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THE THIRD SUNDAY IN LENT

welcome!

Good morning and welcome to Good Shepherd Anglican. We are delighted you have joined us today!

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CHILDREN

Childcare is available for children aged 2 and under in the Nursery, located in the classroom on the right upon entering the lobby.

Children aged 3 through 5th grade will be dismissed to Children's Chapel at the beginning of worship service and will return prior to communion.

PASTORAL CARE & PRAYER

The church is open during the week on Tuesday and Friday from 10am to 2pm. All are welcome to come in if you desire a quiet place for prayer and meditation or to meet with one of our clergy for counsel. If these times are not convenient for your schedule, you may also make an appointment to meet with one of our clergy by calling the church office or contacting them directly via the Good Shepherd website.

Prayer cards are available in the Sanctuary or the Prayer Room and on our website. You may place your prayer card in the offering basket or in the secure box located in the Prayer Room. All prayer requests will be attended to confidentially by our intercessory prayer team. It is our privilege to support you with prayer and we encourage you to connect with us in this way especially.

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Office Hours Tuesday and Friday 10 am – 2 pm

Thursday at 1 pm there will be intercessory prayer in the Sanctuary. Anyone is welcome to join.

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PRELUDE

“Amazing Grace”

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<p>VERSE 1 Amazing grace how sweet the sound That saved a wretch like me I once was lost but now am found Was blind but now I see</p>	<p>VERSE 2 'Twas grace that taught my heart to fear And grace my fears relieved How precious did that grace appear The hour I first believed</p>
<p>VERSE 3 The Lord has promised good to me His Word my hope secures He will my shield and portion be As long as life endures</p>	<p>VERSE 4 Through many dangers toils and snares I have already come 'Tis grace hath brought me safe thus far And grace will lead me home</p>
<p>VERSE 5 When we've been there ten thousand years Bright shining as the sun We've no less days to sing God's praise Than when we first begun</p>	

WELCOME

OPENING ACCLAMATION

Celebrant: This is the day that the Lord has made,

People: Let us rejoice and be glad in it!

Celebrant: O magnify the Lord with me,

People: And let us exalt His name together.

Celebrant: Bless the Lord who forgives all our sins.

People: His mercy endures forever.

Celebrant: Let us pray:

Almighty God, You bring to light things hidden in darkness, and know the shadow of our hearts: cleanse and renew us by Your Spirit, that we may walk in the light and glorify Your name, through Jesus Christ, the Light of the world. Amen.

PRAYER OVER CHILDREN AND DISMISSAL (3 YEAR-OLDS THROUGH 5TH GRADE)

OPENING SONG OF PRAISE

“See How He Loves Us”

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<p>VERSE 1 King of heav'n robed in light Sovereign of all angels adore Him Came and set His crown aside Emptied Himself leaving His glory See how He loves us</p>	<p>VERSE 2 Son of Man robed in flesh Bearing our grief knowing our weakness Yet despised in our eyes Pitied and poor living among us See how He loves us</p>
<p>CHORUS Jesus only Jesus Humble and holy Lord we adore You Jesus only Jesus Oh how marvelous Oh how wonderful Your love</p>	<p>VERSE 3 Lamb of God crucified Suffered alone dying He saved us Laid within a sinner's grave Ever He lives risen to raise us See how He loves us</p>

“All I Have Is Christ”

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<p>VERSE 1 I once was lost in darkest night Yet thought I knew the way The sin that promised joy and life Had led me to the grave I had no hope that You would own A rebel to Your will And if You had not loved me first I would refuse You still</p>	<p>VERSE 2 But as I ran my hell-bound race Indifferent to the cost You looked upon my helpless state And led me to the cross And I beheld God's love displayed You suffered in my place You bore the wrath reserved for me Now all I know is grace</p>
<p>CHORUS Hallelujah all I have is Christ Hallelujah Jesus is my life</p>	<p>VERSE 3 Now Lord I would be Yours alone And live so all might see The strength to follow Your commands Could never come from me O Father use my ransomed life In any way You choose And let my song forever be My only boast is You</p>

Please be seated.

PSALM

Reader: *A reading from Psalm 130.*

Reader: Out of the depths I cry to you, O LORD! O Lord, hear my voice!
Let your ears be attentive to the voice of my pleas for mercy!

