,

From self - ish pas - sions set me free And make me pure with - in.
 Let me your lov - ing ser - vant be And taste your prom - ised rest.
 Through dark - ness and per - plex - i - ty Point out your cho - sen way.
 I may the e - ter - nal bright - ness see And share your joy at last.

Text: Synesius of Cyrene, c. 375–430; tr. Allen W. Chatfield, 1808–1896, alt.
 Tune: Daman, Psalms, 1579

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AFFIRMATION OF PURPOSE *Matthew 28:18-20, 22:36-39; Mark 12:30-31*

We are Joy Mission Church, missionary-disciples of Jesus Christ.

We love God, love neighbor, and serve with joy in Jesus’ name.

APOSTOLIC GREETING (LBW p. 57) *2 Corinthians 13:14*

The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the Love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all. **And also with you.**

KYRIE (“Lord, have mercy...” LBW pp. 57-58) *Matthew 9:27, 15:22; Psalm 51:1*

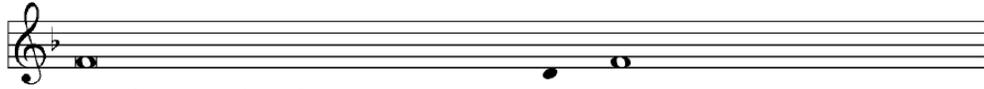
Ⓐ In peace, let us pray to the Lord. ☩ Lord, have mer - cy.

Ⓐ For the peace from above, and for our salvation, let us pray to the Lord.

☩ Lord, have mer - cy.



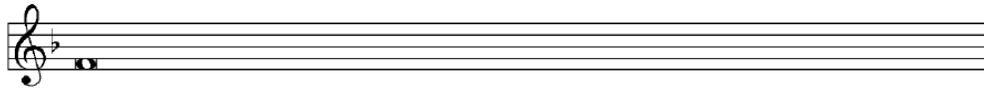
Ⓐ For the peace of the whole world, for the well-being of the Church of God,



and for the unity of all, let us pray to the Lord.



Ⓒ Lord, have mer - cy.



Ⓐ For this holy house, and for all who offer here their worship and praise,



let us pray to the Lord.

Ⓒ Lord, have mer - cy.



Ⓐ Help, save, comfort, and defend us, gra - cious Lord. Ⓒ A - men

SALUTATION (LBW p. 62) *Ruth 2:4*



Ⓒ The Lord be with you.

Ⓒ And al - so with you.

PRAYER OF THE DAY

Let us pray together: **O Lord God, you would have us put no trust in anything we do. Mercifully grant that by your power we may be defended against all adversity; through your Son, Jesus Christ, our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.**

Please be seated.

GOD SPEAKS TO US IN HIS WORD

FIRST READING: Deuteronomy 26:1-11

¹{Moses said to the Israelites,} “When you come into the land that the Lord your God is giving you for an inheritance and have taken possession of it and live in it, ²you shall take some of the first of all the fruit of the ground, which you harvest from your land that the Lord your God is giving you, and you shall put it in a basket, and you shall go to the place that the Lord your God will choose, to make his name to dwell there. ³And you shall go to the priest who is in office at that time and say to him, ‘I declare today to the Lord your God that I have come into the land that the Lord swore to our fathers to give us.’ ⁴Then the priest shall take the basket from your hand and set it down before the altar of the Lord your God. ⁵And you shall make response before the Lord your God, ‘A wandering Aramean was my father. And he went down into Egypt and sojourned there, few in number, and there he became a nation, great, mighty, and populous. ⁶And the Egyptians treated us harshly and humiliated us and laid on us hard labor. ⁷Then we cried to the Lord, the God of our fathers, and the Lord heard our voice and saw our affliction, our toil, and our oppression. ⁸And the Lord brought us out of Egypt with a mighty hand and an outstretched arm,

with great deeds of terror, with signs and wonders. ⁹And he brought us into this place and gave us this land, a land flowing with milk and honey. ¹⁰And behold, now I bring the first of the fruit of the ground, which you, O Lord, have given me.’ And you shall set it down before the Lord your God and worship before the Lord your God. ¹¹And you shall rejoice in all the good that the Lord your God has given to you and to your house, you, and the Levite, and the sojourner who is among you.”

The Word of the Lord. **Thanks be to God.**

PSALM 91:1-13 - *Sung responsively with the cantor.* (Psalm tone #2)

¹He who dwells in the shelter of | the Most High,*
abides under the shadow of | the Almighty.

