



Nassau Presbyterian Church

April 3, 2022 9:15 & 11:00 AM

FIFTH SUNDAY IN LENT



Gathering

God calls us together to offer praise, acknowledge sin,
and celebrate our adoption as forgiven children.

Prelude

Toccata in E Minor

Johann Pachelbel

♦ Call to Worship

Psalm 33 : 1, 4-5

At the sign ♦ you may stand. *Hymn* indicates the red pew hymnal *Glory to God*.

Bold text is read or sung in unison.

Rejoice in the Lord, O you righteous.

**For the word of the Lord is upright,
all God's work is done in faithfulness.**

God loves righteousness and justice.

The earth is full of the steadfast love of the Lord!

Come, people of God, let us worship the God of
righteousness, justice, and steadfast love!

♦ Opening Hymn

O Love, How Deep,
How Broad, How High

Red Hymnal 618

Prayer of Confession

God of mercy, you sent Jesus Christ to seek and save the lost.

We confess we have strayed from you and turned aside from your way.

We are misled by pride.

We have limited love, neglected justice, and ignored your truth.

Have mercy, O God, and forgive our sin.

Return us to paths of righteousness through Jesus Christ, our Savior.

Amen.

Silence

Response

Lord Have Mercy

Swee Hong Lim

Assurance of Forgiveness

Friends in Christ, hear and believe the good news of the Gospel.

In Jesus Christ we are forgiven. Thanks be to God.

Words of Welcome

Reception of New Members 9:15

Children may leave for Church School classes. Teachers and ushers can assist in finding classrooms.



Proclaiming the Word

We encounter the Word in speech and song
as we interpret and expound scripture.

Time with Children 11:00

Children age three to grade three may leave for Worship Explorers.

Prayer for Illumination

**God of mercy,
you promised never to break your covenant with us.
Amid all the changing words of our generation,
speak your eternal word that does not change.
Then may we respond to your gracious promises
with faithful and obedient lives;
through our Lord Jesus Christ. Amen.**

First Scripture Lesson El que habita al abrigo de Dios/ Blue Psalter 91 C
Those Who Dwell in the Shelter of God pg 564
(Psalm 91)
verses – Choir
refrain – Congregation

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.

Sermon

Can It Ever All be Yours?

David A. Davis



Thanksgiving

We respond by presenting our offerings, setting the table,
lifting prayers, and praising the triune God.

verse 1 & 3 – Choir
verse 2 & 4 – Congregation

♦ Affirmation of Faith

from Romans 8

**We believe there is no condemnation
for those who are in Christ Jesus;
for we know that all things work together for good
for those who love God,
who are called according to God's purpose.
We are convinced that neither death, nor life,
nor angels, nor rulers,
nor things present, nor things to come,
nor powers, nor height, nor depth,
nor anything else in all creation,
will be able to separate us from the love of God
in Christ Jesus our Lord. Amen.**

Offertory

Lord Jesus, Think on Me

music: Dan Locklair

text: Synesius of Cyrene (5th cent)

♦ Doxology Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow Red Hymnal 606

Prayers of the People and the Lord's Prayer



Sending

We follow the Word into the world, sent forth with
God's blessing to lives of service and love.

♦ Closing Hymn Lord, Who throughout These Forty Days Red Hymnal 166

♦ Benediction

♦ Choral Response

Go with Us, Lord

Christianne Bessièrès Lane

Postlude

Prelude on "Deo Gracias"

Healey Willan

Preacher

David A. Davis

Liturgists

Lauren J. McFeaters 9:15

Len Scales 11:00

Time with Children

Noah Gourlie

Musicians

Michael Cooney, prelude
organist

Adult Choir

Noel Werner, director &
organist

Sound Engineer

Nick Mastalesz

Livestream Operators

Doug Ladendorf

Tom Coogan

Cover Art

“Large Cross Nativity,” a
mosaic by Artisans of Hope

Tending the Flock

Death— Margaret Alice Dobbins Calos, grandmother
of Michael Salita (Lizzie) and great-grandmother of
Chip Salita, on March 21, 2022 in Danville, Virginia