**People: If you, O LORD, should mark iniquities, O Lord, who could stand?
But with you there is forgiveness, that you may be feared.**

Reader: I wait for the LORD, my soul waits, and in his word I hope; my soul waits for the Lord
more than watchmen for the morning,
more than watchmen for the morning.

**People: O Israel, hope in the LORD!
For with the LORD there is steadfast love, and with him is plentiful redemption.**

Reader: And he will redeem Israel from all his iniquities.

Reader: The Word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.

THE SECOND LESSON

Reader: *A reading from Acts 7:54-60.*

Reader: The Word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.

THE GOSPEL PROCESSION

Please stand and sing.

“There Is A Fountain”

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<p>VERSE 1 There is a fountain filled with blood Drawn from Immanuel's veins And sinners plunged beneath that flood Lose all their guilty stains Lose all their guilty stains Lose all their guilty stains And sinners plunged beneath that flood Lose all their guilty stains</p>	<p>VERSE 2 The dying thief rejoiced to see That fountain in his day And there may I though vile as he Wash all my sins away Wash all my sins away Wash all my sins away And there may I though vile as he Wash all my sins away</p>
<p>VERSE 3 Dear dying Lamb Thy precious blood Shall never lose its pow'r Till all the ransomed Church of God Be saved to sin no more Be saved to sin no more Be saved to sin no more Till all the ransomed Church of God Be saved to sin no more</p>	<p>VERSE 4 E'er since by faith I saw the stream Thy flowing wounds supply Redeeming love has been my theme And shall be till I die And shall be till I die And shall be till I die And shall be till I die Redeeming love has been my theme And shall be till I die</p>

THE GOSPEL READING

The Gospel reading today is from Matthew 18:23-35.

Deacon: The Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Matthew.

People: Glory to you, Lord Christ.

Deacon **(together): And Lord we pray that Your Word would always be on our minds, upon our lips, and deep within our hearts.**

THE HOLY GOSPEL

Deacon: The Holy Gospel of the Lord.

People: Praise to you, Lord Christ.

Please be seated.

SERMON

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

Leader: Let us begin our prayers in silence before the Lord, reflecting on what we've heard.

Silence.

Leader: I invite you to add your prayers silently or aloud after each petition. Let us pray to the Lord for all those suffering from war; injustice, and oppression; for the weak, vulnerable, and scared; and for all living in darkness, enslaved by the lusts of this world and by the evil powers of the devil.

(Let us pause in Prayer)

Leader: Lord, in Your mercy.

People: Lord, hear our prayers.

Leader: Let us pray to the Lord for the leaders of nations; for those in authority, and for all in public service; we remember in particular the leaders of our community, state, and nation; and we pray for those who risk their lives for our peace and safe-keeping: Our military, police, fire-workers; medical and first response teams.

(Let us pause in Prayer)

Leader: Lord, in Your mercy.

People: Lord, hear our prayers.

Leader: Let us pray to the Lord for the church; for all who call on Your name; for pastors, leaders, missionaries, and their families; for those persecuted for their faith in Jesus; for those who have drifted away and fallen prey to apathy and compromise; and let us pray for our church family at Good Shepherd; for our bishops, vestry, staff, and leaders. Let us pray for the Lord's protection and blessing to remain upon us all.

(Let us pause in Prayer)

Leader: Lord, in Your mercy.

People: Lord, hear our prayers.

Leader: Let us pray to the Lord for the burdens each of us carry on our hearts. We pray for those we love; for those who are battling sickness; for those hurting, suffering, and wounded in soul; and for those who are lost and don't know You as their Lord and Savior.

(Let us pause in Prayer)

Leader: Lord, in Your mercy.

People: Lord, hear our prayers.

THE CONFESSION OF SIN

Celebrant: Let us now come before the Lord and make confession of our sins, lifting our hearts to Him in humility and repentance.

Almighty God, our heavenly Father, we have sinned against You and against our neighbors, in thought and word and deed, through negligence, through weakness, through our own deliberate fault. We have not sufficiently walked according to the mind of Christ. We have

named the name of Christ, but have not departed from iniquity. We are truly sorry, and repent of all our sins. For the sake of Your Son Jesus Christ, who died for us, forgive us all that is past, and grant that we may serve You in newness of life, to the glory of Your name. Amen..

