

MISSION STATEMENT

Zion is a Christian family called to provide fellowship and joy through our service with and to the community.

Welcome to historic
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First
SUNDAY
IN
LENT

**Please silence all cell phones and other personal devices during
worship**

The First Sunday in the Season of Lent
Daily Morning Prayer Rite 1
March 6, 2022

All hymns can be sung by congregation and please stand.

😊MASKS PLEASE😊

Prelude: Voluntary in E Minor.

John Stanley (1713-1786).

Processional Hymn: **142** Lord, who through-out these forty days

Officiant: Let us humbly confess our sins unto Almighty God

All say together:

Almighty and most merciful Father, we have erred and strayed from thy ways like lost sheep, we have followed too much the devices and desires of our own hearts, we have offended against thy holy laws, we have left undone those things which we ought to have done, and we have done those things which we ought not to have done. But thou, O Lord, have mercy upon us, spare thou those who confess their faults, restore thou those who are penitent, according to thy promises declared unto mankind in Christ Jesus our Lord; and grant, O most merciful Father, for his sake, that we may hereafter live a godly, righteous, and sober life, to the glory of thy holy Name. Amen.

Officiant: The Almighty and merciful Lord grant us absolution and remission of all our sins, true repentance, amendment of life, and grace and consolation of his Holy Spirit. **Amen.**

Invitatory and Psalter (Page 42, BCP)

Officiant: O Lord, open thou our lips.

People **And our mouth shall show forth thy praise.**

All say together:

Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit: As it was in the beginning, is now, and will be for ever. Amen.

Officiant: The Lord is full of compassion and mercy: O come, let us adore him.

The Venite. (Page 44) *all join in saying*

**O come, let us sing unto the Lord;
let us heartily rejoice in the strength of our salvation.**

**Let us come before his presence with thanksgiving
and show ourselves glad in him with psalms.**

**For the Lord is a great God, and a great King above all gods. In his hand
are all the corners of the earth, and the strength of the hills is his also.
The sea is his, and he made it, and his hands prepared the dry land.**

**O come, let us worship and fall down, and kneel before the Lord our
Maker. For he is the Lord our God, and we are the people of his pasture
and the sheep of his hand.**

**O worship the Lord in the beauty of holiness; let the whole earth stand in
awe of him. For he cometh, for he cometh to judge the earth, and with
righteousness to judge the world and the peoples with his truth.**

The people sit.

Psalm 63: 1-11 *all join in saying*

1 O God, you are my God; eagerly I seek you; *
my soul thirsts for you, my flesh faints for you,
as in a barren and dry land where there is no water.

2 Therefore I have gazed upon you in your holy place, *
that I might behold your power and your glory.

3 For your loving-kindness is better than life itself; *
my lips shall give you praise.

4 So will I bless you as long as I live *
and lift up my hands in your Name.

5 My soul is content, as with marrow and fatness, *
and my mouth praises you with joyful lips,

6 When I remember you upon my bed, *
and meditate on you in the night watches.

7 For you have been my helper, *
and under the shadow of your wings I will rejoice.

8 My soul clings to you; *
your right hand holds me fast.

9 May those who seek my life to destroy it *
go down into the depths of the earth;

10 Let them fall upon the edge of the sword, *
and let them be food for jackals.

11 But the king will rejoice in God;
all those who swear by him will be glad; *
for the mouth of those who speak lies shall be stopped.