²**He shall say to the Lord, “You are my refuge | and my stronghold,*
my God in whom I | put my trust.”**

³He shall deliver you from the snare | of the hunter*
and from the | deadly pestilence.

⁴**He shall cover you with his pinions, and you shall find refuge un- | der his wings;*
his faithfulness shall be a | shield and buckler.**

⁵You shall not be afraid of any ter- | ror by night,*
nor of the arrow that | flies by day;

⁶**Of the plague that stalks | in the darkness,*
nor of the sickness that lays | waste at midday.**

⁷A thousand shall fall at your side and ten thousand at | your right hand,*
but it shall | not come near you.

⁸**Your eyes have only | to behold*
to see the reward | of the wicked.**

⁹Because you have made the | Lord your refuge,*
and the Most High your | habitation,

¹⁰**There shall no evil hap- | pen to you,*
neither shall any plague come | near your dwelling.**

¹¹For he shall give his angels charge | over you,*
to keep you in | all your ways.

¹²**They shall bear you | in their hands,*
lest you dash your foot a- | gainst a stone.**

¹³You shall tread upon the li- | on and adder;*
you shall trample the young lion and the serpent un- | der your feet.

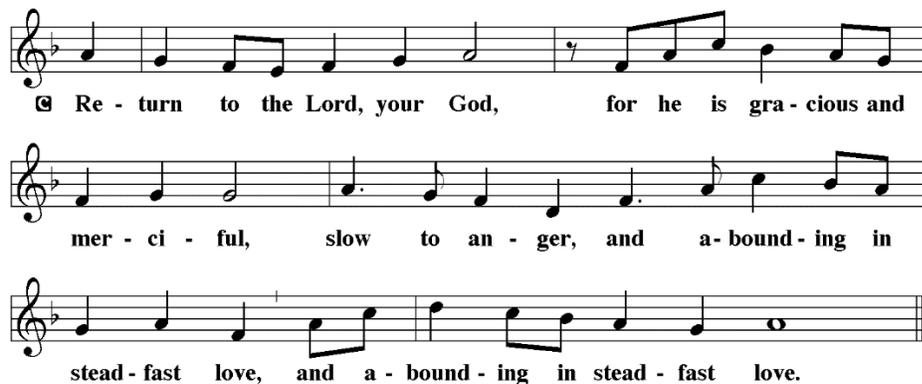
SECOND READING: Romans 10:8b-13

^{8b}“The word is near you, in your mouth and in your heart” (that is, the word of faith that we proclaim); ⁹because, if you confess with your mouth that Jesus is Lord and believe in your heart that God raised him from the dead, you will be saved. ¹⁰For with the heart one believes and is justified, and with the mouth one confesses and is saved. ¹¹For the Scripture says, “Everyone who believes in him will not be put to shame.” ¹²For there is no distinction between Jew and Greek; for the same Lord is Lord of all, bestowing his riches on all who call on him. ¹³For “everyone who calls on the name of the Lord will be saved.”

The Word of the Lord. **Thanks be to God.**

Please stand as you are able.

VERSE (LBW p. 63) *John 6:68*



Re - turn to the Lord, your God, for he is gra - cious and
mer - ci - ful, slow to an - ger, and a - bound - ing in
stead - fast love, and a - bound - ing in stead - fast love.

GOSPEL ANNUNCIATION (LBW p. 63)

The Holy Gospel according to St. Luke the fourth chapter



Glo - ry to you, O Lord.

GOSPEL READING: Luke 4:1-13

¹Jesus, full of the Holy Spirit, returned from the Jordan and was led by the Spirit in the wilderness ²for forty days, being tempted by the devil. And he ate nothing during those days. And when they were ended, he was hungry. ³The devil said to him, “If you are the Son of God, command this stone to become bread.” ⁴And Jesus answered him, “It is written, ‘Man shall not live by bread alone.’” ⁵And the devil took him up and showed him all the kingdoms of the world in a moment of time, ⁶and said to him, “To you I will give all this authority and their glory, for it has been delivered to me, and I give it to whom I will. ⁷If you, then, will worship me, it will all be yours.” ⁸And Jesus answered him, “It is written, “‘You shall worship the Lord your God, and him only shall you serve.’” ⁹And he took him to Jerusalem and set him on the pinnacle of the temple and said to him, “If you are the Son of God, throw yourself down from here, ¹⁰for it is written, “‘He will command his angels concerning you, to guard you,’” ¹¹and “‘On their hands they will bear you up, lest you strike your foot against a stone.’” ¹²And Jesus answered him, “It is said, ‘You shall not put the Lord your God to the test.’” ¹³And when the devil had ended every temptation, he departed from him until an opportune time.

