

The Season of Lent

March 1st, 2015

8:00 AM

The 40 days of Lent are a time for followers of Jesus to consider the great sacrifice of God for the sake of His people. Lent is a time of prayer, reflection and repentance as we journey with Christ to the cross and the empty tomb.

Today the color on the altar and on the banners is purple. Purple is used during this penitential season of Lent as a vivid reminder of the contempt and scorn Jesus endured, and the subsequent sacrifice he made for our eternal salvation. Ecclesiastical purple should remind all Christians of their daily need to humbly give attention to leading a life of repentance.

What you see in church:

Processional

Cross: These crosses have been used since the 4th century. They signal the focus of our worship and the presence of Christ as we gather and depart.

The Pulpit:

This symbolizes the authority of the church to preach the Word of God.

Altar Candles:

Lit candles are a symbol of Christ being the light of the world. In the worship service Christ comes to us in both the Word and in the sacraments.

PASTORAL WELCOME

We also welcome today those watching our service live via our Live Web Stream on the Internet.

SHARING OF GOD'S PEACE

GATHERING HYMN	O Come, All Ye Faithful	LSB# 379
INVOCATION		LSB, p. 184
CONFESSION and ABSOLUTION		LSB, p. 184
KYRIE	Lord, Have Mercy	LSB, p. 186
SALUTATION and COLLECT FOR THE DAY		LSB, p. 189
THE FIRST READING	Isaiah 9:2-7	Page <i>57</i> 3

Reader: This is the Word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.

THE SECOND READING Galatians 4:1-7 Page 974

Reader: This is the Word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.

THE GOSPEL PROCESSION LSB, p. 157

Return to the Lord, your God,

For He is gracious and merciful,

Slow to anger, and abounding in steadfast love,

And abounding in steadfast love.

THE HOLY GOSPEL INTRODUCTION		LSB, p. 190
THE HOLY GOSPEL	Matthew 1:18-25	Page 807
THE GOSPEL PROCESSION		LSB, p. 1 <i>57</i>
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What you see in Church

The Altar:

The altar is a symbol of God's gracious presence in His church. Its significance is that of sacrifice. It signifies primarily the sacrifice of Jesus Christ for the redemption of the world.

The Lord's Table:

This is another name for the altar and is also used for the preparation, consecration, and distribution of the Lord's Supper.

HYMN OF THE DAY Joy to the World LSB# 387

THE SERMON Pastor Harmon

THE OFFERING and OFFERING HYMN

Open Our Eyes King of Glory Choir by Will Macfarlane

At this time, please pass the pew registers, making sure that everyone in attendance has had a chance to sign in. We also have a guest register at the Welcome Center in the Narthex. We rejoice in having you with us!

THE OFFERTORY LSB, p. 192

PRAYER OF THE CHURCH: Please see Prayer Ministry Page

After each petition, the leader will say: "Lord, in Your mercy," and the congregation responds: "Hear our prayer."

THE SERVICE OF THE SACRAMENT LSB, p. 194

DISTRIBUTION HYMNS

O That the Lord Would Guide My Ways
O Sing to the Lord
LSB# 809
POST-COMMUNION CANTICLE Nunc Dimittis
LSB, p. 199
THANKSGIVING
LSB, p. 200
POST-COMMUNION COLLECT
LSB, p. 201
SALUTATION AND BENEDICAMUS
LSB, p. 201
SENDING HYMN
Go Tell It On the Mountain
LSB# 388

Pastor: Go in peace to love and serve the Lord!

People: Thanks be to God!

Scripture: The English Standard Version,
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The Story Weekly Reading Guide The Heart of the Story-Part of the Story 1

The week beginning: Read:

March 1 Chapter 23

March 8 Chapter 24

March 15 Chapter 25



CHRISTIAN EDUCATION DISCIPLESHIP

Grow in Faith and Love

Each week Bible studies are offered in an effort to enable you and equip you to grow in faith and love. Of the many studies offered, each Sunday's and Wednesday's studies are offered as they relate to what is being discussed in the worship services. These studies will enhance your spiritual knowledge and provide you a richer experience in your journey of faith. We invite you and hope to see you.