THE LESSONS

First Lesson: Daniel 9: 3 – 10

The First lesson is a reading from the Book of Daniel

Then I turned to the Lord God, to seek an answer by prayer and supplication with fasting and sackcloth and ashes. I prayed to the Lord my God and made confession, saying, ‘Ah, Lord, great and awesome God, keeping covenant and steadfast love with those who love you and keep your commandments, we have sinned and done wrong, acted wickedly and rebelled, turning aside from your commandments and ordinances. We have not listened to your servants the prophets, who spoke in your name to our kings, our princes, and our ancestors, and to all the people of the land. ‘Righteousness is on your side, O Lord, but open shame, as at this day, falls on us, the people of Judah, the inhabitants of Jerusalem, and all Israel, those who are near and those who are far away, in all the lands to which you have driven them, because of the treachery that they have committed against you. Open shame, O Lord, falls on us, our kings, our officials, and our ancestors, because we have sinned against you. To the Lord our God belong mercy and forgiveness, for we have rebelled against him, and have not

obeyed the voice of the Lord our God by following his laws, which he set before us by his servants the prophets.

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

The Song of Zechariah, Canticle 16 (*page 92*)
Said aloud in unison

**Blessed be the Lord, the God of Israel; *
he has come to his people and set them free.**

**He has raised up for us a mighty savior, *
born of the house of his servant David.**

**Through his holy prophets he promised of old,
that he would save us from our enemies, *
from the hands of all who hate us.**

**He promised to show mercy to our fathers *
and to remember his holy covenant.**

**This was the oath he swore to our father Abraham, *
to set us free from the hands of our enemies,**

**Free to worship him without fear, *
holy and righteous in his sight all the days of our life.**

**You, my child, shall be called the prophet of the Most High, *
for you will go before the Lord to prepare his way,**

**To give his people knowledge of salvation *
by the forgiveness of their sins.**

**In the tender compassion of our God *
the dawn from on high shall break upon us,**

To shine on those who dwell in darkness and the shadow of death, *

and to guide our feet into the way of peace.

**Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit: *
as it was in the beginning, is now, and will be for ever. Amen.**

Second Lesson - Hebrews 2: 10 – 18

The Second Lesson is a Reading from the Letter to the Hebrews

It was fitting that God, for whom and through whom all things exist, in bringing many children to glory, should make the pioneer of their salvation perfect through sufferings. For the one who sanctifies and those who are sanctified all have one Father. For this reason, Jesus is not ashamed to call them brothers and sisters, saying, ‘I will proclaim your name to my brothers and sisters,* in the midst of the congregation I will praise you.’

And again, ‘I will put my trust in him.’ And again, ‘Here am I and the children whom God has given me.’ Since, therefore, the children share flesh and blood, he himself likewise shared the same things, so that through death he might destroy the one who has the power of death, that is, the devil, and free those who all their lives were held in slavery by the fear of death. For it is clear that he did not come to help angels, but the descendants of Abraham. Therefore, he had to become like his brothers and sisters in every respect, so that he might be a merciful and faithful high priest in the service of God, to make a sacrifice of atonement for the sins of the people. Because he himself was tested by what he suffered, he is able to help those who are being tested.

Officiant: The Word of the Lord.

People: **Thanks be to God**

The Apostles’ Creed....all join in saying.....BCP 53

I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth. I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord. He was conceived by the power of the Holy Spirit and born of the Virgin Mary. He suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried. He descended to the dead. On the third day he rose again. He ascended into heaven, and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again to judge the living and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy

catholic Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

THE PRAYERS

Officiant : The Lord be with you.

People: **And also with you.**

Officiant : Let us pray.

The Lord's Prayer

(Kneel or stand)

Officiant and People together:

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, for ever and ever. Amen

The Peace

Celebrant: The peace of the Lord be always with you.

People: **And also with you.**

Announcements

Suffrage A (Page 97, prayed responsively)

V. O Lord, show thy mercy upon us;

R. And grant us thy salvation.

V. Endue thy ministers with righteousness;

R. And make thy chosen people joyful.

V. Give peace, O Lord, in all the world;

R. For only in thee can we live in safety.

V. Lord, keep this nation under thy care;
R. And guide us in the way of justice and truth.
V. Let thy way be known upon earth;
R. Thy saving health among all nations.
V. Let not the needy, O Lord, be forgotten;
R. Nor the hope of the poor be taken away.
V. Create in us clean hearts, O God;
R. And sustain us with your Holy Spirit.