This is the Gospel of the Lord.

GOSPEL RESPONSE (LBW p. 63)



Praise to you, O Christ.

Please be seated.

CHILDREN’S MESSAGE

SERMON

GOD INVITES US TO RESPOND IN FAITH

Please stand as you are able.

HYMN OF THE DAY: "The Glory of These Forty Days" (WOV #657)

1 The glo - ry of these for - ty days we cel - e -
2 A - lone and fast - ing Mo - ses saw the lov - ing
3 So Dan - iel trained his mys - tic sight, de - liv - ered
4 Then grant, O God, that we may, too, re - turn in

brate with songs of praise; for Christ, through whom all
God who gave the law; and to E - li - jah,
from the li - ons' might; and John, the Bride - groom's
fast and prayer to you. Our spir - its strength - en

things were made, him - self has fast - ed and has prayed.
fast - ing, came the steeds and char - i - ots of flame.
friend, be - came the her - ald of Mes - si - ah's name.
with your grace, and give us joy to see your face.

Text: Latin hymn, 11th cent.; tr. Maurice F. Bell, 1862-1947, alt.
Music: attr. Martin Luther, 1483-1546; *Geistliche Lieder*, 1543
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NICENE CREED (LBW p. 64) *Genesis 1-2; John 3:16; Luke 2; Acts 2*

Living together in the trust and hope, we confess our faith.

**We believe in one God,
the Father, the Almighty,
maker of heaven and earth,
of all that is, seen and unseen.**

**We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ,
the only Son of God,
eternally begotten of the Father,
God from God, Light from Light,
true God from true God,
begotten, not made,
of one Being with the Father.**

**Through him all things were made.
For us and for our salvation
he came down from heaven;**

by the power of the Holy Spirit
 he became incarnate from the virgin Mary, and was made man.
 For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate;
 he suffered death and was buried.
 On the third day he rose again
 in accordance with the Scriptures;
 he ascended into heaven
 and is seated at the right hand of the Father.
 He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead,
 and his kingdom will have no end.

We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life,
 who proceeds from the Father and the Son.
 With the Father and the Son he is worshiped and glorified.
 He has spoken through the prophets.
 We believe in one holy catholic and apostolic Church.
 We acknowledge one Baptism for the forgiveness of sins.
 We look for the resurrection of the dead,
 and the life of the world to come. Amen.

INTERCESSORY PRAYERS

Let us pray for the whole people of God in Christ Jesus, and for all people as they have need...
Each petition ends with these words: Hear us, O God. Your mercy is great.
The prayers conclude with these words: ...through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. Amen.

OFFERING OF PEACE *John 20:19-21*

The peace of the Lord be with you always. **And also with you.**
Having been reconciled to God in Christ, we share His peace with others.

OFFERING OF TITHES, ADDITIONAL GIFTS, & SPECIAL MUSIC as available

We offer our time, talents, and treasures in gratitude for all of the blessings God has given us.
Place your gifts in the offering plate as you exit the chapel or drop them in the mail.

Please stand as you are able.

OFFERTORY HYMN (LBW p. 67)

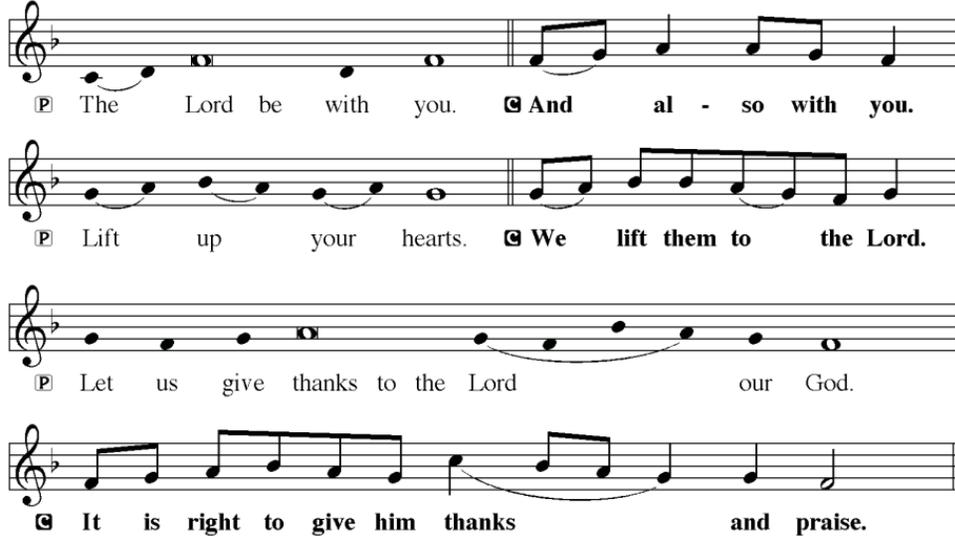
What shall I ren-der to the Lord for all his ben-e-fits to me? I will
 of-fer the sac-ri-fice of thanks-giv-ing and will call on the name of the Lord.
 I will take the cup of sal-va-tion and will call on the name of the Lord.
 I will pay my vows to the Lord now in the pres-ence of all his peo-ple,
 in the courts of the Lord's house, in the midst of you, O Je-ru-sa-lem.