Sunday Morning Adult Education 8:15 and 9:30 AM Fellowship Hall

Today: Pastor Winterhoff leads our study on Chapter 22.

Next Week: We discuss Chapter 23.

Wednesday Adult Education 9:30 AM and 6:30 PM Fellowship Hall The Story

As we continue our study of *The Story*, come and join our discussion on Chapter 23.

Morning class is at 9:30, or come for dinner at 5:00 and the study at 6:30.

Growing Points Service:

As we continue to meet on Wednesdays for Growing Points, we are in need of people who would be willing to help with set up and clean up for dinner. If you are interested in regularly serving on a Growing Points team, please contact Pastor Adam.



Small Groups

We have 16 Small Groups who have begun studying *The Story*, and many are still accepting people. If you are interested in being in a Small Group but have not signed up for one yet, we still have room for you! Please contact Pastor Hengst for more information.

KING OF GLORY MISSIONS

King of Glory at New Kent: Located at 9120 Pocahontas Trail (Route 60), Providence Forge (directly behind the Food Lion/Rite Aid Shopping Center). Visit kogva-newkent.org or call 804-966-5525. Worship services at 11:15 AM and 6 PM.

King of Glory is a Stephen Ministry Congregation. To learn about this Lay Ministry, contact one of our leaders: Rev. Phil Kuehnert, Jon Falck, Judy Kuehnert, Lynn Miller, or Joy Sawhill.

For more information about our extensive care ministries, contact Pastor Adam Hengst at: a.hengst@kogva.org.

ANNOUNCEMENTS:



Connect to God and His people; Live through Service and Sharing.

TODAY!

Call Service Today, March 1, 2015
following the 11:00 AM service (12:30
PM) to prayerfully consider extending a
call for the Director of Worship and
Arts. Please make every effort to
attend the meeting, join in prayer, and
prayerfully consider extending a call.

The Season of Lent: Throughout the season of Lent, Alleluia and the the Hymn of Praise are omitted from the worship service as we use the season of Lent to acknowledge our sinfulness and our deep and eternal need for God. We will raise the Alleluias again on Easter Sunday.

Raffle to support From His Hands: You could win a golf package, including a round of golf in the FHH golf tournament on 4/17, a goody bag, and much more, for a value of \$89. Raffle runs Feb. 15 thru Mar. 1. \$1 per ticket; bundle discounts available up to \$10 for 15 tickets or 50 tickets for \$25. All proceeds support From His Hands Ministry, which serves hot meals to the hungry and homeless. Contact John Gregoire with any questions, johngregoire185@hotmail.com.

Out to Lunch Bunch: Next meeting is March 3 at Plaza Azteca, 1430 High St, at 11:30 AM. Please call Darlene Dewall at 757-345-2720 by March 2nd for reservations.

Prayer Shawl Ministry, March 14, 9 AM: The monthly meeting of the Prayer Shawl Meeting is coming up. New members are always welcome! Contact Sheila Heim with any questions: 208-0304.

Items of Interest: March Items of Interest were e-mailed this past week. Hard copies are available at the Welcome Center.

Volunteers Needed

The Community Winter Shelter ends for this Winter in mid-March. KOG has support duty on Monday

Check-in through Wednesday Check-out (March 9th thru 11th). We still need volunteers to cover a number of shifts. Please check the Sign-up Sheet at the Welcome Center. If you have previously signed up, please be sure your email address and phone number are correct. And if your plans have changed, please mark your name off the list. Thank you.

FISH is in need of people who are willing to drive people to medical appointments around town. As many of you know, Faith in Action does this, but they only do so for Seniors. This would be specifically for the younger members of our community. If you are interested, please contact Sue Voigt, at svoigt1@cox.net.