New Members Received by Session, March 31, 2022

By Letter of Transfer

Rebecca Zack Callahan

Rob Callahan

From Brick Presbyterian Church,
New York, New York

Noelle Iordache

Gabi Iordache

Karolina Iordache

Alexandra Iordache

From Kingston Presbyterian Church,
Kingston, New Jersey

Elizabeth “Liz” Naumann

From the Vashon United Methodist Church,
Vashon Island, Washington
Spouse Andrew Naumann

Bruce Robinson

From Riverside Memorial Church,
New York, New York

Ralitsa Zaharieva

From the Eastern Orthodox Church,
Sophia, Bulgaria

By Reaffirmation of Faith

Jody Erdman

Christopher Jones

Angela Triandafillou Jones

Dorian Rakoczi

Jonathan (J. B.) Wakefield

Affiliate Member

Alexander “Alex” Vincent

91C El que habita al abrigo de Dios / Those Who Dwell in the Shelter of God

A7 Dm Gm Dm

Spanish 1 El que ha - bi - ta al a - bri - go de Dios
English 1 Those who dwell in the shel - ter of God
2 Those who dwell in the shel - ter of God
3 Those who dwell in the shel - ter of God

D7 Gm D7 Gm

mo - ra - rá ba - jo som - bras de a - mor;
find their home in love's rest - giv - ing shade.
from de - struc - tion and death live se - cure.
are the peo - ple most fa - vored of all:

A7 Dm

con - fi - a - do y se - gu - ro es - ta - rá
Safe from harm, from temp - ta - tions and snares,
Though a thou - sand may fall at their side,
for God's an - gels keep watch on their paths,

Gm Dm

de los la - zos del vil ten - ta - dor.
they will trust and will not be a - fraid.
they are saved by a grace that is sure.
that their feet nei - ther stum - ble nor fall.

Refrain D7 Gm Dm



Oh yo quie - ro ha - bi - tar al a - bri - go de Dios;
How my heart longs to dwell in the shel - ter of God.

A Dm



só - lo a - llí en - cuen - tro paz y pro - fun - do a - mor.
There a - lone can I find deep - est love and peace.

D7/F# Gm Dm



Mi de - li - cia es con Él co - mu - nión dis - fru -
I re - joice and de - light to com - mune there with

A Dm



tar y por siem - pre su nom - bre a - la - bar.
God, where my songs filled with praise nev - er cease!

2 El que habita al abrigo de Dios
para siempre seguro estará;
caerán miles en derredor,
mas a él no vendrá mortandad. *Refrain*

3 El que habita al abrigo de Dios
muy feliz ciertamente será;
ángeles guardarán su salud
y su pie nunca resbalará. *Refrain*

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When We Are Tested

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Capo 2: (Dm) Em (Am) Bm (Dm) Em (Am) Bm

1 When we are test - ed and wres - tle a - lone,
 2 When in the des - ert we cry for re - lief,
 3 When we are tempt - ed to bar - ter our souls,
 4 When we have strug - gled and searched through the night,

(Em) F#m (B7) C#7 (Em) F#m (Dsus) (D) Esus E

fam - ished for bread when the world of - fers stone,
 plead - ing for paths marked by cer - tain be - lief,
 trad - ing the truth for the power to con - trol,
 sort - ing and sift - ing the wrong from the right,

