

Blessed Be Your Name

Blessed be Your name in the land that is plentiful,
Where Your streams of abundance flow, blessed be Your name.
Blessed be Your name, when I'm found in the desert place
Though I walk through the wilderness, blessed be Your name.
Every blessing you pour out I'll turn back to praise
When the darkness closes in Lord, still I will say

Chorus

Blessed be the name of the Lord,

Blessed be Your name.

Blessed be the name of the Lord,

Blessed be your glorious name.

Blessed be Your name when the sun's shining down on me,
When the world's all as it should be, blessed be Your name.
Blessed be your name on the road marked with suffering,
Though there's pain in the offering, blessed be your name.
Every blessing you pour out I'll turn back too praise
When the darkness closes in Lord, still I will say **(Chorus)**

You give and take away
You give and take away.
My heart will choose to say,
Lord blessed be your name.

Every blessing you pour out I'll turn back to praise,
When the darkness closes in Lord, still I will say **(Chorus)**



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*God calls us during this season of Lent (and always) to follow. May you find encouragement in your faith & discipleship, and support for struggles & stress. We are glad to have **all of you** worshiping with us, and invite you to sign our guest book, fill out a green visitor or prayer slip found in the pew, or talk with Pr. Mary Kaye about scheduling a visit. Thanks for being here!*

If you'd like to request a pastoral visit, please message Pastor Mary Kaye to schedule a time and day that works for you.

MARCH FOOD & FUND DRIVE

February 25—April 7, 2019

Family Pathways is asking for help restocking their shelves by donating non-perishable food items! There is a bin at the church for collections! Want to give financially? \$10 feeds a family for one week!

Food4Kids

Pick up: Linngren Family

Bagging: Carol & Del

HEARING DEVICES are available to assist with hearing. Please ask an usher and they will be happy to get you one!

QUILTERS meet on the 2nd & 4th Thursdays at 9:30am. No experience needed! We invite you to join us!



Today at 10:15am

**Next Class:
Sunday, March 17th**

COUNCIL MEMBERS

Don Hansen	Joe Landgreen
Wendy Szczepanski	Miriam Flysjo
Duane Olson	Rose Anderson
Craig Loen	Pastor Mary Kaye Ashley

**Next Council
Meeting**

TODAY

At 10:30am

CALENDAR

(www.tflutheran.org for full calendar)

Sun Mar 10 (Pr. Hours:8a-5p)

9a - Worship
10:15a - Life Group
10:15a - Sunday School
10:30a - Council Meeting
4p - Worship at Good Sams in SCF

Tues Mar 12 (Pr. Hours:8a-2p)

9a - FELC hosts Conference
Pastor's Meeting
9a - Staff Meeting
7p - Choir Practice

Wed Mar 13 (Pr. Hrs:10a-8p)

11a - Lenten Worship
11:30a - Soup Lunch
5:30p - Soup Supper
6:30p - Lenten Worship
7p - Youth Group

Sun Mar 17 (Pr. Hours:8a-11:30a)

9a - Worship
10:15a - Life Group
10:15a - Sunday School
10:30a - Confirmation Class

Important events to add to your calendar

Join us for meaningful time to focus on God in Lent as we walk with Jesus to Holy Week and the cross. Let God draw your attention to prayer and fellowship on Lenten Wednesdays thru April 10. Look for opportunities to sign up to provide &/or serve Lenten meals on the bulletin board, or outside the FELC office.

Lenten Wed. Worship Time:
11am Worship with lunch following
5:30pm Supper
6:30pm Worship
7pm Youth Group

- ◆ **BOOK STUDY AND BIBLE STUDY**—Taking a short break for Lent. Please join us for Lenten worship, lunch and/or supper.
- ◆ **“KEEP THE SPARKLE IN YOUR LIFE”** River Valley Christian’s Women’s Connection invites all women to their monthly luncheon. Monday, March 18th at 11:30am. Check out the bulletin board for more information!
- ◆ **CRAFT DAY at FELC** on Saturday, March 23rd from 9am—3pm. Join Julie Valez and Angie Linngren for a day of crafting! Bring a project of your choice, claim a spot, and craft away! Potluck style lunch, please bring a dish to share!

him from the dead, you will be saved. For one believes with the heart and so is justified, and one confesses with the mouth and so is saved. The scripture says, “No one who believes in him will be put to shame.” For there is no distinction between Jew and Greek; the same Lord is Lord of all and is generous to all who call on him. For, “Everyone who calls on the name of the Lord shall be saved.”