Growing Points team: We need some folks willing to help set up and clean up before and after Growing Points each week. The larger the team, the fewer times per year each member needs to help! Please contact Pastor Hengst if you are willing to serve in this way.



Thanks of the Week

We appreciate the donations of vases to the Flower Ministry. Thank you!

To all who will attend the Director of Music and Worship Arts Call Service today at 12:30 PM

To the members of the Call Committee: Cecie Adolphi, Dan Scungio, Claire Partlow, Mason

McLean, Jay Floyd

LOOKING AHEAD:

FOLKS St. Patrick's day program, Tuesday March 17, 11:30 AM in the Fellowship Hall: "Retirement Living Transitions" is the theme, and there will be 4 speakers from Williamsburg area businesses. Don't miss this valuable information! A sign-up sheet will be in the narthex by the Welcome Center. A free-will offering will be taken to cover food costs.

Golf Tournament to support From His Hands Ministry, Friday, April 17, 2015: From His Hands is having its inaugural fundraising golf tournament to be held at Stonehouse Golf Club in Toano. The proceeds will be used to feed the hungry and homeless in the greater Williamsburg community. From His Hands partners with 16 local churches along with the Salvation Army, Westgate Resorts, The Wade family and 3e Restoration. Its mission is to serve the hungry in our community, serving in Christ's name to glorify God. Since it began in 2005, From His Hands has served over 45,000 meals. Now there are over 10,000 meals served on a yearly basis. All the people involved in this ministry are

10,000 meals served on a yearly basis. All the people involved in this ministry are volunteers with an executive committee that oversees its operations. From His Hands is solely funded by donations from churches, organizations, and individuals.

Anyone interested in playing in the golf tournament can register at www.uwgw.org/fromhishands. Local businesses interested in being a sponsor of the tournament can contact John Gregoire at 757-506-9192 or johngregoire185@hotmail.com.

The Sometimes Forgotten Stories of Lent

This Lenten Season, travel with those mostly forgotten folk whose stories were radically changed because they were involved in The Story. This Wednesday, is the story of Nicodemus.

March 4 — 10:45 AM Matins 7:30 PM: Holden Evening Prayer "The Story of Simon from Cyrene"

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LCEF empowers ministries through its support services and customized loans. King of Glory is blessed to be in partnership with LCEF and as members, we too can support LCEF by investing. LCEF offers a variety of investment opportunities with ConnectPLUS (3% on 2-year term), PartnerPLUS (2% or 2.5% on 2 or 4-year terms) and the popular Young Investors (Y.I.) Club for kids (3.5% on the first \$1,000). For more information or for an application, please visit lcef.org or contact the district office at 800-637-5723.

YOUTH AND FAMILY

Sunday School: 9:30-10:30AM

Sunday School

No need to pre-register,

simply ensure all of your information is upto-date in My KoG. All children should have a complete birthdate (Month/Day/Year) in order to sign in. Check-In Stations are located in the Preschool Wing and outside of the Nursery room.

High School Bible Study meets in the Youth Room.

T.A.G. (Teens And God, 5th-8th grade) meets in Life Enrichment Rooms 3 & 4.

3rd & 4th Grades meet in Life Enrichment Rooms 1 & 2.

3 year olds, 4 year olds & Kindergarteners, 1st & 2nd graders all meet in the preschool wing.

Wednesday Night Ministries follow the Growing Points schedule and School Holiday schedule.

Every Wednesday in Lent we have a 7:30PM worship service.

Wednesday evenings:

KidsZone 1-4 grades: Meet in the preschool hallway





Connect 5+6 grades: Meet in the Annex

CDT 7/8 grades: Meet in Life Enrichment Rooms 3 & 4





HSYG 9-12 grades: Meet in the Youth Room

First Communion Bible Study: Meet in Life Enrichment Rooms 1 & 2 at 6:15PM.

