

LUTHERAN CHURCH OF THE CROSS OF VICTORIA

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Worship online at www.lutheranvictoria.ca

FOURTH SUNDAY IN LENT

March 14, 2021 – 10:00 AM

Evangelical Lutheran Worship *Setting 3*

Snakes on a plain: promise of salvation and health

GATHERING

Prelude

Welcome and Acknowledgement of Lands

Confession and remembrance of Baptism

Gathering Song

Christ, Be Our Light

No. 715

Greeting

The grace of Jesus Christ, the love of God,
and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

And also with you.

Kyrie

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Prayer of the Day

WORD

Children's time

Song

Jesus Is a Rock in a Weary Land

No. 333

First Reading

Numbers 21:4-9

...Thanks be to God.

Psalms 107:1-3, 17-22

Refrain - **You deliver your people from their distress.**

Second Reading

Ephesians 2:1-10

...Thanks be to God.

Gospel Acclamation

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Gospel Reading

John 3:14-21

...Glory to you, O God.

...Praise to you, O Christ

Sermon

Hymn of the Day

God Loved the World

No. 323

Installation of members of Council, Boards and Committees

Prayers of Intercession

You are invited to pray in the silence.

Following the words, "Into your hands, O God;" you are invited to respond, "We commend our spirits."

Peace Sharing

The Peace of Christ be with you always.

And also with you.

MEAL

Offering Song

Dreamer in Disguise – M. Gore, D. Pitchford

Solo

Offering prayer

Great Thanksgiving

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Holy

Thanksgiving Prayer

The Lord's Prayer

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Lamb of God

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Communion Song

For by Grace You Have Been Saved

No. 598

Those communing at home are invited to lift the bread and cup as they are lifted at the table and may share bread and wine when the words are spoken:

"The body of Christ given for you. The blood of Christ shed for you."

Prayer after Communion

SENDING

Announcements

Blessing

Sending Song

Drawn to the Light

No. 593

Dismissal

Postlude

"Coffee Time" follows worship on Zoom. If you did not receive a Zoom invitation and would like to join, send an email to pastorlyle@shaw.ca or pastorlyndon@shaw.ca or call the Church office.

Worship Leaders and Assistants

Assisting Minister

Tarynn McKenzie

Cantor

Brian Wismath

Choral Scholar

Abby Corpus, Grady Forsberg

Musician

Carolyn Hoekstra

Livestream

Braeden McKenzie

Communion

Tarynn McKenzie

Worship continues online, Sundays at 10 AM PST.

Church of the Cross remains closed for in person worship.

Tuesday morning prayer continues at 8:30 AM on the website and Facebook.

Lenten "Night Prayer" livestream is each Thursday in Lent at 7:00 PM PST

See the website www.lutheranvictoria.ca for information about online programs.