ABSOLUTION

Celebrant: Almighty God, whose steadfast love is as great as the heavens are high above the earth, remove our sins from us, as far as the east is from the west, strengthen our life in His kingdom, and keep us upright to the last day; through Jesus Christ, our merciful High Priest. Amen.

Please stand.

THE APOSTLES' CREED

**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 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 COMFORTABLE WORDS

Celebrant: ““Be kind to one another, tenderhearted, forgiving one another, as God in Christ forgave you.” (*Ephesians 4:32*)

THE PEACE

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

People: And also with you.

Please be seated.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Please stand.

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING *(modified from the Anglican Church of Nigeria)*

Together: Yours, Lord, is the greatness, the power, the glory, the splendour, and the majesty; for everything in heaven and on earth is Yours. All things come from You, and of Your own do we give You.

Celebrant: The Lord be with you.

People: And also with you.

Celebrant: Lift up your hearts.

People: We lift them to the Lord.

Celebrant: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

People: It is right to give Him thanks and praise.

Celebrant: It is indeed right; it is our duty and joy at all times and in all places to give You thanks and praise Holy Father, heavenly King, Almighty and eternal God through Jesus Christ Your only Son our Lord.

People: For He is Your living Word; through Him You have created all things from the beginning, and formed us in Your own image. Through Him You have freed us from the slavery of sin, giving Him to be born as man and to die upon the cross.

Celebrant: You raised Him from the dead and exalted Him to Your right hand on high; through Him You have sent upon us Your holy and life-giving Spirit, and made us a people for Your own possession. Therefore, with angels and archangels and with all the company of heaven, we proclaim Your great and glorious name, forever praising You and saying.

THE SANCTUS

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VERSE 1	CHORUS
Holy holy holy Lord God of pow'r and might Heaven and earth are filled With Your glory	Hosanna hosanna in the highest Hosanna hosanna in the highest

THE PRAYER OF CONSECRATION

Celebrant: Accept our praises, heavenly Father, through Your Son our Savior Jesus Christ; and as we follow His example and obey His command, grant that by the power of Your Holy Spirit these gifts of bread and wine may be to us His Body and Blood; Who in the same night that He was betrayed, took bread and gave You thanks; He broke it and gave it to His disciples saying: "Take, eat; this is my body which is given for you; do this in remembrance of me."

In the same way, after supper, He took the cup and gave You thanks, He gave it to them, saying: “Drink this, all of you; this is my blood of the new covenant, which is shed for you and for many for the forgiveness of sins. Do this as often as you drink it, in remembrance of me”.

Therefore we proclaim the mystery of faith.

Christ has died.

Christ is risen.

Christ will come again.

Celebrant: Accept through Him, our great High Priest, this our sacrifice of thanks and praise: and as we eat and drink these holy gifts in the presence of Your divine Majesty, renew us by Your Spirit, inspire us with Your love, and unite us in the body of Your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord.

People: Through Him, and with Him, and in Him, by the power of the Holy Spirit with all who stand before You in earth and heaven we worship You, Father Almighty, in songs of everlasting praise. Blessing and honor and glory and power be Yours for ever and ever.

Amen.

THE LORD’S PRAYER

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.

THE FRACTION

Celebrant: Christ our Passover has been sacrificed for us.

People: Therefore let us keep the feast.

THE MINISTRATION OF COMMUNION

Celebrant: Behold the Lamb of God, behold him who takes away the sins of the world. Blessed are those who are invited to the marriage supper of the Lamb.

We invite you to take advantage of several opportunities:

All baptized Christians of any age are welcomed and encouraged to receive communion. Gluten-free wafers are available; grape juice is available from our acolyte. Please dispose of your empty cup in the bowl on the offering table as you return to your seat.

Please be seated while awaiting your turn to come to the table of the Lord.

