



**TRUCKEE LUTHERAN PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH**  
**Third Sunday in Lent - March 20, 2022**

**WELCOME AND EXTINGUISHING A CANDLE OF LENT**

Pastor Jeanie Shaw

**PRAYER**

**\* ♪ GATHERING SONG – “Kyrie Eleison”**

Lorelle Banzett and Miriam Hoffmann

**\*PRAYER OF CONFESSION AND WORDS OF ASSURANCE**

Holy One,

**we confess that we have wandered far from you:**

**we have not trusted your promises,**

**we have ignored your prophets in our own day,**

**we have squandered our inheritance of grace,**

**we have failed to recognize you in our midst.**

**Have mercy on us!**

**Forgive us and turn us again to you.**

**Teach us to follow in your ways, assure us again of your love, and help us to love our neighbor. Amen.**

**PRAYER OF ILLUMINATION**

Pastor Joanie Tankersly

**SCRIPTURE READING Psalm 31:1-5, 9-10, 14-18, 21-24 (edited)**

In you, Lord, I have taken refuge; let me never be put to shame;

deliver me in your righteousness.

Turn your ear to me, come quickly to my rescue;

be my rock of refuge, a strong fortress to save me.

Since you are my rock and my fortress, for the sake of your name lead and guide me.

Keep me free from the trap that is set for me, for you are my refuge.

Into your hands I commit my spirit; deliver me, Lord, my faithful God.

Be merciful to me, Lord, for I am in distress; my eyes grow weak with sorrow,  
my soul and body with grief.

My life is consumed by anguish and my years by groaning;

my strength fails because of my affliction, and my bones grow weak.

But I trust in you, Lord; I say, “You are my God.”

My times are in your hands; deliver me from the hands of my enemies,  
from those who pursue me.

Let your face shine on your servant; save me in your unfailing love.

Let me not be put to shame, Lord, for I have cried out to you;

but let the wicked be put to shame and be silent in the realm of the dead.

Praise be to the Lord, for he showed me the wonders of his love  
when I was in a city under siege.  
In my alarm I said, "I am cut off from your sight!"  
Yet you heard my cry for mercy when I called to you for help.  
Love the Lord, all his faithful people!  
Be strong and take heart, all you who hope in the Lord.

**MEDITATION – "Following Jesus in a Time of Crisis"**

Pastor Joanie Tankersley and Rev. John Ortberg

**♪ SONG - "We Pray for Peace"**

Sung by Rev. Casey Carbone

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**DEDICATION OF OFFERINGS AND PRAYER OF GRATITUDE**

Denny Lott

**\*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.

**\* LORD'S PRAYER**

Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your name,  
your kingdom come, your will be done, on earth as in heaven.  
Give us today our daily bread.  
Forgive us our sins as we forgive those who sin against us.  
Save us from the time of trial and deliver us from evil.  
For the kingdom, the power, and the glory are yours, now and forever. Amen.

**\* BENEDICTION**

**\*SENDING**

Go in peace. Jesus meets you on the way!  
Thanks be to God!

**♪ SENDING SONG - "Great God Your Love Has Called Us"**

Lorelle Banzett and Miriam Hoffmann

This morning we have permission to use a video by Pastor, Author, and Speaker, John Ortberg, "Ukraine and Russia and God." John is the Founder of [BecomeNew.Me](https://www.becomeNew.Me), an online resource for personal and spiritual growth. To access this valuable material, text the word "become" to 844-764-1251. For more info, you can click on this link: <https://www.youtube.com/c/BecomeNew>

This is the season of Lent, the 40 days before Easter, a time marked by prayer, bible study, repentance, and walking with Jesus toward Jerusalem. We invite you to check out our website [TLPC.org](http://TLPC.org) for ways you can be involved. And, as a discipline in Lent, we invite all to join us by giving to the ministry of TLPC. **We thank everyone who generously supports this ministry and enables us to be an online worship presence.** Gifts may be made online through our website at [TLPC.org](http://TLPC.org) or mailed to: **Truckee Lutheran Presbyterian Church, PO Box 10620, Truckee, CA 96162**

Our congregation has a heart for missions: locally, nationally, and in God's world. With your support we give to Sierra Community House (Hunger Relief, Crisis Intervention & Prevention, Family Support & Community Engagement, Mediation & Legal Assistance); North Tahoe-Truckee Homeless Services; Healthy Babies; International Health Partners Tanzania; Hands of Hope Zimbabwe; youth service trips to Nicaragua and Alaska; adult disaster trips locally and around the world; and the responsible, vigorous mission work of the Presbyterian Church USA and Evangelical Lutheran Church in America (ELCA) in our nation and world. Additionally, during the pandemic, our congregation has supported local essential workers.

Truckee Lutheran Presbyterian Church is located on the original and ancestral homelands of the Washoe people, and we give thanks for their presence here since time immemorial. We also wish to recognize and honor all our Indigenous siblings who have and continue to call this country their home.



## **JOIN US FOR WEDNESDAY NIGHT LENTEN SOUP SUPPERS**

**5:30 to 6:15 pm at TLPC!**

**An Inspiring Brief Program and Soup To Go!**

*We have a wonderful long tradition of Wednesday evening Soup Suppers during the Lenten season. This year we will hold the Suppers at TLPC with a theme of Matthew 25, "Do it For the Least of These." We will be featuring speakers from the Truckee community who are actively working to feed the hungry, work for justice, and help to protect our environment.*

*Pastor Jeanie will be speaking this week on last year's mission trip to Paradise, CA. She will be showing a short and inspiring film from the trip!*