

**Our Savior's Lutheran Church  
Midweek Lenten Service  
March 11, 2026  
Week 3 - Generosity**



**Led by: Our Savior's Lutheran  
7<sup>th</sup> & 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Confirmation Class**

*"Whoever brings blessing will be enriched, and one who waters will himself be watered."* – Proverbs 11:25

\*Please Stand  
Congregational responses in **bold** print

**WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**\* OPENING PRAYER**

Lord, thank You for giving us everything we have — our lives, our families, our friends, and Your love. Teach us to give freely, without expecting anything in return. Help us to see the needs around us and respond with open hearts. **Amen.**

**ENTRANCE SONG** – "Praise" by Elevation Worship

**FIRST LESSON: PROVERBS 11:24-25**

One gives freely, yet grows all the richer; another withholds what he should give, and only suffers want. Whoever brings blessing will be enriched, and one who waters will himself be watered.

Word of God, Word of life.

**Thanks be to God.**

**PSALM 112:1-5**

**Read Responsively**

Praise the Lord! Blessed are those who fear the Lord, who find great delight in His commands.

**Their children will be mighty in the land; the generation of the upright will be blessed.**

Wealth and riches are in their houses, and their righteousness endures forever.

**Even in darkness light dawns for the upright, for those who are gracious and compassionate and righteous.**

Good will come to those who are generous and lend freely, who conduct their affairs with justice.

**Praise the Lord!**

**SECOND LESSON: LUKE 21:1-4**

Jesus looked up and saw the rich putting their gifts into the offering box, and He saw a poor widow put in two small copper coins. And He said, 'Truly, I tell you, this poor widow has put in more than all of them. For they all contributed out of their abundance, but she out of her poverty put in all she had to live on.'

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**Thanks be to God.**

**\*GOSPEL: LUKE 6:37-38**

**Glory to you, O Lord.**

"Do not judge, and you will not be judged. Do not condemn, and you will not be condemned. Forgive, and you will be forgiven. Give, and it will be given to you. A good measure, pressed down, shaken together and running over, will be poured into your lap. For with the measure you use, it will be measured to you."

The Gospel of our Lord

**Praise to you, O Christ.**

**BASKET OF BLESSINGS**

**\*PRAYERS OF GENEROSITY**

For those who are hungry or without shelter...

**Lord, make us generous.**

For those who feel alone or forgotten...

**Lord, make us generous.**

For our church, that we may serve with joy...

**Lord, make us generous.**

For ourselves, that we may give as You have given to us...

**Lord, make us generous. Amen.**

**OFFERING**

**\*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.**

**SENDING SONG – “What an Awesome God” by Phil Wickham**

**BLESSING & DISMISSAL**

Go in peace, and let your generosity be a reflection of God's love in you.

**Thanks be to God.**

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

Please make your Thrivent Choice dollars donations **before March 31<sup>st</sup>**. You can log onto your Thrivent Account and direct the dollars or call them on the phone at 800-847-4836. **If you wish for your dollars to be designated to a certain ministry or cemetery you must tell your Financial Secretary the amount you donated and where you want the \$ to go.**

### Remembered in Our Prayers:

Kent Hohensee	Kathleen Remmers
Kai Spann	Maxine Trauernicht

**Wednesday Lenten Services will be at 7:00 p.m. on the following days:**

**March 18, 2026**

**March 25, 2026**

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**Maundy Thursday, April 2, 2026 at 7:30 p.m.**

**Good Friday, April 3, 2026 at 7:30 p.m.**

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**EASTER SUNDAY, APRIL 5, 2026**

**8:00 A.M. AT OUR SAVIOR'S**