Work Camp Huddles:

Sunday, March 15: all participants should attend & be dressed to work. "Fast Lunch" will be served (pizza/subs/something of this nature). Start time: 12:30 PM. End Time: 2:30 PM. Pay online for lunch or bring \$5.00 Sunday, April 19: all participants should attend & be dressed to work. "Fast Lunch" will be served (pizza/subs/something of this nature). Start time: 12:30 PM. End Time: 2:30 PM. Pay online for lunch or bring \$5.00

PRESCHOOL AND KINDERGARTEN







King of Glory Preschool and Kindergarten is now enrolling for the 2014-15 school year.

King of Glory School has educational programming for children ages 2 through 5. The school offers half- and full-day programs.

We are excited to announce the addition of a Summer Session, which will offer full-day summer preschool starting in June 2015. We offer additional half-day and full-day programs which will start in the fall.

With all of this winter weather don't forget to start thinking about summer camps! King of Glory Preschool will be announcing Summer Camp Sessions next week.

Please visit our web site at www.kogpk.org for more information.

Children's Consignment Sale (Our sale is open to all families to consign, volunteer and shop.)
Shopping Hours:
Friday, March 6, 2015 11am* - 7pm
(*Get in at 10:00am with a Jar of Peanut Butter for FISH)
Saturday, March 7, 2015 8am - Noon

Great selection of new and gently used seasonal children's clothing (newborn to teen), maternity clothing, nursery and children's furniture, room accessories, baby equipment, strollers, high chairs, toys, books, videos, puzzles, games, and bikes.

Volunteer with us! Volunteers working 4 hours get to shop EARLY before the sale opens.

Our sale is the ONLY non-profit children's consignment sale in Williamsburg. Prior to the sale we give out gift certificates to families in need.

100% of our profit is donated around town. Past benefactors are Avalon Families, FISH, Grove Christian Outreach Center, Storybook Connection, CHKD, Old Town Medical Center, CASA – Court Appointed Special Advocates, local youth clubs and teams raising funds for their needs, King of Glory Preschool and Youth, MOPS program, AGAPE, Families hurt by natural disasters, and Crisis Pregnancy Center.

Feast Day— Week of March 1 March 7 Perpetua and Felicity, Martyrs

Saints Perpetua and Felicity probably were martyred in the year 203. The Greek word "martyr" means "witness," so all the martyred soldiers of the cross were understood as witnesses to faith in the Lord Jesus Christ by being willing to suffer death rather than renounce Him. Perpetua was a married noblewoman, said to have been 22 years old at the time of her death, and mother of an infant whom she was still nursing. Felicity, a slave imprisoned with her and pregnant at the time, was martyred with her after she had given birth. They were put to death along with others at Carthage in North Africa. The Passion of St. Perpetua, St. Felicitas, and their Companions is one of the oldest and most notable early Christian texts. It survives in both Latin and Greek forms, and purports to contain the actual prison diary of the young mother and her fellow martyr, Perpetua. Scholars generally believe that it is authentic, although in the form we have it, it may have been

edited by others. The text also purports to contain, in his own words, the accounts of the visions of Saturus, another Christian martyred with Perpetua. An editor, who states he was an eyewitness, has added accounts of the martyrs' suffering and deaths. On the day of the games, the martyrs were led into the amphitheater. At the demand of the crowd they were first scourged before a line of gladiators; then a boar, a bear, and a leopard were set on the men, and a wild cow on the women. Wounded by the wild animals, they gave each other the kiss of peace and were then put to the sword. The text describes Perpetua's death as follows: "But Perpetua, that she might have some taste of pain, was pierced between the bones and shrieked out: and when the swordsman's hand wandered still (for he was a novice), herself set it upon her own neck. Perchance so great a woman could not else have been slain." Their names mean "constancy" and "joy."

MUSIC:

CHOIR MINISTRY AT KOG Singing Praises to God!

