



## All Saints Presbyterian Church

March 22<sup>nd</sup>, 2026

Fifth Sunday in Lent

*\*Congregation Stands*

**\*Gathering Song** (10:25 AM) All Glory be to Christ Our King

Should nothing of our efforts  
stand  
No legacy survive  
Unless the Lord does raise the  
house  
In vain its builders strive  
To you who boast tomorrow's  
gain  
Tell me what is your life  
A mist that vanishes at dawn  
All glory be to Christ

*Chorus*  
All glory be to Christ our king!  
All glory be to Christ!  
His rule and reign we'll ever sing  
All glory be to Christ!

His will be done, His kingdom  
come  
On earth as is above  
Who is Himself our daily bread  
Praise Him the Lord of love

Let living water satisfy  
The thirsty without price  
We'll take a cup of kindness yet  
All glory be to Christ

*Chorus*

When on the day the great I Am  
The faithful and the true  
The Lamb who was for sinners  
slain  
Is making all things new  
Behold our God shall live with us  
And be our steadfast light  
And we shall e're his people be  
All glory be to Christ

*Chorus x2*

*Words by Dustin Kensrue  
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## Entering into the Worship of God

**Welcome** ————— Rev. Adam L. Brice, *Pastor*

**Announcements** ————— Thadyn Conner



**\*Call to Worship**

Rev. Adam L. Brice, *Pastor*

From Isaiah 48:20, 44:23

Leader: Declare this with a shout of joy, proclaim it, send it out to the ends of the earth; say, "The LORD has redeemed his servants!"

**Everyone: Sing, O heavens, for the LORD has done it; shout, O depths of the earth; break forth into singing, O mountains, O forest, and every tree in it! For the LORD has redeemed his people, and will be glorified in them.**



**\*Song of Praise: Psalm 89**

*To the tune of Ode to Joy*

I'll sing the Lord's love forever, with  
my mouth I'll make Him  
known;

Faithfulness which leaves us  
never; His love is upon the  
throne!

You said, "I have made a cov'nant  
with the chosen of My hand -  
David is My chosen servant; his  
throne will forever stand."

Heav'n declares Your wonders,  
Lord; Your faithfulness 'midst  
holy ones;  
Who is like the Lord in skies above  
or midst the heav'nly ones?  
In the council of the holy, God is  
greatly to be feared  
Lord Almighty, who is like You?  
You are faithful and revered!

You rule o'er the surging ocean;  
You still all the raging sea  
You crushed Egypt with one  
motion; Your strong arm  
made Your foes flee  
Heav'n is Yours and earth below it,  
north and south are in Your  
sight,  
Tabor, Hermon join in worship;  
Your right hand is full of  
might

Your throne rests upon true  
justice; love and faithfulness  
are Yours  
Bless'd are those who do acclaim  
You, and walk in Your light, O  
Lord

All day long they praise Your glory,  
find joy in Your holy name  
Your great strength is all their  
story - Holy One of Isr'el's  
fame!

*Words: Tim and Julie Tennent (Seedbed  
Psalter)  
Tune: Ode to Joy by Ludwig van Beethoven  
Permission is granted to use these metrical  
settings for public worship with  
acknowledgement of the source*

**\*Prayer of Invocation** ————— Rev. Adam L. Brice, *Pastor*



**\*Confession of Faith** ————— Rev. Adam L. Brice, *Pastor*

The Belgic Confession, From Article 7

One of the oldest confessions of the Protestant Reformed churches of the Netherlands and Belgium, the Belgic Confession was written in 1561 by Guido de Brès, a Dutch preacher who died as a martyr six years later. The year after the Confession was produced, a copy was sent to King Philip II by petitioners who declared that they were ready to obey the government in all lawful things, but that they would "offer their backs to stripes, their tongues to knives, their mouths to gags, and their whole bodies to the fire," rather than deny the truth expressed in this confession.

Leader: Christians, what do you believe about the sufficiency of Scripture?