COMMUNION HYMN

“Come Ye Sinners”

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<p>VERSE 1 Come ye sinners, poor and needy Weak and wounded sick and sore Jesus ready stands to save you Full of pity love and power</p>	<p>VERSE 2 Come ye thirsty, come and welcome God's free bounty glorify True belief and true repentance Ev'ry grace that brings you nigh</p>
<p>CHORUS I will arise and go to Jesus He will embrace me in His arms In the arms of my dear Savior Oh there are ten thousand charms</p>	<p>VERSE 3 Come ye weary, heavy laden, Lost and ruined by the fall If you tarry until you're better You will never come at all</p>
<p>VERSE 4 Let not conscience make you linger Nor of fitness fondly dream All the fitness He requires Is to feel your need of Him</p>	<p>VERSE 5 View Him prostrate in the garden On the ground your Maker lies On the bloody tree behold Him Sinner will this not suffice</p>
<p>VERSE 6 Lo th'incarnate God ascended Pleads the merit of His blood Venture on Him venture wholly Let no other trust intrude</p>	

“Nothing But The Blood”

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CHORUS O precious is the flow That makes me white as snow No other fount I know Nothing but the blood of Jesus	VERSE 1 What can wash away my sin Nothing but the blood of Jesus What can make me whole again Nothing but the blood of Jesus
VERSE 2 For my pardon this I see Nothing but the blood of Jesus For my cleansing this my plea Nothing but the blood of Jesus	VERSE 3 Nothing can for sin atone Nothing but the blood of Jesus Naught of good that I have done Nothing but the blood of Jesus
VERSE 4 This is all my hope and peace Nothing but the blood of Jesus This is all my righteousness Nothing but the blood of Jesus	

THE DOXOLOGY

Please stand and sing.

“Doxology”

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INTRO Praise God from whom all blessings flow Praise Him all creatures here below Praise Him above ye heav'nly hosts Praise Father Son and Holy Ghost. Amen
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THE POST-COMMUNION PRAYER

Almighty God, We thank You for feeding us with the Body and Blood of Your Son Jesus Christ. Through Him we offer You our souls and bodies to be a living sacrifice. Send us out in the power of Your Spirit to live and work to Your praise and glory. Amen.

THE BLESSING

Celebrant: All our problems,

People: We send to the cross of Christ.

Celebrant: All our difficulties,

People: We send to the cross of Christ.

Celebrant: All the devil's works,

People: We send to the cross of Christ.

Celebrant: All our hopes,

People: We set on the risen Christ.

THE HYMN IN RECESSION

“Hallelujah What A Savior”

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<p>VERSE 1 Man of sorrows what a name For the Son of God who came Ruined sinners to reclaim Hallelujah what a Savior</p>	<p>VERSE 2 Bearing shame and scoffing rude In my place condemned He stood Sealed my pardon with His blood Hallelujah what a Savior</p>
<p>REFRAIN Halelujah, Halelujah, Halelujah, Amen</p>	<p>VERSE 3 Guilty vile and helpless we Spotless Lamb of God was He Full atonement can it be Hallelujah what a Savior</p>
<p>VERSE 4 Lifted up was He to die It is finished was His cry Now in heaven exalted high Hallelujah what a Savior</p>	<p>VERSE 5 When He comes our glorious King All His ransomed home to bring Then anew this song we'll sing Hallelujah what a Savior</p>

SENDING FORTH

Deacon: Let us go forth into the world rejoicing in the power of the Holy Spirit!

People: Thanks be to God.

MISSION TEAMS

ANGEL WINGS: Prepares meals to those who are going through trying times such as an illness, a move, new baby, etc. Contact: Brianna Copeland (blcopeland5@gmail.com)

COMMUNITY PREGNANCY CENTER OF LAKE NORMAN: Seeks to serve Jesus Christ through ministering to those touched by possible crisis pregnancy. Contact: Andi Wheeler (andiseth@bellsouth.net)

DAVIDSON COLLEGE: Walks alongside Davidson College students through a variety of means, including outreach, Bible Studies, social gatherings, and pairing students with an "Adoptive" Good Shepherd Family. *Actively seeking new leader.*

FLOURISH KENYA: Flourish Kenya is ending the teen pregnancy epidemic in rural Kenya in this generation by improving sexual and reproductive health literacy, providing secondary school sponsorships, and protecting teens in crisis because every youth deserves to flourish Contact: Tia McNelly (tiamcnelly@gmail.com)