Children's Choir 9:30 2nd Sunday of March Rehearsals—Wednesdays at 5:00

Youth Chorale

9:30 Service on 4th Sunday in March Rehearsals Wednesdays and/or Fridays at 5:00 PM

King of Glory Choir

8:00 Service on 2nd and 4th Sundays 9:30 Service on 1st, 3rd, and 5th Sundays in March

Rehearsals through March are
Wednesdays at 6:00
and include rehearsing the *Gloria* by
Antonio Vivaldi. For more information
contact Mim Hettler, 564-5858.

New members always welcome

Help needed—Lost DVDs: It is my role as a member of the Media Team to create the audio podcast files for our sermons and Bible studies, which can be accessed under the Media Tap (PODCASTS) on the KOG webpage (www.kogva.org).

We have master DVDs going back as far as December 10, 2005. However, we are missing DVDs for a significant chunk of time, the period between June 22, 2006 and November 23, 2008. There are no master DVDs for that time frame. Pastor George Lobien was a pastor during that "lost" period, and so I pray that some of you may have copies of some of those missing DVDs from those dates. Please check to see if you might have any DVD recordings from this time period, and also share this request with any others who may have had access to them. If you can find any DVDs, please bring them to the church so I can make a copy and we can preserve that time period in our archive files. Of course any DVD copies will be returned to you.

Thank you! —Larry Van Doren, illini60929@yahoo.com



A note about the weather: What a winter! Thank you for your patience and support as we have had to cancel activities and close the church for everyone's safety. Our policy for the past several years has been to follow the WJCC School System's

lead on closing. If the local schools deem the roads dangerous enough to close or delay, then King of Glory also closes or delays. This is simply for your safety. If you are unsure about whether the church will be open, check the local news outlets for WJCC closings and delays; you may also want to check your email for the latest e-blast announcement from KOG, our website at www.kogva.org, our Facebook page, or our Twitter account.

TODAY'S SERVANTS IN GOD'S HOUSE, MARCH 1ST

Service Coordinator: Darrel Tassara 10:45 AM (Family Worship):

8:00 AM: Common Cup: TBD Individual Cup: TBD

Acolyte & Crucifer: Harry Grimes, Jacob Water Blessing: TBD

Rogers AV Booth: TBD

Readers: Jim Doebler, Paul Lensch Service Leader: TBD

Greeters: TBD Ushers: TBD

Ushers: Jon Falck, Pete Blair Music: Family Praise Band

Communion Assistant: Cathy Edmonds

Live Stream: TBD 11:00 AM:

Music: KoG Choir Acolyte & Crucifer: Kyle Sislak

Readers: Ed Losty, Carolyn Francis
9:30 AM:
Greaters: Ev and Jim Brown

9:30 AM: Greeters: Ev and Jim Brown
Acolyte & Crucifer: Nick Gosselin, Wes Ushers: Sonya Woo, Darrel Tassara

Newman Communion Assistants: Rhett Woo, Deborah

Readers: Susan Bookless, Karen Peifer Woo, Michelle Clauberg

Greeters: Jeanne and Larry Lubbs Live Stream: TBD

Ushers: Paul Anderson, Fred Atzrodt
Communion Assistants: Adam Kinsman, Laura

Austral Projection: TBD

Music: Praise Band Kinsman, Esther Johnson, James Judson

Live Stream: TBD Wednesday 5:30 PM

Liturgy Projection: TBD Live Stream: TBD

Flower Visitation Ministry: Delois Robinson,

Welcome Center: Caroline Peters, Alison and

Pers Fuller, Rob Enko

Ross Fuller, Bob Enko

Sandra Brehl

Altar Guild: Kay Hoff, Faith Staples

Coffee Fellowship: Sargent family

WORDS TO LIVE BY:

"Every good gift and every perfect gift is from above, coming down from the Father"

-James 1:17

NOTES: