

## LENTEN WORSHIP

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### Wednesday Evenings

Wednesdays, 7–8 p.m., Chapel

“A.C.T.S. of Prayer”

- March 29 “Thanksgiving: Really Grateful” *Rev. Donna Marsh*  
April 5 “Supplication: Ask Away” *Dr. David Renwick*

### Sunday Mornings

9 & 11 a.m. (Sanctuary), 10:50 a.m. (Jones Hall)

“Apostles' Creed”

- March 26 “Baptism: Singled Out – Welcomed In” *Dr. David Renwick*  
April 2 “Communion: A Seat at the Table” *Rev. Donna Marsh*

## HOLY WEEK

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Palm Sunday April 9

**Worship:** 9, 10:50, and 11 a.m.

**Concert:** “How Lovely Is Thy Dwelling Place” 5 p.m.

The National Presbyterian Chancel Choir, soloists, and orchestra, with special guests The Loudoun County High School Concert Choir present the music of Schubert, Mendelssohn, Brahms, and Barber. Invite a friend! No tickets required; a voluntary offering will be received.

*Complimentary childcare is available for children 4 and under with RSVP to [childcare@nationalpres.org](mailto:childcare@nationalpres.org).*

Maundy Thursday April 13

**Worship:** 7:30 p.m. in the Sanctuary

Good Friday April 14

**Worship:** 7:30 p.m. in the Sanctuary

Easter Sunday April 16

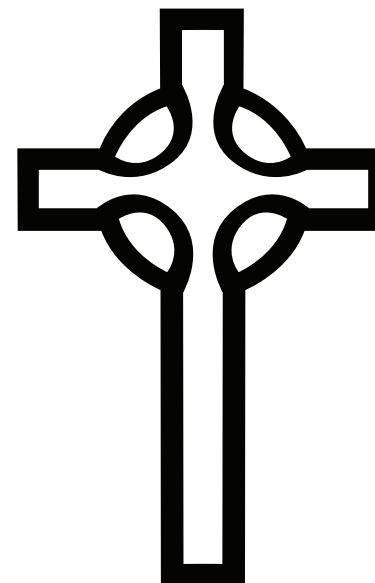
**Sanctuary Worship:** 8:30, 10, and 11:30 a.m.

Special music including choir, organ, brass, and timpani.

**Family Celebration:** 10 a.m. in Jones Hall (School Gym)  
Family-friendly Easter message, familiar and contemporary songs, and an Easter egg hunt.

## LENTEN VESPERS

March 22, 2017



*“He became what we are that he might make us what he is.”*

St. Athanasius



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# Lenten Worship at the Lord's Table

7 P.M.

PRELUDE We All Believe in One True God, the Father J.S. Bach  
William Neil, organ

CALL TO WORSHIP Dr. Quinn Fox

*One* O Lord, open my lips,

*All* **And my mouth will declare your praise.**

*One* You do not delight in sacrifice, or I would bring it.

*All* **You do not take pleasure in burnt offerings.**

*One* The sacrifices of God are a broken spirit;

*All* **A broken and contrite heart, O God, you will not despise.**

from Psalm 51

▲ HYMN 513 Let Us Break Bread Together *Let Us Break Bread*

LENTEN CONFESSION OF SIN *in unison* Dr. Quinn Fox

Merciful God, you pardon all who truly repent and turn to you.

We humbly confess our sins and ask for your mercy.

We have not loved you with our whole heart.

We have not loved our neighbor as ourselves.

We have not done justice, loved kindness,

or walked humbly with you.

In your lovingkindness, have mercy on us, O God.

In your great compassion, cleanse us from our sin.

SILENT CONFESSION AND ASSURANCE OF PARDON

Believe the good news of the Gospel.

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

▲ CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE *Olivet*

Our faith looks up to thee, thou Lamb of Calvary, Savior divine:

Now hear us while we pray, take all our guilt away,

O let us from this day be wholly thine!

SCRIPTURE Psalm 51; Psalm 32

The Word of the Lord.

**Thanks be to God.**

MEDITATION Confession: My Bad Rev. Evangeline Taylor  
*A.C.T.S. of Prayer: Confession*

HYMN 184 How Blest Are Those Psalm 32  
*verses 1 & 2* *Es flog ein kleins Waldvögelein*

THE SACRAMENT OF COMMUNION Dr. Quinn Fox

Invitation to the Table

Words of Institution and Distribution

Music Meditation

Jesus, Lover of My Soul

Ken Medema

Jesus, lover of my soul, let me to thy bosom fly;

while the nearer waters roll, and the tempest still is high.

Hide me, O my Savior, hide, till the storm of life is past;

Safe into the haven guide; O receive my soul at last.

Plenteous grace with thee is found, grace to cover all my sin.

Let the healing streams abound; make me, keep me, pure within.

Thou of life the fountain art; freely let me take of thee;

Spring thou up within my heart, rise to all eternity

Charles Wesley

Dr. Michael Denham and Joanna Jones

Prayer of Response and The Lord's Prayer

Our Father, which 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.

▲ HYMN 509 For the Bread Which You Have Broken *Cross of Jesus*

▲ BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE Jesu, Joy of Man's Desiring J.S. Bach

*An offering will be received at the doors as you exit.*