

SALEM REFORMED CHURCH

Menno, South Dakota

Rev. Michael Hecht
Joan Nusz

Pastor
Pianist

7:00 PM – Worship Service

March 22, 2023

Mid-Week Lenten Service

Meditation: *"The Sovereign LORD has opened my ears, and I have not been rebellious; I have not drawn back. I offered my back to those who beat me, my cheeks to those who pulled out my beard; I did not hide my face from mocking and spitting."*

Isaiah 50:5,6 NIV

Prelude Music:

Joan Nusz

Ringling of the Bell

Welcome/ Announcements

Opening Prayer –

Joslynn Fischer

Heidelberg Catechism #1 –

Hunter Masterson

***Hymn: #310 "Lead Me to Calvary"**

Heidelberg Catechisms #37–39: High School Youth Group

Chorus: #52 "All In All" High School Youth and Congregation

Heidelberg Catechisms #40–43:

(Lexie McNinch, Madison Schaeffer, Taylor Freier)

Kingdom Kids: "Jesus Is Our Life Savior"

(Blake Rames and Halle Van Hove)

Special Music: "He Looked Beyond My Fault"

(Standing By Faith Quartet)

Scripture Reading:

Mark 15:15–20

Maveric Smith

Large Print NIV 1583 Edition, pg. 1886

Sermon: "The Torture of the King"

Hymn: #49 "Above All" (praise book)

Special Prayer Offered:

Hayden McNinch

Our Time of Offering

Invitation to Give Rylan Derby John 18:37 NIV

Doxology sung on page #815

***Lord's Prayer** Cody Fischer (debts and debtors)

***Hymn: #343 "Amazing Grace"**

***Benediction**

Bryce Sattler

Postlude (*denotes standing for those able)

The congregation will be ushered out after the Benediction.

– Youth Ushers –

Morgan Freier, Lexie McNinch, Madison Schaeffer

Office Hours for Pastor Hecht:

Tuesday – Friday: 8:00 AM to Noon (Church Office)

Afternoons: Visitation or Church Office

Church: 387-5334

Parsonage: 387-2855

Pastor Mike's Cell #: (605) 660-1803

Church Web Page: SalemReformedChurch.com

Opportunities

Greeters Tonight: Ryan/Cassie Wielenga and Family

Greeters March 26th: Brian and Amber Cross

Greeters April 02nd:

Sunday Prayer Time: 8:30 a.m.

Sunday School: 9:15 a.m.

Praise Music: 10:15 a.m.

Worship Service: 10:30 a.m.

Announcements

Welcome: We extend a warm welcome to our visiting guests this evening. Please sign our guest registry in the narthex. We ask God's blessing upon you and we pray that you will return and worship with us again soon.

Special Thanks: THANKS to our High School Youth Group for helping lead in our worship service this evening! Thanks to our Youth Advisors – Matt/Trishia Fischer and Scott/Amy Nusz for all that they do throughout the year in working with our youth!

Easter Lilies in Memory of Loved Ones: On Easter Sunday, April 9th, we have the opportunity to place Easter Lilies in the sanctuary in memory of departed loved ones. Please contact the florist of your choice if you desire to give a plant this year.

M/O Easter Cantata: The Easter Cantata will be performed on Palm Sunday, April 2nd at 7:00 p.m. at Salem Reformed Church. The cantata is under the direction of Martin Sieverding. The final two practices will be next week, Tues., March 28th and Friday, March 31st @ 7:30 p.m. at Salem Reformed Church.

FCA Spring Banquet: The Menno H.S. Fellowship of Christian Athletes will plan to hold their Spring Banquet on Sunday, March 26th at 6:00 p.m., in the Menno City Auditorium. Guest Speaker will be Ashley Fischer, a former gymnast and current marketing manager with Beck Seed Company.

Cherub Choir: The Cherub Choir will be singing in church on Palm Sunday, April 2nd. Please have your children at church promptly by 9:15 a.m. and ready to practice their songs.