**Everyone: We believe that Holy Scripture contains the will of God completely and that everything one must believe to be saved is sufficiently taught in it. For since the entire manner of service which God requires of us is described in it at great length, no one - even an apostle or an angel from heaven, as Paul says - ought to teach other than what the Holy Scriptures have already taught us.**

**For since it is forbidden to add to the Word of God, or take anything away from it, it is plainly demonstrated that the teaching is perfect and complete in all respects. Therefore we must not consider human writings - no matter how holy their authors may have been - equal to the divine writings; nor may we put custom, nor the majority, nor age, nor the passage of times or persons, nor councils, decrees, or official decisions above the truth of God, for truth is above everything else.**

**\*Song of Praise:** How Firm A Foundation

How firm a foundation you saints  
of the Lord  
Is laid for your faith in His  
excellent word

What more can He say than to you  
He has said  
To you who for refuge to Jesus  
have fled

Fear not I am with you O be not  
dismayed  
For I am your God and will still  
give you aid  
I'll strengthen you help you  
And cause you to stand  
Upheld by My righteous  
omnipotent hand

When through the deep waters I  
call you to go  
The rivers of sorrow shall not  
overflow  
For I will be with you your  
troubles to bless  
And sanctify to you your deepest  
distress

When through fiery trials your  
pathway shall lie  
My grace all-sufficient shall be your  
supply  
The flame shall not hurt you I only  
design  
Your dross to consume and your  
gold to refine

The soul that on Jesus has leaned for  
repose  
I will not, I will not desert to his foes  
That soul though all hell should  
endeavor to shake  
I'll never, no never, no never forsake

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**Corporate Confession of Sin** ————— *Rev. Adam L. Brice, Pastor*

**Everyone: Merciful Father, forgive us our sins through faith in Jesus Christ. For we have failed to love you with our whole hearts. We have turned to our own way. We are lost without you. Send your Holy Spirit among us that he might renew us by your Word. Turn our hearts of stone into hearts of flesh. Give us ears that we may hear, and eyes that we may see. Sanctify us and make us whole. Lead us in paths of righteousness for your name's sake. May your Word be a lamp to our feet and light to our path. Order our steps and stops for your glory. Grant us a worthy walk, holy habits, devoted discipleship, consistent compassion, and liberated love, that we may perfectly love you and our neighbors as ourselves. In Jesus' name we pray. Amen.**

**Silent Confession of Sin**



## Assurance of Pardon

Rev. Adam L. Brice, *Pastor*

Leader: "Come now, let us reason together, says the LORD: though your sins are like scarlet, they shall be as white as snow; though they are red like crimson, they shall become like wool" (Isaiah 1:18). Your sins are forgiven, all of you who repent of your sins from the heart, and trust in Jesus Christ alone for forgiveness.

**Everyone: Praise God for his steadfast love and mercy!**

### \*Song of Gratitude: All I Have Is Christ

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

#### *Chorus*

Hallelujah! All I have is Christ  
Hallelujah! Jesus is my life  
*Repeat*

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

#### *Chorus*

Now, Lord, I would be Yours alone  
And live so all might see  
The strength to follow Your  
commands  
Could never come from me  
Oh Father, use my ransomed life  
In any way You choose  
And let my song forever be  
My only boast is You

#### *Chorus*

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### \*Extending Peace to One Another

Rev. Adam L. Brice, *Pastor*

*3-5 year olds are welcome to join Teach Us To Worship downstairs at this time*

Leader: The peace of our Lord Jesus Christ be with you all.

**Everyone: And also with you.**

*You are encouraged to connect with whom you need to in order to make peace before coming to the Lord's Table, or extend the peace to others, particularly newcomers.*

# Hearing the Word of God



**\*Scripture Reading:** Galatians 3:19–22 (ESV) ————— Thadyn Conner

<sup>19</sup> Why then the law? It was added because of transgressions, until the offspring should come to whom the promise had been made, and it was put in place through angels by an intermediary. <sup>20</sup> Now an intermediary implies more than one, but God is one.