OFFERTORY PRAYER (LBW p. 67)

Let us pray...

Blessed are you, O Lord our God, maker of all things. Through your goodness you have blessed us with these gifts. With them we offer ourselves to your service and dedicate our lives to the care and redemption of all that you have made, for the sake of him who gave himself for us, Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

GREAT THANKSGIVING (LBW p. 68)



Ⓟ The Lord be with you. ☩ And al - so with you.

Ⓟ Lift up your hearts. ☩ We lift them to the Lord.

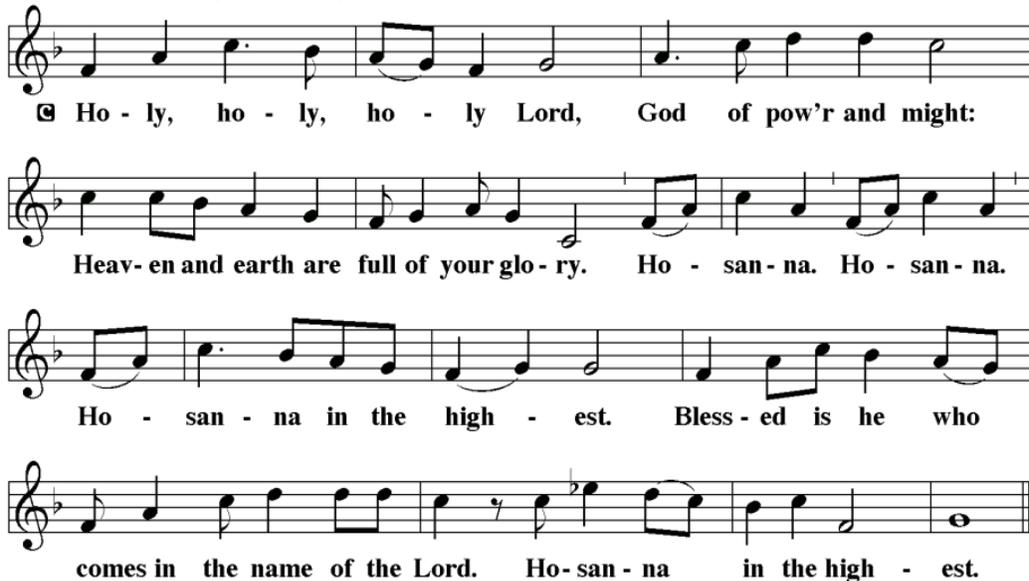
Ⓟ Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

☩ It is right to give him thanks and praise.

PREFACE (LBW p. 68) *Sung or spoken by the pastor.*

It is indeed right and salutary that we should at all times and in all places offer thanks and praise to you, O Lord, holy Father, through Christ our Lord. You bid your people cleanse their hearts and prepare with joy for the paschal feast. Renew our zeal in faith and life, and bring us to the fullness of the grace that belongs to the children of God. And so, with the Church on earth and the hosts of heaven, we praise your name and join their unending hymn:

SANCTUS (“Holy” LBW p. 69) *Psalm 118:25-26; Isaiah 6:3; Matthew 21:9; Mark 11:9*



☩ Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord, God of pow'r and might:

Heav - en and earth are full of your glo - ry. Ho - san - na. Ho - san - na.

Ho - san - na in the high - est. Bless - ed is he who

comes in the name of the Lord. Ho - san - na in the high - est.

WORDS OF INSTITUTION (LBW Minister's Desk Edition p. 260-261)

1 Corinthians 11:23-26; Matthew 26:26-28; Mark 14:22-24; Luke 22:19-20

Blessed are you, Lord of heaven and earth.

