



Midweek Lenten Worship
February 24, 2021
6:15pm

Welcome to Zumbro Lutheran Church

In our journey of Lent this year, we are focusing on Jesus' invitation to daily discipleship. We will cover a variety of ways to deepen our faith: practicing prayer, giving generously, welcoming others, trying not to judge, and loving our enemies. Join us – and Jesus – on the journey!

We are introducing a new-to-Zumbro liturgy throughout Lent on both Wednesdays and Sundays. *Behold Our Light*, by Aaron David Miller, is a beautiful collection of songs that is led by an ensemble. The music is lyrical and easily learned and is a wonderful way to bring our Zumbro congregation together.

GATHERING MUSIC

KYRIE

BOB GIERE

BOB GIERE, GUITAR; RALPH SCHORNACK, PIANO AND VOCALS

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

2 Songleaders
 Be-hold, our light has come, death is no more,
2 All
 Be-hold, our light has come, death is no

though the sun fades from our sight. God has sent sus - tain - ing light.
 more,

2
 Be-hold, our light has come, shine on us.
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 Be-hold, our light has come, shine on us.

Stanza 1: Songleaders
Stanza 2-3: All

Trin - i - ty, O bless - ed light, O Un - i - ty of
 you our morn - ing song of praise, to you our eve - ning
 sov - 'reign might: as now the fi - 'ry sun de - parts, shed ho - ly light with -
 prayer we raise; to you in awe we bend the knee from age to age, e -
 in our hearts. **2** To
 ter - nal - ly. **3** All

glo - ry be to God a - bove and to the Son, the prince of love, and to the Spir - it,
3
 One in Three! We praise you, bless - ed Trin - i - ty.

¹He was praying in a certain place, and after he had finished, one of his disciples said to him, "Lord, teach us to pray, as John taught his disciples." ²He said to them, "When you pray, say: Father, hallowed be your name. Your kingdom come. ³Give us each day our daily bread. ⁴And forgive us our sins, for we ourselves forgive everyone indebted to us. And do not bring us to the time of trial."

⁵And he said to them, "Suppose one of you has a friend, and you go to him at midnight and say to him, 'Friend, lend me three loaves of bread; ⁶for a friend of mine has arrived, and I have nothing to set before him.' ⁷And he answers from within, 'Do not bother me; the door has already been locked, and my children are with me in bed; I cannot get up and give you anything.' ⁸I tell you, even though he will not get up and give him anything because he is his friend, at least because of his persistence he will get up and give him whatever he needs.

⁹So I say to you, Ask, and it will be given you; search, and you will find; knock, and the door will be opened for you. ¹⁰For everyone who asks receives, and everyone who searches finds, and for everyone who knocks, the door will be opened. ¹¹Is there anyone among you who, if your child asks for a fish, will give a snake instead of a fish? ¹²Or if the child asks for an egg, will give a scorpion? ¹³If you then, who are evil, know how to give good gifts to your children, how much more will the heavenly Father give the Holy Spirit to those who ask him!"

L: The Gospel of the Lord,

C: Thanks be to God.

TEACHING TIME

PRACTICING PRAYER

PASTOR SHELLEY CUNNINGHAM

PSALMODY

DAVID MILLER PSALM 139:1-12

EVENING PSALM

AARON
ADAPT. A. D. M.

4 *All*

Lord, you have searched me and known me; you
 know when I sit, when I rise. You know my thoughts, you
 know my heart, you know the ways of my life. You
 know the sound of my voice, you know the words of my
 tongue; you hold me close, you guide my ways, you
 know the ways of my life.

Songleaders

Where can I go to leave your spir - it? Where can I fall that
 you aren't near? If I say, The dark - ness will
 hide me, your bright light sets me free.

Coda

life. You know the ways of my life. You
 know the ways of my life.

PRAYER

L: O God, we pray this day:

C: for all who have a song they cannot sing,

L: for all who have a burden they cannot bear,

C: for all who live in chains they cannot break,

L: for all who wander homeless and cannot return,

C: for those who are sick and for those who tend them,

L: for those who wait for loved ones and wait in vain,

C: for those who live in hunger and for those who will not share their bread,

L: for those who are misunderstood

C: and for those who misunderstand,

L: for those who are captives and for those who are captors,

**C: for those whose words of love are locked within their hearts
and for those who yearn to hear those words.**

L: Have mercy upon these, O God,

C: Have mercy upon us all.

LORD'S PRAYER

L: Lord, remember us when you come into your kingdom and teach us to pray:

C: Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your name, your kingdom come, your will be done, on earth as in heaven. Give us today our daily bread. Forgive us our sins as we forgive those who sin against us. Save us from the time of trial and deliver us from evil. For the kingdom, the power, and the glory are yours, now and forever. Amen.

Songleaders

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Now let us go in peace. God's word has been ful -

2

all

Now let us go in peace.

filled. We have seen God's great sal - va-tion set in front of

God's word has been ful - filled.

all cre - a - tion. A light that saves the world, be-hold, our light has

A light that saves the world,

come. A - men.

be-hold, our light has come. A - men.

WORSHIP LEADERS TODAY

PROCLAIMER-Pastor Shelley Cunningham; **WORSHIP ASSISTANT**-Pastor Vern Christopherson,
PIANO-Ralph Schornack; **GUITAR**-Bob Giere; **FLUTE**-Ruth Monson; **SONGLEADERS**-Brenda Wichmann,
Pastor Jason Bryan-Wegner

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