

LENTEN EVENING PRAYER SERVICE

SILENT MEDITATION

OPENING SENTENCES:

Psalm 27

Leader: Hear, O Lord, when I cry aloud, be gracious to me and answer!

People: "Come," my heart says, "seek His face!" Your face, Lord, do I seek. Do not hide your face from me.

Leader: Wait for the Lord;

People: Wait for the Lord!

OPENING HYMN Turn Your Eyes Upon Jesus

(Leader will sing through once, then all repeat three times.)

Turn your eyes up - on Je - sus, look full in His

won - der - ful face; _____ And the things of earth will grow

strange - ly dim in the light of His glo - ry and grace. _____

SCRIPTURE READING

Romans 8:18-27

SILENT MEDITATION ON THE SCRIPTURE

LENTEN HYMN Jesus, Remember Me

Jacques Berthier

(Leader will sing through once, then all repeat four times.)

Je - sus, re - mem-ber me when You come in - to Your king - dom.

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PRAYERS OF THANKSGIVING AND INTERCESSION:

Let my prayer rise before you as incense, O God,
The lifting of my hands as an evening sacrifice
(Prayer continues...)

SILENCE:

(Leader concludes the silence...)

Merciful God, in Christ you make all things new. Transform the poverty of our nature by the riches of your grace, and in the renewal of our lives make known your heavenly glory; through Jesus Christ our Redeemer, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, forever and ever...

THE LORD'S PRAYER

LENTEN HYMN Take, O Take Me as I Am

John L. Bell

(Leader will sing through once, then all repeat three times.)

Take, O take me as I am; — sum-mon out what I shall be; —

set your seal up - on my heart and live in — me. —

THE BENEDICTION:

May the Lord, who is our peace, give us peace at all times and in every way. Amen.

PASS THE PEACE

The Peace of Christ be with you.

And also with you.

(Pass the peace with one another as you leave)

Thank you to Joanne Bendy, Jo Ann Powell, and the youth for their enrichment of our worship this evening.