GLOBAL PARTNERSHIPS: Forms long-standing partnerships with foreign missionaries and churches in other countries to pray for, support, and join in via short-term trips, God's global Kingdom Work and heart for the lost. Contact: Lori Nielsen (patandlori@gmail.com)

LAND OF A THOUSAND HILLS: Help farmers in Rwanda, Thailand, and Haiti make a living wage by buying coffee. Order at <https://landofathousandhills.com/collections/coffee>. Contact: Randy Barnes (rdbarnes4@gmail.com)

REFUGEES, IMMIGRANTS, AND THE DISPLACED (RID): Helps rid the barriers facing refugees, immigrants, and the displaced. Contact: Carol Rose (cjspencer56@gmail.com).

MISSION TEAM SPOTLIGHT

GLOBAL PARTNERSHIPS: The **Global Partnerships Team** exists to provide ways for our local congregation to step into the global work that God is doing in the world. We aim to seek and share life in Christ with those in other nations. Our purpose is two-fold; to grow an awareness of and passion for the lost in other nations (especially those people groups still unreached by the Gospel), and to foster partnerships with Christians in other nations or with foreign missionaries for prayer, financial, and short-term-trip (when requested) support.

MINISTRY TEAMS

Our desire is to see everyone at Good Shepherd participate in one of our Sunday morning ministry teams. Please send an e-mail to the contact to learn how you can serve in this important capacity.

ACOLYTES: Bears the processional cross, assists at the Communion table, and serving juice to the congregation. Contact: MJ Moran (mj@goodshepherdanglican.org)

AUDIO: Facilitates worship by providing audio support. Contact: Seth Wheeler (seth@residentialstructurespc.com)

CHILDREN'S CHAPEL: Provides the foundational knowledge of scripture for preschool and elementary age attendees. Contact: Jen Ford (jennifer@goodshepherdanglican.org)

COUNTING: Handles the collection and offerings of the Church in accordance with sound accounting practices. Contact: MJ Moran (mj@goodshepherdanglican.org)

FLOWER GUILD: Provides fresh flowers to adorn the altar each week. Coordinates the memorial giving of flowers in honor of special occasions and loved ones. Contact: Mandie Odom (mandie@goodshepherdanglican.org)

HOSPITALITY: Offers refreshments prior to worship service. Contact: Andi Wheeler (andiseth@bellsouth.net)

INTERCESSORY TEAM: Offers prayer ministry during and after worship service to anyone who requests prayer. Contact: Stacy Comer (comersc112108@gmail.com) or Immanuel Comer (immanuelcomer@gmail.com).

READER: Facilitates worship by reading scripture, leading prayers, and serving wine. Contact: MJ Moran (mj@goodshepherdanglican.org)

NURSERY: Cares for children age 2 and under during worship service. Contact: Jen Ford (jennifer@goodshepherdanglican.org)

VIDEO: Facilitates worship by providing video support for online participants. Contact: Patrick Nielsen (patrick.a.nielsen@gmail.com)

MINISTRY ACOLYTES: TEAM SPOTLIGHT

We are seeking people of all ages to join the Acolyte team. Acolyte team members assist the clergy during Worship Service by carrying the cross during processions, assist in preparing the table, and serving grape juice during communion. Training will be available.

Please contact MJ Moran (mj@goodshepherdanglican.org) if you are interested.

LIFE GROUPS

Immanuel & Stacy Comer	1st & 3rd Sundays 3:00 pm, Huntersville	immanuelstacy@beacomer.com
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MEN’S AND WOMEN’S MINISTRIES:

Check out the Good Shepherd website for the latest Men’s and Women’s ministry events.

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FINANCIAL UPDATE JANUARY 2023: To inform your giving and your prayers, the vestry invites you to make note of the following financial update. “Praise God from Whom all blessings flow.”

OPERATING BUDGET	INCOME		EXPENSES	
	JANUARY	YTD	JANUARY	YTD
Plan	\$52,855	\$346,605	\$51,216	\$358,515
Actual	\$38,008	\$304,813	\$39,684	\$305,560
Variance	-\$14,847	-\$41,792	\$11,532	\$52,955
Michael Reynolds Treasurer				