



Wednesday Worship - LENT 2022

March 9, March 16, March 23, March 30, April 6

PRELUDE

INVOCATION

P: Lord, you are our Shepherd;
you give us all we need,
you make us to rest in green pastures,
you lead us beside still waters,
you restore our soul,
you guide us in paths of righteousness.
Even when we walk through the valley of the shadow of death
you will be with us to comfort us:

**C: let your merciful goodness
and your unfailing love
follow us all the days of our life,
until we live in your presence forever. Amen.**

GATHERING SONG: *To Be Chosen Weekly— Sing from Song Sheet — SIDE 1*
Christ Be My Leader -OR- Children of the Heavenly Father

CONFESSION & FORGIVENESS

P: Forgive us

**C: those things we have done
which have caused you sadness,
and those things we should have done
that would have brought you joy.
In both we have failed ourselves, and you.
Bring us back to that place
where our journey began,
when we said that we would follow
the way that you first trod.**

P: Lead us to the Cross and meet us there.

C: Amen.

READINGS

PSALM 23 *We read together*

The LORD is my shepherd, I shall not want. He makes me lie down in green pastures; he leads me beside still waters; he restores my soul. He leads me in the paths of righteousness for his name's sake. Even though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I will fear no evil; for you are with me; your rod and your staff they comfort me. You prepare a table before me in the presence of my enemies; you anoint my head with oil; my cup overflows. Surely goodness and mercy shall follow me all the days of my life, and I shall dwell in the house of the LORD forever.

ADDITIONAL READING *Optional*

PRAYER OF THE DAY

MESSAGE

SONG: **Shepherd Me O God** *Sing from Song Sheet — SIDE 2*

Mar.9—Refrain, vs.2, Refrain

Mar.16—Refrain, vs.3, Refrain

Mar.23—Refrain, vs.4, Refrain

Mar. 30—Refrain, vs.5, Refrain

Apr.6—All, or Optional

PRAYERS

WORDS OF INSTITUTION/LORD'S PRAYER

INVITATION

P: Come, all who are thirsty says Jesus, our Lord,
come, all who are weak, taste the living water that I shall give.
Dip your hands in the stream, refresh body and soul, drink from it,
depend on it, for this water will never run dry.
Come, all who are thirsty says Jesus, our Lord.

Communion Distribution *piano/organ music*

Communion Blessings

Sending Song – May the God of All Healing *Sing from Song Sheet — SIDE 1*

Sending & Dismissal

P: Go in peace and love and care for another in the name of the Lord;
may God lead you to places of rest and renewal;
may Christ Jesus give you life in abundance;
and may the Holy Spirit fill your hearts with gladness and generosity,
both now and forevermore.

C: **Amen.**

Postlude

WORSHIP LEADERS

Pastors: Julie Rogness, Marv Korman, Intern Al Aakre,

Musicians: Tammy Hanson & Annette Thunhorst

Christ Be My Leader

Tune - 'Be Thou My Vision'

1 Christ be my lead - er by night as by day;
 2 Christ be my teach - er in age as in youth,
 3 Christ be my Sav - ior in calm as in strife;

safe through the dark - ness, for he is the Way.
 drift - ing or doubt - ing, for he is the Truth.
 death can - not hold me for he is the Life. Nor

Glad - ly I fol - low, my fu - ture his care,
 Grant me to trust him; though shift - ing as sand,
 dark - ness nor doubt - ing nor sin and its stain can

dark - ness is day - light when Je - sus is there.
 doubt can - not daunt me; in Je - sus I stand.
 touch my sal - va - tion: with Je - sus I reign.

Children of the Heavenly Father

- 1 Children of the heav'nly Father safely in his bosom gather;
 nestling bird nor star in heaven such a refuge e'er was given.
- 2 God his own doth tend and nourish, in his holy courts they flourish.
 From all evil things he spares them, in his mighty arms he bears them.
- 3 Neither life nor death shall ever from the Lord his children sever;
 unto them his grace he showeth, and their sorrows all he knoweth.
- 4 Though he giveth or he taketh, God his children ne'er forsaketh;
 his the loving purpose solely to preserve them pure and holy.

May the God of All Healing

SING 2 TIMES

May the God of all heal - ing en - fold us in love,
 fill us with peace, and lead us to whole-ness and strength.

Shepherd Me, O God

Refrain

Shep-herd me, O God, be - yond my wants, be - yond my fears, from
 death in - to life.

Verses 1 - 4

1 God is my shep-herd, so noth-ing shall I want, I rest in the mead-ows of
 2 Gent - ly you raise me and heal my wea-ry soul, you lead me by path-ways of
 3 Tho' I should wan-der the val - ley of death, I fear no e - vil, for
 4 You have pre-pared me a ban - quet of love with - in the pre-sence of

faithfulness & love, I walk by the qui - et wa - ters of peace. *Refrain*
 righteousness & truth, my spir - it shall sing the mu - sic of your name. *Refrain*
 you are at my side, your rod and your staff, my com-fort and my hope. *Refrain*
 all my en-e-mies. Your grace over-flows with bless-ing for me. *Refrain*

Verse 5

5 Sure - ly your kindness and mercy follow me all the days of my life; I will
 dwell in the house of my God for - ev - er - more. *Refrain*