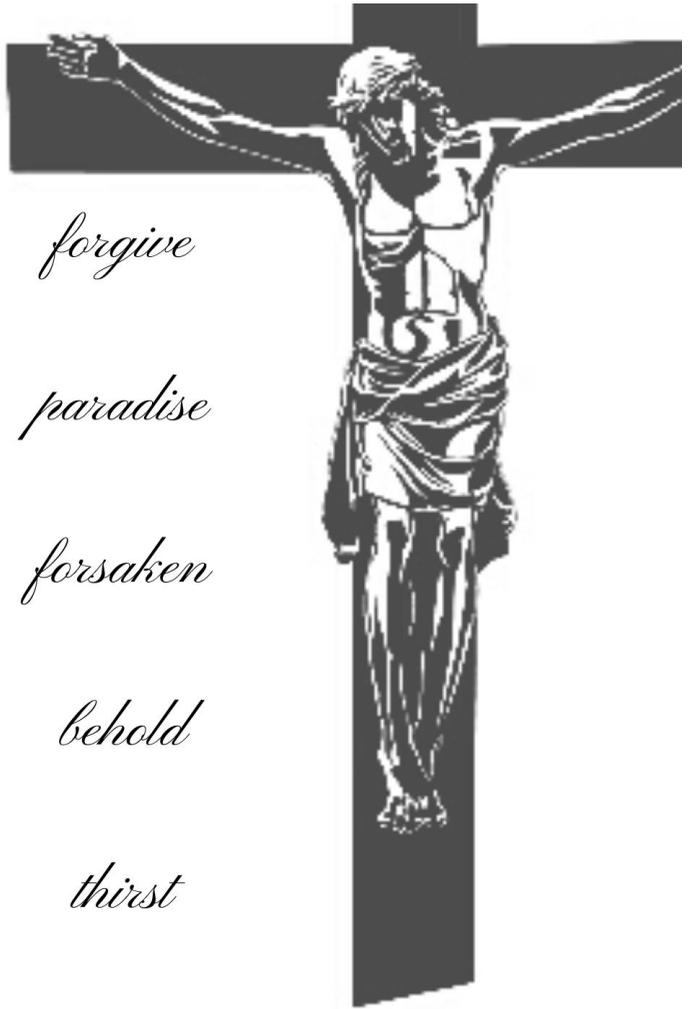


PILGRIM LUTHERAN CHURCH

LENTEN MIDWEEK 2020

SEVEN LAST WORDS FROM THE CROSS



forgive

paradise

forsaken

behold

thirst

commit

finished

IT IS FINISHED

PILGRIM EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH

Wednesday March 25, 2020 Online Service

ORDER OF WORSHIP

INVOCATION

- P** In the name of the Father and of the ✠ Son and of the Holy Spirit.
C Amen.

PRAYER

- L** O Holy Spirit, who once hovered above the waters, and came down from above to give us new life in the waters of baptism, refresh our hearts, minds, and souls today that, hearing Jesus' cry of thirst on the cross, we may remember his passion, and with him rise to newness of life, as together with the Father and the Son you are worshiped and glorified in our presence.
C Amen.

CONFESSION OF SINS

LSB 151

- P** Let us then confess our sins to God our Father.
C **Most merciful God, we confess that we are by nature sinful and unclean. We have sinned against You in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done and by what we have left undone. We have not loved You with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. We justly deserve Your present and eternal punishment. For the sake of Your Son, Jesus Christ, have mercy on us. Forgive us, renew us, and lead us, so that we may delight in Your will and walk in Your ways to the glory of Your holy name. Amen.**

OLD TESTAMENT

Psalm 69:19–21

- ¹⁹You know my reproach,
and my shame and my dis- | honor;*
my foes are all | known to you.
²⁰Reproaches have broken my heart,
so that I am | in despair.*
I looked for pity, but there was none,
and for comforters, but I | found none.
²¹They gave me poi- | son for food,*
and for my thirst they gave me sour | wine to drink.

