

## LUTHERAN CHURCH OF THE CROSS OF VICTORIA

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Worship online at [www.lutheranvictoria.ca](http://www.lutheranvictoria.ca)

### FIFTH SUNDAY IN LENT

March 21, 2021 – 10:00 AM

Evangelical Lutheran Worship *Setting 3*

***Jesus says his hour to be glorified has come. That "glory" is in death that leads to life. What hour is it for us and the world, what is dying and what life is rising now?***

### GATHERING

Prelude

Welcome and Acknowledgement of Lands

Confession and remembrance of Baptism

**Gathering Song** ***Now the Green Blade Rises*** **No. 379**

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*** Page 138

Prayer of the Day

### WORD

Children's time

**Song** ***Jesus Is a Rock in a Weary Land*** **No. 333**

First Reading **Jeremiah 31:31-34** ...Thanks be to God.

**Psalms 119:9-16** Refrain - **I treasure your promise in my heart.**

Second Reading **Hebrews 5:5-10** ...Thanks be to God.

**Gospel Acclamation** Page 142

Gospel Reading **John 12:20-33** ...Glory to you, O God.  
...Praise to you, O Christ

Sermon

**Hymn of the Day** ***The Word of God is Source and Seed*** **No. 506**

The Apostles' Creed Page 105

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 *How Beautiful are the Feet* – G.F. Handel Solo

Offering prayer

Great Thanksgiving Page 144

***Holy***

Thanksgiving Prayer

The Lord's Prayer Page 145

***Lamb of God*** Page 146

**Communion Song** ***My Song Is Love Unknown*** **No. 343**

*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** ***Oh, That the Lord Would Guide My Ways*** **No. 772**

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](mailto:pastorlyle@shaw.ca) or [pastorlyndon@shaw.ca](mailto:pastorlyndon@shaw.ca) or call the Church office.*

### Worship Leaders and Assistants

Assisting Minister Sabine Lehr

Cantor Brian Wismath

Choral Scholar Abby Corpus, Grady Forsberg

Musician Karen Johnson Lefsrud

Communion Susanne Standeven

***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](http://www.lutheranvictoria.ca) for information about online programs.***