In mercy for our fallen world you gave your only Son,

that all those who believe in him should not perish, but have eternal life.

We give thanks to you for the salvation you have prepared for us through Jesus Christ.

Send now your Holy Spirit into our hearts,

that we may receive our Lord with a living faith as he comes to us in his holy supper.

Amen. Come, Lord Jesus.

In the night in which he was betrayed, our Lord Jesus took bread,

and gave thanks; broke it, and gave it to his disciples, saying:

Take and eat; this is my body, given for you. Do this for the remembrance of me.

Again, after supper, he took the cup, gave thanks,

and gave it for all to drink, saying:

This cup is the new covenant in my blood,

shed for you and for all people for the forgiveness of sin. Do this for the remembrance of me.

THE LORD'S PRAYER (LBW p. 71) *Matthew 6:9-13; Luke 11:2-4*

Lord, remember us in your kingdom, and teach us to pray...

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 trespasses,

as we forgive those who trespass against us;

and lead us not into temptation,

but deliver us from evil.

For thine is the kingdom,

and the power, and the glory,

forever and ever. Amen.

COMMUNION HYMN ("*Lamb of God...*" LBW p. 72) *John 1:29*

☪ Lamb of God, you take a - way the sin of the world; have
mer - cy on us. Lamb of God, you take a - way the sin of the
world; have mer - cy on us. Lamb of God, you take a - way the
sin of the world; grant us peace.

Please be seated.

WE RECEIVE THE LORD'S SUPPER

All who are baptized and trust that Christ is truly present in, with, and under the bread and wine may come forward by groups or individuals to commune. The usher will direct you.

- If you require gluten-free wafers or abstain from wine, indicate so to the pastor.
 - To receive the Sacrament in your seat, notify the usher and it will be brought to you.
 - If you abstain from the Sacrament altogether, you have full forgiveness of sins by Word alone.
- After the elements are covered, please stand as you are able.

POST-COMMUNION BLESSING & HYMN (LBW p. 72)

The body and blood of our Lord Jesus Christ strengthen you and keep you in his grace. **Amen.**

“What Wondrous Love is This” (LBW #385, verses 1 & 3 ONLY)

The musical score is presented in four systems, each with a treble and bass staff. Chord symbols are placed above the treble staff. The lyrics are written below the notes.

System 1: Chords: G, Dm, C, Am, C, Dm, F, Em, Dm. Lyrics: 1 What won-drous love is this, O my soul, O my soul! What; 2 When I was sink-ing down, sink-ing down, sink-ing down, When; 3 To God and to the Lamb I will sing, I will sing; To; 4 And when from death I'm free, I'll sing on, I'll sing on; And

System 2: Chords: Am, Am7, F, Em, Dm, Dm7, G, Am, Am7, Dm, G. Lyrics: won-drous love is this, O my soul! What won-drous love is this That; I was sink-ing down, sink-ing down, When I was sink-ing down Be -; God and to the Lamb I will sing; To God and to the Lamb, Who; when from death I'm free, I'll sing on; And when from death I'm free, I'll

System 3: Chords: Am, Bbmaj7, C, Dm, G, Dm, C, F, Em. Lyrics: caused the Lord of bliss To bear the dread-ful curse for my; neath God's righ-teous frown, Christ laid a - side his crown for my; is the great I Am, While mil-lions join the theme, I will; sing his love for me, And through e - ter - ni - ty I'll sing

System 4: Chords: Dm, G, Em, Dm, Am, Am7, F, Em, Dm. Lyrics: soul, for my soul, To bear the dread-ful curse for my soul?; soul, for my soul, Christ laid a - side his crown for my soul.; sing, I will sing, While mil-lions join the theme, I will sing.; on, I'll sing on; And through e - ter - ni - ty I'll sing on.

Text: American folk hymn, alt.
Tune: W. Walker, Southern Harmony, 1835

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“Jesus, Remember Me” (WOV #740, Sing 3 times)

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.

Text: Luke 23:42
Music: Jacques Berthier, 1923-1994
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DISMISSAL

Go in peace. Remember the poor. **Thanks be to God!**

POSTLUDE

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WELCOME! We are delighted to have you join us for worship today! Love God. Love neighbor.



Serve with joy in Jesus' name.
worship + fellowship + discipleship

Who We Are -

As a congregation of the North American Lutheran Church we hold four core values, to be:
Christ Centered, Mission Driven, Traditionally Grounded, & Congregationally Focused.



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