Luke 4:1-13

Jesus, full of the Holy Spirit, returned from the Jordan and was led by the Spirit in the wilderness, where for forty days he was tempted by the devil. He ate nothing at all during those days, and when they were over, he was famished. The devil said to him, “If you are the Son of God, command this stone to become a loaf of bread.” Jesus answered him, “It is written, ‘One does not live by bread alone.’”

Then the devil led him up and showed him in an instant all the kingdoms of the world. And the devil said to him, “To you I will give their glory and all this authority; for it has been given over to me, and I give it to anyone I please. If you, then, will worship me, it will all be yours.” Jesus answered him, “It is written,

‘Worship the Lord your God,
and serve only him.’”

Then the devil took him to Jerusalem, and placed him on the pinnacle of the temple, saying to him, “If you are the Son of God, throw yourself down from here, for it is written,

‘He will command his angels concerning you,
to protect you,’

and

‘On their hands they will bear you up,
so that you will not dash your foot against a stone.’”

Jesus answered him, “It is said, ‘Do not put the Lord your God to the test.’” When the devil had finished every test, he departed from him until an opportune time.

◆ **LET'S TALK: INVITING PEOPLE TO WORSHIP** Wednesday, April 3 - 4pm (or join us when you can!) Let's talk about **inviting people to worship**. Some people would love to welcome friends & neighbors, but unsure of how. Join us to share ideas & thoughts & become more comfortable. The next 3 weeks in our church year bring the greatest variety of worship experiences we do. Maybe invite someone to join you for this discussion? And dinner & worship after? (Signing up to say you're coming to Let's Talk will make sure of enough of anything we use, but please always feel free to come even if not signed up!)

◆ **SATURDAY, APRIL 27TH AT 4:00PM**—Thrivent Sponsored Steeple Fundraiser Supper. Please join us for Barbecue Sandwiches, Cheesy Broccoli and Cupcakes at FELC. Free will offering.

◆ **LUTHER POINT BIBLE CAMP** has an exciting project—*Gardens*—and are asking for donations and/or your time to make this happen! The Garden Install Party will take place on Saturday, May 11th at 9am at Luther Point in Grantsburg, WI. You can also donate a raised bed which is \$250 or you can send an amount that you wish to give. There are envelopes on the bulletin board at church along with more information! Check it out!



Scripture Readings:

Deuteronomy 26:1-11

First Fruits and Tithes

When you have come into the land that the LORD your God is giving you as an inheritance to possess, and you possess it, and settle in it, you shall take some of the first of all the fruit of the ground, which you harvest from the land that the LORD your God is giving you, and you shall put it in a basket and go to the place that the LORD your God will choose as a dwelling for his name. You shall go to the priest who is in office at that time, and say to him, “Today I declare to the LORD your God that I have come into the land that the LORD swore to our ancestors to give us.” When the priest takes the basket from your hand and sets it down before the altar of the LORD your God, you shall make this response before the LORD your God: “A wandering Aramean was my ancestor; he went down into Egypt and lived there as an alien, few in number, and there he became a great nation, mighty and populous. When the Egyptians treated us harshly and afflicted us, by imposing hard labor on us, we cried to the LORD, the God of our ancestors; the LORD heard our voice and saw our affliction, our toil, and our oppression. The LORD brought us out of Egypt with a mighty hand and an outstretched arm, with a terrifying display of power, and with signs and wonders; and he brought us into this place and gave us this land, a land flowing with milk and honey. So now I bring the first of the fruit of the ground that you, O LORD, have given me.” You shall set it down before the LORD your God and bow down before the LORD your God. Then you, together with the Levites and the aliens who reside among you, shall celebrate with all the bounty that the LORD your God has given to you and to your house.

Psalm 91:1-2, 9-16

Romans 10:8-13

But what does it say?

“The word is near you,
on your lips and in your heart”

(that is, the word of faith that we proclaim); because if you confess with your lips that Jesus is Lord and believe in your heart that God raised

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