<sup>21</sup> Is the law then contrary to the promises of God? Certainly not! For if a law had been given that could give life, then righteousness would indeed be by the law. <sup>22</sup> But the Scripture imprisoned everything under sin, so that the promise by faith in Jesus Christ might be given to those who believe.

Reader: God's Word is a lamp to our feet, and a light to our path (Psalm 119:105).

**Everyone: Glory to you, O Lord!**

**Prayer for Illumination** ————— Rev. Tristan Admiraal

**Everyone: Guide us O God, by your Word and your Spirit, that in your light we may see light, in your truth find freedom, and in your will discover your peace, through Jesus Christ, our Lord. Amen.**



**Sermon** ————— Rev. Tristan Admiraal

*"Why Then The Law?"*

# Responding to the Grace of God



**Pastoral Prayer** ————— Rev. Adam L. Brice, *Pastor*

After the pastoral prayer, we will corporately pray 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 debts, as we forgive our debtors; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory, forever. Amen.



**Tithes and Offerings** (Teach Us To Worship children return)



## Celebrating the Lord's Supper

*The Lord's Supper was instituted by Jesus Christ as a way for Christians to worship until he returns. When we eat and drink this meal by faith, Jesus himself is present with us by his Holy Spirit, and he nourishes and strengthens us to live as his disciples in the world. It is a meal that unites all believers in Jesus Christ, and thus we invite all baptized followers of Jesus Christ who are members of a Bible-believing church to participate with us. Children who have professed faith and have been admitted to the Lord's Supper by the leaders of your church are also encouraged to participate.*

*If you are not yet a baptized Christian, or if you have not been joined to a church, we want you to know that we are so glad that you are here! And yet, we ask that you refrain from participating in this meal. If you are interested in knowing more about what it means to follow Jesus and join his people in the church, any of the pastors or elders would be delighted to meet with you. We also encourage you not to participate if you have an unresolved conflict with another member of the church, and are not pursuing reconciliation, as this meal is to be a sign of our love and unity in Christ.*

*While not all will eat and drink (because we know that not all here have taken those first steps of faith and obedience to Jesus), we do encourage everyone to join the circle that will form around the sanctuary as a sign that you are all an important part of our church community*

### **Prayers of Meditation for Those Not Partaking of the Sacrament:**

*If you are not able to receive Communion because you have not yet entrusted your life and eternity into the saving hands of Jesus Christ, you can select a prayer that best describes your current place in the spiritual journey and meditate on it*

#### **A Prayer for those who cannot believe in God**

God, I have doubted your existence. I have reasoned you away or associated you with a Being that either does not love me or does not have the strength to show me that you care. And yet, I see today that there are many people who have experienced the same hardships and disappointments in life that I have, yet they believe in you. They say they see your care in their trials and they experience your strength in their hardships. And they say that it all must be true because of the resurrection of Jesus. God, this is all strange to me. Therefore, if you really exist, if you really are the caring and sovereign God these people and their Bible say you are, reveal yourself to me personally through this resurrected Jesus. Amen.

#### **A Prayer for those Searching for Truth**

Lord Jesus, you claim to be the way, the truth, and the life. Grant that I might be undaunted by the cost of following you as I consider the reasons for doing so. If what you claim is true, please guide me, teach me, and open to me the reality of who you are. Give me an understanding of you that is coherent, convincing, and that leads to the life that you promise. Amen.

#### **A Prayer of Belief and Commitment**

Lord Jesus, I admit that in and of myself I am weaker and more sinful than I ever dared to believe, but in you, oh Christ, I am more loved and accepted than I ever dared to hope. I thank you for paying my debt, bearing my punishment on the cross, and offering forgiveness and new life. Knowing that you have been raised from the dead, I turn from my sins and receive you as Savior and Lord. I commit myself to be baptized into union with you and to follow you all my life as a committed disciple of Jesus, no matter what the cost.

