

St. John's Evangelical Lutheran Church, Corcoran, MA

Lenten Midweek—2018

Theme: "One Faith from Generation to Generation"

"Therefore, I beg you all for God's sake, my dear sirs and brethren, who are pastors or preachers, to devote yourselves heartily to your office. Have pity on the people who are entrusted to you and help us to teach the catechism to the people, and especially to the young... [Y]ou should especially urge magistrates and parents to rule well and to send their children to school... Make it very plain to them what an awful harm they are doing if they will not help to train children to be pastors, preachers, clerks, and to fill other offices that we cannot do without in this life." (Martin Luther, Preface to The Small Catechism)



The Office of Matins (1:00pm)
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The Office of Vespers (7:00pm)
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Office Hymn:

Table with 3 columns: Date, LSB number, and Hymn title. Includes entries for February 21, 28, March 7, 14, and 21.

The Readings

Table with 3 columns: Date, Old Testament reading, and New Testament reading. Includes entries for February 21, 28, March 7, 14, and 21.

Meditation

Table with 2 columns: Date and Meditation text. Includes entries for February 21, 28, March 7, 14, and 21.

The Canticle

(Benedictus at Matins, Magnificat at Vespers)

The Offerings are Received

The Prayers

(page 227 of Matins; page 233 of Vespers)

Benedicamus & Benediction

Closing Hymn:

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LENTEN SERVICES:

Wednesdays (February 21 - March 21): 1:00 & 7:00 pm Lenten Services

HOLY WEEK SERVICES:

Table with 2 columns: Service name and time. Includes Monday - Wednesday, Maundy Thursday, Good Friday, Holy Saturday, and Easter Sunday services.

The Lent Midweek devotionals will be preceded by fellowship meals:

Lenten Lunch ~ \$5 meal served promptly at noon; menus will be posted in the Sunday bulletin (reservation required by 9am each Wednesday 763-420-2426).

Lenten Supper ~ from 5:15-6:45 pm. "Pick any 2": soup, salad, sandwich for \$5, or all "3" for \$8. Available choices will include 2 soups and 2 sandwiches each week. Beverage and dessert included.