(G) A (D) E (Em7) F#m7 (F) G

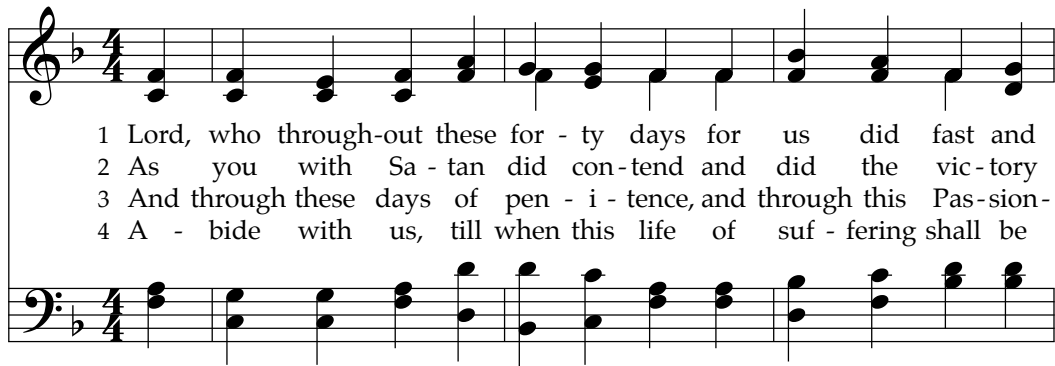
nour - ish us, God, by your word and your way,
 lift us to love you be - yond sign and test,
 teach us to wor - ship and praise on - ly you,
 Sav - ior, sur - round us with cir - cles of care,

(Am6) Bm6 (C) D (Dm) Em (Am) (E) Bm F#

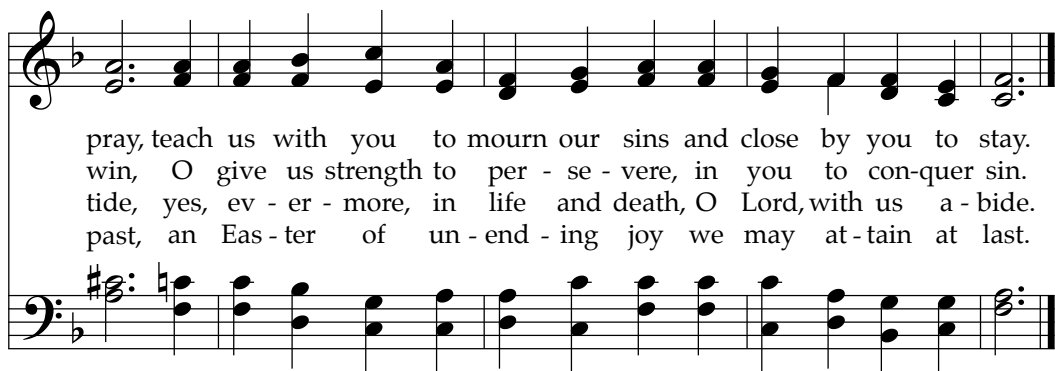
food that sus - tains us by night and by day.
 trust - ing your pres - ence, our on - ly true rest.
 seek - ing your will in the work that we do.
 an - gels of heal - ing, of hope, and of prayer.

Although the Temptation of Christ is mentioned in all three synoptic gospels (Matthew 4:1–11/Mark 1:12–13/Luke 4:1–13), this hymn is based on the Lukan version. It is notable that each stanza begins “when,” not “if”; temptation is not an optional feature of the spiritual life.

Lord, Who throughout These Forty Days 166



1 Lord, who through-out these for - ty days for us did fast and
2 As you with Sa - tan did con - tend and did the vic - tory
3 And through these days of pen - i - tence, and through this Pas - sion -
4 A - bide with us, till when this life of suf - fering shall be



pray, teach us with you to mourn our sins and close by you to stay.
win, O give us strength to per - se - vere, in you to con - quer sin.
tide, yes, ev - er - more, in life and death, O Lord, with us a - bide.
past, an Eas - ter of un - end - ing joy we may at - tain at last.

Like many of this author's hymns, this text was written primarily for children but works equally well in reminding adults how Lent connects us with Christ's temptation in the wilderness and prepares us for Easter. The 16th-century English psalm tune provides sturdy support.

TODAY AT NASSAU

Education for all Ages
9:15/9:30 AM Classrooms & Assembly Room

Cantorei
5:00 PM Music Room

Worship
9:15 AM Sanctuary & Livestreamed

Middle School Fellowship
5:00 PM Room 304

Fellowship
10:15 AM Assembly Room

Youth Dinner
6:00 PM Assembly Room

Worship
11:00 AM Sanctuary

Breaking Bread Worship
6:30 PM Niles Chapel

Worship Explorers
11:15 AM Room 302

Chorale
6:40 PM Music Room

Senior High Fellowship
6:40 PM Room 304

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