Officiant :

O God, who makest us glad with the weekly remembrance of the glorious resurrection of thy Son our Lord: Grant us this day such blessing through our worship of thee, that the days to come may be spent in thy favor; through the same Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

Lord Jesus Christ, who didst stretch out thine arms of love on the hard wood of the cross that everyone might come within the reach of thy saving embrace: So clothe us in thy Spirit that we, reaching forth our hands in love, may bring those who do not know thee to the knowledge and love of thee; for the honor of thy Name. **Amen.**

Offertory Hymn: **150** Forty days and forty Nights

Officiant and People together, all standing.

All things come of thee, O Lord; and of thine own, have we given thee. Amen.

The Prayers of the People - Morning Prayer Rite 1

The Deacon or other person appointed says

Let us pray for the whole state of Christ's Church and the world.

Almighty and everliving God, who in thy holy Word hast taught us to make prayers, and supplications, and to give thanks for all men: Receive these our prayers which we offer unto thy divine Majesty, beseeching thee to inspire continually the Universal Church with the spirit of truth, unity, and concord; and grant that all those who do confess thy holy Name may agree in the truth of thy holy Word, and live in unity and godly love.

Give grace, O heavenly Father, to all bishops and other ministers, especially: Justin, Archbishop of Canterbury; Michael, our Presiding Bishop; DeDe, our Diocesan bishop; that they may, both by their life and doctrine, set forth thy true and lively Word, and rightly and duly administer thy holy Sacraments.

And to all thy people give thy heavenly grace, and especially: to this congregation here present; in our own diocese, to the people of Emmanuel Episcopal Church in Elmira and their priest, the Rev. Bob Adkins, and the people of Grace Episcopal Church in Elmira and their priest, the Rev. Jenny Scott-Jones; in our companion diocese of El Salvador, to the people of Misión San Romero de América, their priest, the Rev. Juan Pablo Alvarado, and their seminarian Mario Luna; in the Anglican Communion, to the people of the Anglican Church of Korea and their prime bishop, the Most Rev. Peter Kyongho Lee; and in the Episcopal Church, to the people of the Diocese of South Dakota and their bishop, the Rt. Rev. Dr. Jonathan H. Folts, that, with meek heart and due reverence, they may hear and receive thy holy Word, truly serving thee in holiness and righteousness all the days of their life.

We beseech thee also so to rule the hearts of those who bear the authority of government in this and every land that they may be led to wise decisions and right actions for the welfare and peace of the world.

Open, O Lord, the eyes of all people to behold thy gracious hand in all thy works, that, rejoicing in thy whole creation, they may honor thee with their substance, and be faithful stewards of thy bounty.

And we most humbly beseech thee, of thy goodness, O Lord, to comfort and succor **[NAMES on our PRAYER LIST]**

Aileen & Wheeler	Chris	David Dutcher
Pat & Peg Corbett	Kurt, Ronna, & Ron	Anne Staple
Brett McDonell	Cindy DeProspero-Outwater	Berit & Finn
Ann Gambier	Richard DeProspero	Outwater Family
Shirley Reali	David Wiggins	John & Linda Hunter
Charles O'Neill	Grace Pirillo	Georgia Northup
Barbara	Blaze	Lee Northup
Charlotte Rice	Shelly Land	David Land
Chrissy O'Connor	Julie Pangborne	Dave Pangborne
Fusco Family	Carmine Franco	Marion Sweet

Reali Family
Jim Hoffman

McNaughton Family

Renzi Family

and all those who in this transitory life, are in trouble, sorrow, need, sickness, or any other adversity.

Additional petitions and thanksgivings may be included here.

And we also bless thy holy Name for all thy servants departed this life in thy faith and fear **[especially],**

beseeching thee to grant them continual growth in thy love and service; and to grant us grace so to follow the good examples of all thy saints, that with them we may be partakers of thy heavenly kingdom.