### **Song to the Cross: How Deep The Father's Love For Us**

How deep the Father's love for us  
How vast beyond all measure  
That He should give His only Son  
To make a wretch His treasure  
How great the pain of searing loss  
The Father turns His face away  
As wounds which mar the Chosen  
One  
Bringing many sons to glory

Behold the man upon a cross  
My sin upon His shoulders  
Ashamed, I hear my mocking voice  
Call out among the scoffers  
It was my sin that held Him there  
Until it was accomplished

His dying breath has brought me life  
I know that it is finished

I will not boast in anything -  
No gifts, no power, no wisdom -  
But I will boast in Jesus Christ  
His death and resurrection  
Why should I gain from His reward?  
I cannot give an answer  
But this I know with all my heart  
His wounds have paid my ransom

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## Now Why This Fear

Now why this fear and unbelief?  
Has not the Father put to grief  
His spotless Son for us?  
And will the righteous Judge of  
men  
Condemn me for that debt of sin  
Now canceled at the cross?

### *Chorus*

Jesus, all my trust  
is in Your blood  
Jesus, You've rescued us  
through Your great love

Complete atonement You have  
made  
And by Your death have fully paid  
The debt Your people owed  
No wrath remains for us to face  
We're sheltered by Your saving  
grace  
And sprinkled with Your blood

### *Chorus*

How sweet the sound of saving  
grace  
How sweet the sound of saving  
grace  
Christ died for me  
*Repeat*

Be still my soul and know this  
peace  
The merits of your great high priest  
Have bought your liberty  
Rely then on His precious blood  
Don't fear your banishment from  
God  
Since Jesus sets you free

### *Chorus*

How sweet the sound of saving  
grace  
*(Jesus)*  
How sweet the sound of saving  
grace  
*(all my trust)*  
Christ died for me  
*(is in Your blood)*  
How sweet the sound of saving  
grace  
*(Jesus)*  
How sweet the sound of saving  
grace  
*(You've rescued us)*  
Christ died for me  
*(Through Your great love)*

### *Chorus*

*Original Verses by Augustus  
Toplady (1772)  
Music and alternative words  
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## **\*Doxology**

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow  
Praise Him, all creatures here below  
Praise Him above, ye heav'nly host  
Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost  
Amen

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**\*Benediction:** ————— Rev. Adam L. Brice, *Pastor*

Based on Philippians 4:7

Leader: Now may the peace of God, which passes all understanding, keep your hearts and minds in the knowledge and love of God, and of God's Son, Jesus Christ, our Lord; and the blessing of God Almighty - the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit - be with you always. Amen.

## All Saints Pulpit

*Sermons will be available online; on podcast apps search "All Saints Presbyterian Church" and look for our logo*

Date	Sermon Title	Sermon Text	Preacher
3/29	TBD	TBD	Rev. Adam L. Brice
4/5	TBD	TBD	Rev. Adam L. Brice
4/12	TBD	TBD	Rev. Adam L. Brice

## Community Groups

To learn more about Community Groups at All Saints or get connected to a group, please email [staff@allsaintsmsp.org](mailto:staff@allsaintsmsp.org)

### Northeast

Kuhfusses & Poelarends  
Wed | 6:00 - 7:30PM

### Mac-Grove

Kruzeks & Olsons  
Wed | 5:30 - 7:00PM

### Northern Suburbs

Aarrestads  
Sun (1st and 3rd)  
4:30-6:30PM

### South Minneapolis

Laus  
Tues | 6:00 - 7:30PM

### West Side

Stephensons  
Tues | 6:30 - 8:00PM

### Como Saint Paul

Covingtons  
Wed | 6:00 - 7:45PM

### Eagan

Wallers & Levenhagens  
Sun | 5:30 - 7:30PM

### South Minneapolis

Pagels  
Wed | 6:00 - 7:30PM

# Updates and Information



events, registrations,  
and All Saints info

## Easter Flowers - Orders Now Open!

Filling the sanctuary with flowers is a wonderful way to make our church look beautiful for our Easter service. If you would like to contribute to this year's flower order, please use the QR code above and click "Easter Flowers order form" or visit either of our bulletin boards near the church entrances to learn more. Final orders are due tomorrow morning (March 23<sup>rd</sup>.)