EPISTLE

Revelation 7:9–17

⁹After this I looked, and behold, a great multitude that no one could number, from every nation, from all tribes and peoples and languages, standing before the throne and before the Lamb, clothed in white robes, with palm branches in their hands, ¹⁰and crying out with a loud voice, “Salvation belongs to our God who sits on the throne, and to the Lamb!” ¹¹And all the angels were standing around the throne and around the elders and the four living creatures, and they fell on their faces before the throne and worshiped God, ¹²saying, “Amen! Blessing and glory and wisdom and thanksgiving and honor and power and might be to our God forever and ever! Amen.”

¹³Then one of the elders addressed me, saying, “Who are these, clothed in white robes, and from where have they come?” ¹⁴I said to him, “Sir, you know.” And he said to me, “These are the ones coming out of the great tribulation. They have washed their robes and made them white in the blood of the Lamb.

¹⁵“Therefore they are before the throne of God,
and serve him day and night in his temple;
and he who sits on the throne will shelter them with his presence.

¹⁶They shall hunger no more, neither thirst anymore;
the sun shall not strike them,
nor any scorching heat.

¹⁷For the Lamb in the midst of the throne will be their shepherd,
and he will guide them to springs of living water,
and God will wipe away every tear from their eyes.”



GOSPEL

John 19:28–29

²⁸After this, Jesus, knowing that all was now finished, said (to fulfill the Scripture), “I thirst.” ²⁹A jar full of sour wine stood there, so they put a sponge full of the sour wine on a hyssop branch and held it to his mouth.

655 LORD, KEEP US STEADFAST IN YOUR WORD



1 Lord, keep us stead - fast in Your Word; Curb those who
2 Lord Je - sus Christ, Your pow'r make known, For You are
3 O Com - fort - er of price - less worth, Send peace and



by de - ceit or sword Would wrest the king - dom from Your
Lord of lords a - lone; De - fend Your ho - ly Church that
u - ni - ty on earth; Sup - port us in our fi - nal



Son And bring to naught all He has done.
we May sing Your praise e - ter - nal - ly.
strife And lead us out of death to life.

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SERMON

The Fifth Word from the Cross “I Thirst” by Pastor Michael Hanson

APOSTLES’ CREED

C I believe in God, the Father Almighty,
maker of heaven and earth.

And in Jesus Christ, His only Son, our Lord,
who was conceived by the Holy Spirit,
born of the virgin Mary,
suffered under Pontius Pilate,
was crucified, died and was buried.
He descended into hell.
The third day He rose again from the dead.
He ascended into heaven
and sits at the right hand of God the Father Almighty.

From thence He will come to judge the living and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit,
the holy Christian Church,
the communion of saints,
the forgiveness of sins,
the resurrection of the body,
and the life † everlasting. Amen.

PRAYERS OF THE CHURCH

LORD'S PRAYER

LSB 241

L Taught by our Lord and trusting His promises, we are bold to pray:

C 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.

BENEDICTION

P The Lord bless you and keep you.
The Lord make His face shine on you and be gracious to you.
The Lord look upon you with favor and † give you peace.

C Amen.

P Go in peace. Serve the Lord.

C Thanks be to God!

430 MY SONG IS LOVE UNKNOWN

sts. 1, 6-7



1 My song is love un - known, My Sav - ior's love to
 6 In life no house, no home My Lord on earth might
 7 Here might I stay and sing, No sto - ry so di -



me, Love to the love - less shown That they might love - ly
 have; In death no friend - ly tomb But what a strang - er
 vine! Nev - er was love, dear King, Nev - er was grief like



be. Oh, who am I That for my sake
 gave. What may I say? Heav'n was His home
 Thine. This is my friend, In whose sweet praise



My Lord should take Frail flesh and die?
 But mine the tomb Where - in He lay.
 I all my days Could glad - ly spend!

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