

"NO TURNING BACK!"

TEXT: John 18:1-4; Matt. 26:30-35

THEME: "Up to Jerusalem"

Matt.26:30 – *"When they had sung a HYMN, they went out to the Mount of Olives."*

NOTE: This hymn would have consisted of Psalm 113 – _____ .
It was called the "HALLEL" – which means _____ .

The Kidron Valley – On the East Side of Jerusalem.
The valley was about _____ ' below the gate of the city.

CROSSING THE KIDRON VALLEY

I. JESUS' VALLEY OF _____ –
Jn. 18:1 KJV – *"When Jesus had spoken these words, He _____
_____ with His disciples over the brook Kidron,"*

A. Judas _____ the Place –
John 18:2,3 –

B. Jesus _____ that Judas Would Betray Him –
John 13:27; Lk. 22:21

Example: Jesus praying in the Garden of Gethsemane –
"NOT AS I WILL" = HIS _____
"BUT AS YOU WILL" = HIS _____

II. _____ VALLEY OF DECISION –

A. No One is a Christian by _____
Ps. 51:5

B. No One is a Christian by _____
Mt. 3:9

C. No One Becomes a Christian by His/Her Own _____
Matt. 26:31-35

III. THE VALLEY OF DECISION FOR ALL _____ –
Joel 3:2, 12-16

Valley of Jehoshaphat = The _____ Valley

– Announcements –

Sioux Empire's Largest Baby Shower: The following items are being collected for the Alpha Center in Sioux Falls: Girls size 2T-3T Pull-ups; Diapers of all sizes; baby clothing; a double stroller; carseat/stroller combo; an exersaucer; money can be designated for the larger items. Please have items to the church by Sunday, April 3rd. Thanks!

Easter Non-Perishable Drive: The Menno FCCLA is hosting a Drive for the Bethany Food Pantry. You may bring the following items by April 10th: Canned Coffee, Laundry Detergent, Toothpaste, Toothbrushes, Hand Lotion, Shampoo/Conditioner, Kleenex, Toilet Paper and Paper Towels.

Swan Lake Christian Camps: The Women of the Church are willing to help with a portion of the expense for our children to attend. Contact one of the W.O.C. Officers for more information. See Camp Dates in the Narthex!

M/O Easter Cantata Rehearsals: Tues., March 29th at Grace Lutheran
Tues./Thurs. April 5th & 7th at Salem Reformed Church

– Lenten Services –

Lenten Service, Wed., March 30th @ 7:00 p.m.
(with High School Youth Assisting)

Mundy Thursday, April 14th @ 7:00 p.m.
(with Holy Communion)

PRAYER CONCERNS AND JOYS OF SALEM REFORMED CHURCH

***The Family of Rev. Bruce Herrboldt**, a son of our congregation, brother of Richard Herrboldt. Bruce passed away unexpectedly in a tragic accident this past Thursday, March 21st. Funeral Arrangements are pending.

***Kayleen Aisenbrey**, as she is scheduled for left hip replacement surgery tomorrow, March 28th, in Sioux Falls.

*We pray for all of our **Care Center Residents and Assisted Living Residents** as well as the **Staff** who work so hard in caring for them.

***Alton Herrboldt**, ***Dylan Hofer**, ***Oliver Hollinsworth**, ***Lonnie Graber**, ***Scott Plath**, ***Tyler Ulmer**, ***Bill Headley**, ***David Walloch**, ***Jennifer Bierle**, ***Glenda Walker**, ***Pat Pommerville**, ***Les Mehlhaff**, ***Delmar/Betty Janke**, as these individuals are in various stages in their battle against cancer and/or other health struggles. We praise the Lord for His Power that is mightily at work within each one, giving them strength day by day!

***Travis Gramkow** (U.S. Navy – Virginia), ***Aaron Helgersen** (U.S. Navy – Florida), ***Katie (Schultz) Paulsen** (U.S. Air Force – Brussels, Belgium), ***Patrick Ireland** (U.S. Army Chaplain – Ft. Bliss, TX), ***Tyler J. Brandt** (U.S. Army – Korea), ***Logan Schmidt** (U.S. Navy – San Antonio, TX), ***Troy Heckenlaible**, ***Derek Fischer**, ***Dan Wonnemberg**, ***Katie Huber**, ***Trevor Bertsch**, ***John Neth**, ***Chad Boettcher** (Army National Guard), ***Lee Heckenlaible**, ***Carmen Taylor**, ***Jennifer Masterson**, ***Brett Andersen**, ***Evan Wintersteen** (Air National Guard), ***Corbin Auch**, ***Travis Brandt**, ***Jayme Schaaf** (U.S. Army – Poland), ***Jake Haider** (U.S. Army – Germany), ***Alex Olson** (U.S. Navy), ***Alex Ulmer** (U.S. Marines), ***Cameron Christensen** (U.S. Army – Belgium, Germany) – we pray for God's protection over all in who serve in our Military!