

Wiser Lake Chapel

March 1, 2026
Second Sunday of Lent

Call to Worship — *Psalm 33:1, 13–22*

Shout for joy in the LORD, O you righteous!

Praise befits the upright.

The LORD looks down from heaven;

He sees the children of man;

**from where He sits enthroned He looks out
on all the inhabitants of the earth,**

*He who fashions the hearts of them all
and observes all their deeds.*

**The king is not saved by his great army;
a warrior is not delivered by his great strength.**

*The war horse is a false hope for salvation,
and by its great might it cannot rescue.*

**Behold, the eye of the LORD is on those who fear Him,
on those who hope in His steadfast love,
that He may deliver their soul from death
and keep them alive in famine.**

*Our soul waits for the LORD;
He is our help and our shield.*

**For our heart is glad in Him,
because we trust in His holy name.**

Songbook 8 — Christ Our Hope in Life and Death

Songbook 32 — The Battle and the Blessing

Prayer of Invocation

Old Testament Reading — *Daniel 7:1–14* (p. 884)

GOD CALLS
US TO WORSHIP



Confession of Sin — *(adapted from Book of Common Prayer, 2019)*

**Almighty God and Father, we confess to you,
to one another, and to the whole company of heaven,
that we have sinned, through our own fault,
in thought, and word, and deed,
and in what we have left undone.**

**For the sake of your Son our Lord Jesus Christ,
have mercy upon us, forgive us our sins,
and by the power of your Holy Spirit,
raise us up to serve you in newness of life,
to the glory of your Name. Amen.**

Silent Confession

Songbook 28 — Trisagion

Assurance of Pardon — *Romans 4:3, 5, 16-17*

What does the Scripture say? “Abraham believed God, and it was counted to him as righteousness”...to the one who does not work but believes in him who justifies the ungodly, his faith is counted as righteousness...That is why it depends on faith, in order that the promise may rest on grace and be guaranteed to all his offspring—not only to the adherent of the law but also to the one who shares the faith of Abraham, who is the father of us all, as it is written, “I have made you the father of many nations”—in the presence of the God in whom he believed, who gives life to the dead and calls into existence the things that do now exist.

Hymn 267 — The Day of Resurrection!

Prayer of Intercession

Offering — *Genesis 28:20-22*

Then Jacob made a vow, saying, “If God will be with me and will keep me in the way that I go, and will give me bread to eat and clothing to wear, so that I come again to my father’s house in peace, then the LORD shall be my God, and this stone, which I have set up for a pillar, shall be God’s house. And of all that you give me I will give a full tenth to you.”

GOD DEALS
WITH OUR SIN



GOD HEARS
OUR PRAYERS



Sermon — *John 5:18–30* (p. 1058)

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* Something to discuss:

* Something to share:

Hymn 163 — At the Name of Jesus

Confession of Faith — *Heidelberg Catechism 252.*

Q. What comfort is it to you that Christ will come to judge the living and the dead?

A. In all my sorrow and persecution I lift up my head and eagerly await as judge from heaven the very same person who before has submitted himself to the judgment of God for my sake, and has removed all the curse from me. He will cast all his and my enemies into everlasting condemnation, but he will take me and all his chosen ones to himself into heavenly joy and glory.

Benediction — *Numbers 6:24–26*

The LORD bless you and keep you;
the LORD make His face to shine upon you
and be gracious to you;
the LORD lift up His countenance upon you
and give you peace.

Amen.

Doxology (words at Hymn 731)

GOD SPEAKS
TO US



GOD SENDS
US OUT



Announcements and Duty List

Tonight, 5:00 pm — Join us for worship, prayer, studying 1 Samuel 11, and a curry dumpling soup supper.

Wednesday, 1:15 pm — ‘Exploring Islam’ video series

Thursday, 7:00 pm — High School Youth Group

Financial update — YTD Giving \$30,697; YTD Budgeted \$41,417.

Duty	March 1	March 8	March 15	March 22	March 29	April 5
Morning Pianist	Ruth D.	Karen S.	Bethany H.	Ruth D.	Ruth D.	Bethany H.
Greeter & Usher	Johnson	Laninga	Olthuis	Lovegren, C	Lovegren, N.	Tamminga, J.
Sound Crew	Craig	Ethan	Mac	Craig	Ethan	Mac
Nursery	Mili B.	Alexa O.	Abbey D-P.	Ruth S.	Kelsey C.	Leslie D.
Nursery Helper	Lucille M.	Eva C.	Abram M.	Faye T.	Lucille M.	Eva C.
Snack-Time Hosts	Siebring, R. Olthuis	Gibson, E. Gibson, T.	Chambers Drury	Blok Johnson	Iverson Hilt	Easter Potluck Brunch
Eve. Leader	Chris L.	Ben M.	Nate L.	John D.	Jesse T.	-
Eve. Pianist	Ruth D.	Emily G.	Jack L.	Lulu J.	Emily G.	No Evening Service
Eve. Meal Host	Ben M.	Nick W.	Jan and Hosanna L.	Joel & Ruth D.	Perez Family	-

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