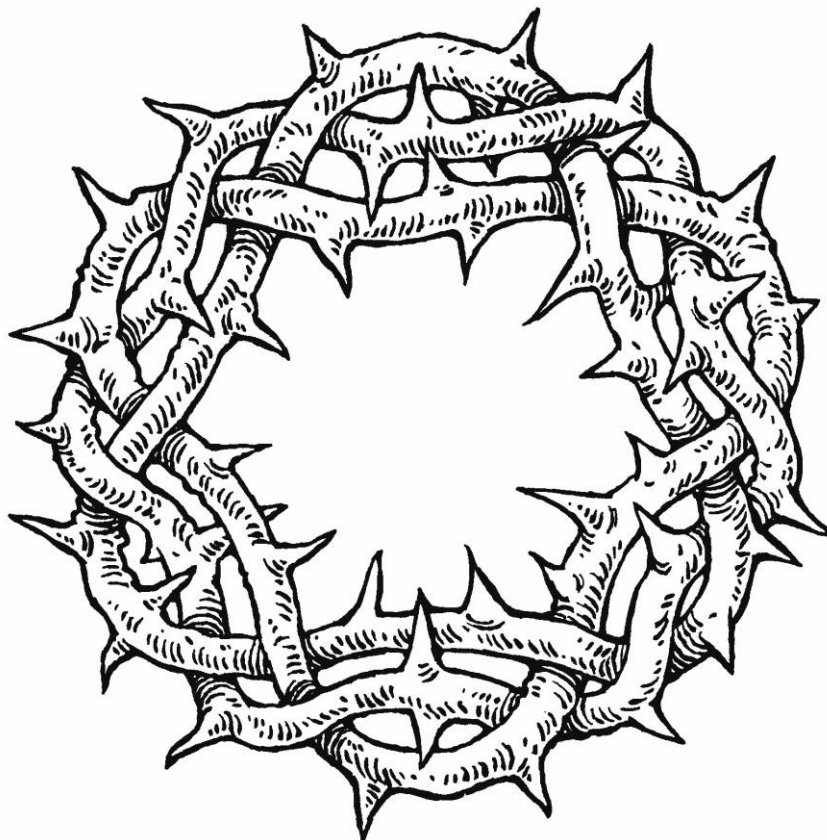


St. Peter Evangelical Lutheran Church
Lent Midweek 3
Pastor Erik Sorenson



March 11, 2026

Families and Children:

We are glad you are here to receive the Lord's gifts together. Your presence is a gift from God and a reminder of Christ's words: "Let the little children come to me and do not hinder them, for to such belongs the kingdom of heaven." (Matthew 19:14)

Vespers

439 O Dearest Jesus, What Law Hast Thou Broken

Hymn of Invocation; sts. 1-5

Lent Versicles

LSB 229

Psalmody

Psalm 109:1-5, 21-22, 30-31

antiphon: vs. 26

P Help me, O LORD my God!

Save me according to your steadfast love!

C Be not silent, O God of my praise! For wicked and deceitful mouths are opened against me, speaking against me with lying tongues.

P They encircle me with words of hate, and attack me without cause.

C In return for my love they accuse me, but I give myself to prayer.

P So they reward me evil for good, and hatred for my love.

C But you, O GOD my Lord, deal on my behalf for your name's sake; because your steadfast love is good, deliver me!

P For I am poor and needy, and my heart is stricken within me.

C With my mouth I will give great thanks to the LORD; I will praise him in the midst of the throng.

P For he stands at the right hand of the needy, to save him from those who condemn his soul to death.

C Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit; as it was in the beginning, is now, and will be forever. Amen.

P Help me, O LORD my God! Save me according to your steadfast love!

Readings

First Reading

Isaiah 50:4-9 (p. 611, p. 777 LP)

Second Reading

Romans 8:31-39 (p. 944, p. 1201 LP)

Third Reading

John 12:1–11, 22–26 (p. 898, p. 1143 LP)

Responsory (Lent)

LSB 231

439 O Dearest Jesus, What Law Hast Thou Broken

Hymn of the Day; sts. 6-10

Sermon

The Servant of the Lord

Canticle

Antiphon

LSB 231

Magnificat

LSB 231

Offering

Prayer

Kyrie

LSB 233

Lord's Prayer

LSB 233

Collects

LSB 233

Collect of the Day

P O God, whose glory it is always to have mercy, be gracious to all who have gone astray from Your ways and bring them again with penitent hearts and steadfast faith to embrace and hold fast the unchangeable truth of Your Word; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.



Collect

P Almighty and everlasting God, You willed that Your Son should bear for us the pains of the cross and so remove from us the power of the adversary. Help us so to remember and give thanks for our Lord's passion that we may receive forgiveness of sin and redemption from everlasting death; through Jesus Christ, our Lord.



Collect for Peace

LSB 233

Benedicamus

LSB 234

Benediction

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Closing Hymn; sts. 11-15

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Lent Schedule

March 15 – 4th Sunday in Lent (9 AM)

March 18 – 4th Midweek Supper (6 PM) & Service (7 PM)

March 22 – 5th Sunday in Lent (9 AM)

March 25 – 5th Midweek Supper (6 PM) & Service (7 PM)

Holy Week Schedule

March 29 – Palm Sunday (9 AM)

April 2 – Holy (Maundy) Thursday (7 PM)

April 3 – Good Friday (7 PM)

April 4 – Easter Egg Hunt (10 AM)

Easter Vigil (8 PM)

April 5 – Easter Sunrise (6:30 AM)

Easter Breakfast (7:15-8:45 AM)

Easter Divine Service (9 AM)