Grant these our prayers, O Father, for Jesus Christ's sake, our only Mediator and Advocate. *Amen.*

THE GENERAL THANKSGIVING (all saying together)

Almighty God, Father of all mercies, we thine unworthy servants do give thee most humble and hearty thanks for all thy goodness and loving-kindness to us and to all men. We bless thee for our creation, preservation, and all the blessings of this life; but above all for thine inestimable love in the redemption of the world by our Lord Jesus Christ; for the means of grace, and for the hope of glory.

And, we beseech thee, give us that due sense of all thy mercies, that our hearts may be unfeignedly thankful; and that we show forth thy praise, not only with our lips, but in our lives, by giving up our selves to thy service, and by walking before thee in holiness and righteousness all our days; through Jesus Christ our Lord, to whom, with thee and the Holy Ghost, be all honor and glory, world without end. Amen.

Recessional Hymn: **529** In Christ there is no East or West

Officiant:

Almighty God, who hast given us grace at this time with one accord to make our common supplication unto thee; and hast promised through thy well-beloved

Son that when two or three are gathered together in his Name thou wilt be in the midst of them: Fulfill now, O Lord, the desires and petitions of thy servants as may be best for us; granting us in this world knowledge of thy truth, and in the world to come life everlasting. **Amen.**

Officiant: Let us bless the Lord.

People: **Thanks be to God.**

Officiant:

The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, and the love of God, and the fellowship of the Holy Ghost, be with us all evermore. **Amen.**

Postlude: - In Christ There Is No East or West *arr. David P. Dahl (b. 1937).*

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Reverend Dr. James K. Heidt, Rector & Priest
Erick Kroll, Organist and Music Director
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The Parish Office is open Monday through Friday, 9:00 a.m. – 12:00 Noon
ZION ANNOUNCEMENTS

MEETING ANNOUNCEMENTS:

AA: AA Room

M-F: 9-10am; 12-1pm

Sat. 10 AM Big Book

District - 1st Sat. of the month: 6pm

NA: NA Room

Mon. 7pm

Fri. 7pm

Sat. 11:30am

For all those who celebrate Birthdays & Anniversaries: especially; Grace Millington, LeeAnn & Wayne Towne II

200th Celebration Meeting-This is just a friendly reminder that the 200th Celebration meeting will be this Wednesday, March 9th in Clarke Hall at 5:30 PM. All are encouraged to attend; great ideas and plans are beginning to form and Zion would love your input.

Community Dinners-The community dinners has been such a success that we now have dates and dinners for the remainder of the year; and they are as follows:

- March 26-Creamy Chicken Garlic Penne
- April 23-Ham and Scalloped Potatoes
- May 28-Grilled Hamburgers w/assorted sides
- June 25-Grilled hot dogs w/assorted sides
- July 23-Fish Tacos
- August 27-Stuffed Peppers
- September 24-Corn & Potato Chowder
- October 22-Chicken Enchiladas
- November 19-Spaghetti and Meat Sauce
- December 19-Baked Mac & Cheese

THIS SUNDAY: The First Sunday in Lent:
March 6, 2022 -9AM – *Morning Prayer in Sanctuary & on Zoom*

Leader:	Wayne Osborne
Lay Readers	Wayne Osborne Jennifer Swinney
Altar Guild	Harriet Brennan/Grace Millington
Church Opener	Annette Clark-Hani, Month of March

MARCH 12TH DON'T FORGET TO:



NEXT SUNDAY: The Second Sunday in Lent
March 13, 2022 -9AM – *Holy Eucharist in Sanctuary & on Zoom*

Priest:	Fr. Jim Heidt
Chalice/Acolyte	Jane Padrón
Lay Readers	Jennifer Swinney
Altar Guild	Harriet Brennan/Grace Millington
Church Opener	Annette Clark-Hani-Month of March