## All Saints Financial Information

We are committed to transparency when it comes to the church's finances. If you have any questions regarding giving, church expenses, or other financial matters, please contact the Deacons at [deacons@allsaintsmsp.org](mailto:deacons@allsaintsmsp.org).

July '24 - Feb '25 Actuals	July '25 - Feb '26 Actuals	July '25 - Feb '26 Budget	FY26 Total Budget
\$312,228	\$391,834	\$366,667	\$550,000

## ASPC FY26 Budgets versus Actuals - July 2025 thru Feb 2026

Income	July '25 - Feb '26 Actuals	July '25 - Feb '26 Budget	% of Budget thru Feb
General Giving	\$391,834	\$366,667	107%
Rent from Monte Divino	\$20,800	\$21,534	97%
<b>Total Income</b>	<b>\$412,634</b>	<b>\$388,200</b>	<b>107%</b>

Expenses			
Administration and Operations	\$9,669	\$12,195	79%
Building	\$50,216	\$74,071	68%
Children and Youth	\$8,907	\$8,923	100%
Ministry Teams	\$9,485	\$10,300	92%
Pastoral Relations	\$12,435	\$11,650	107%
Missions, Benevolence, & Outreach	\$50,496	\$71,668	70%
Employees & Contractor Costs	\$180,196	\$232,637	77%
<b>Total Expenses</b>	<b>\$321,404</b>	<b>\$421,445</b>	<b>76%</b>

# Ministry Events

Event information can also be found on our website: [allsaintsmmsp.org/events](https://allsaintsmmsp.org/events)

## Arrive Ministries Info Sessions

If you would like to learn about refugees, their journey to Minnesota, the work done at Arrive Ministries (a partner ministry of our church,) and God's call to respond, Arrive is holding an upcoming information session. Representatives from Arrive will be sharing about their volunteer opportunities and ways you can get involved.

- March 11<sup>th</sup>, 12pm

The session will be held via Zoom, and details will be emailed after you sign up. Visit <https://arriveministries.org/events/> to learn more and register!

## March 22 - Town Hall

After today's service, there will be a Town Hall in the Fellowship Hall downstairs, moderated by Pastor Adam, where congregants will have the opportunity to ask our pastoral candidate questions and learn more about him.

## March 29 - Congregational Meeting

A congregational meeting is planned for Sunday, March 29, after the service, for the purpose of deliberating and voting on whether to extend a call to candidate Tristan Admiraal as our associate pastor. Votes will be cast via an anonymous paper ballot.

## April 3 - Good Friday Service

At 7:00PM on Friday, April 3, we will be having a tenebrae service - a service of shadows - in the Sanctuary. Everyone is welcome to attend. Please note that childcare will not be provided for this service.

## April 11 - Membership Class

Interested in becoming a member at All Saints? The first step towards membership is our membership class, which will take place on Saturday, April 11, from 9:00am to 3:00pm in the Parlor. Lunch will be provided. Please email Tia Kruzec ([tia@allsaintsmmsp.org](mailto:tia@allsaintsmmsp.org)) to RSVP (registration is required to attend), or reach out to Pastor Adam ([adam@allsaintsmmsp.org](mailto:adam@allsaintsmmsp.org)) if you have questions about membership!

## July 13 to 16 - Vacation Bible School - Register Now!

Registration is now open for our 2026 Vacation Bible School! Children ages 3 through rising 6th graders are invited to join us for Christmas in July - come learn about God's word, worship with other kids, and have fun with crafts, games, and more! VBS will be July 13 - 16, from 6:00 to 8:00PM, with an optional family dinner beginning at 5PM. Register using the QR code on the previous page, or on our website ([allsaintsmmsp.org/vbs](https://allsaintsmmsp.org/vbs)) - we can't wait to see you there!

