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 trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever and ever. Amen.

This Week's Activities

Monday: Taiko Class at 12:30 p.m. Tuesday: English Conversation Class 12 p.m. Wednesday: CCN Joy Luck Club (Mahjong) at 3 p.m. Lent Soup Supper @6 p.m., and Worship@7 p.m. at KOG Thursday: Paper Rollers at 9 a.m., CCN Seminar at 11:30 a.m. Announcements

- **Today** Masahiro Hirahara's Piano Concert at 2:30 p.m. at LCR. We recommend that you be seated when the Sanctuary opens at 2 p.m.
- CCN Events- 3/19 seminar sign-ups end today. 3/26 Brush Painting and 3/28 Spring Event's sign-ups have started.
- Next Sunday Potluck luncheon and March birthday celebrations after the Japanese Service.

I CR Japanese Ministry MarchSchedule

| 1,8,22,29 | Bible Study and Prayer | 10:00 a.m. | T-Hall | |
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| | Choir Practice | 10:45 a.m. | T-Hall | |
| 2,9,16,23 | Japanese Taiko Lesson | 12:30 p.m. | Sanctuary | |
| 3,17 | English Conversation Class | 12:30 p.m. | Library | |
| 4,11,18,25 | CCN Joy Luck Club | 3:00 p.m. | T-Hall | |
| 5,12,19,26 | Paper Rollers | 9:00 a.m. | Bercaw Hall | |
| 9 | Let's Sing Hymns | 1:00 p.m. | T-Hall | |
| 10,24 | Pastor Carl's Bible Study | 10:30 a.m. | T-Hall | |
| 11 | Soup Supper @6 p.m. Lent Worship @7 p.m. | | LCR | |
| 19 | CCN "Managing your Medication" | 11:30 a.m. | Bercaw Hall | |
| 22 | Potluck Luncheon & March. B-day | s Celebration | T-Hall | |
| 23 | Corona Bible Study | 10:00 a.m. | Imai's house | |
| 26 | CCN Japanese Brush Painting | 1:00 p.m. | T-Hall | |
| 28 | CCN Spring Event & Dinner | 4:30 p.m. | LCR | |
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LUTHERAN CHURCH OF THE RESURRECTION

| Worship Services: | Traditional Worship Praise Service | 8:30 a.m. 10:00 a.m. | |
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| | Japanese Worship | 11:30 a.m. | |
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March 15, 2015

Fourth Sunday in Lent





The Theme Bible Verse of 2015:

"Devote yourselves to prayer, keeping alert in it with thanks giving.'

Colossians 4:2

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Prelude (seated)

Greeting and Announcements

Opening Hymn Not in ELW : "Alas! And Did My Savior Bleed" (stand) Japanese Hymn (21)#298

Blessing: Blessed be the holy Trinity, † one God, who brings us out of captivity into freedom, out of the wilderness into the promised land, out of death into life. *Amen.*

Invocation: Let us confess our sins in the presence of God and of one another.

Confession: Gracious God, we confess that we have sinned in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done and by what we have left undone. Forgive us and give us strength to turn from sin and to serve you in newness of life. Amen.

Absolution: By water and the Holy Spirit, God gives us a new birth, and through the death and resurrection of Jesus Christ,
+ God forgives us all our sins. Almighty God strengthen us in all goodness and keep us in eternal life.
Amen.

Kyrie: ELW #155

Kyrie eleison. Kyrie eleison. Kyrie eleison. Lord have mercy. Lord have mercy. Lord have mercy.

Prayer of The Day: O God, rich in mercy, by the humiliation of your Son you lifted up this fallen world and rescued us from the hopelessness of death. Lead us into your light, that all our deeds may reflect your love, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.

First Lesson: Job 33:19-25

Second Lesson: *Ephesians* 2:1-10

Gospel: John 3:14-21 Hymn ELW #629: "Abide With ME" Japanese Hymn (21)#218

Message: "Sleepless Nights"

by Rev. Hitoshi Adachi

The Apostles' Creed:

I believe in God, the Father Almighty, creator of heaven and earth. I believe in Jesus Christ, God's only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried; he descended to the dead. On the third day he rose again; he ascended into heaven, he is seated at the right hand of the Father, and he will come to judge the living and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

Offering and Prayer

Prayers of the Church

Holy Communion

Communion Hymn not in ELW (please see insert): "Marana Tha" Japanese Hymn (21) #81, v. 1

The Lord's Prayer: (Recite during Communion - see bulletin page 4)

Communion Hymn *not in ELW (please see insert): "Marana Tha"* Japanese Hymn (21) #81, v. 1

Benediction and Threefold Amen

Hymn *ELW* #812: "Faith of Our Fathers" Japanese Hymn (21)#394