## Sunday, March 20, 2022 Third Sunday in Lent

Praise the Lord! Praise God in His sanctuary; praise Him in His mighty expanse. Praise Him for His mighty deeds; praise Him according to His excellent greatness. Let everything that has breath praise the Lord. Praise the Lord! Psalm 150:1-2, 6

Prelude

Welcome

Hymns #727 "Faith is the Victory"

Scripture Readings: Romans 3:27-31 Ephesians 2:8-10

Confession of Faith- Acts 22:6-15

Pastoral Prayer

"Graves Into Gardens" "King of My Heart" "God You're So Good"

Children dismissed for Children's Church

Sermon- "FAITH ALIVE" James 2:14-19

The Benediction

Hymn #436 "Freely, Freely"

Postlude



The flowers on the altar are in gratitude to God for his faithfulness through the last year! It has been a hard year, but it is amazing to see Him work good through our trials!

## Helmar Lutheran Church

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## This Week at Helmar...

- Wed. 6:30am Men's Bible Study @ Southern Belle's
  4-6:30pm After School Youth Group
  6:30pm Lenten Service
- Thurs. 7:00pm Grief Share
- Fri. 9:00am Ladies Prayer Hour
- Sat. 8:00am Men's Bible Study
- Sun. 8:30am Fellowship Time 9:00am Sunday School 10am Worship 4:00pm Worship Choir Practice.

There are offering boxes as you enter/exit the sanctuary for your tithes and offerings



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FAITH ALIVE! James 2:14-19

James provides teaching regarding the relationship between faith and works. This is an area where many people are confused. However, the topic is most important for spiritual life. Let's consider the message James gives us in three parts.

I. An \_\_\_\_\_. (v. 14)

II. An \_\_\_\_\_. vv. 15-17)

III. An \_\_\_\_\_. (vv. 18-19)

## Announcements

Bulletins will be on the website under sermons only.

**Door Offering today** for Ukraine Crisis Fund. Tomasz and Miriam Chmiel missionaries with Josiah Venture are ministering to the refugees that are fleeing Ukraine.

**Palm Sunday, April 10**– You're all invited to enjoy a Palm Sunday breakfast hosted by the Helmar Youth from 8:15-9:30am in the FLC. Please plan your morning accordingly to have your children in their SS classrooms by 9:00am SHARP as they will be practicing for the processional with palm branches. They will stay with their class and return to you when the processional is done. Those not attending S.S. are asked to arrive before 9:30 to give the Youth time to do a little clean up and also attend church service.

**Actention Bible Campers**- Family Bible Camp is July 24th-28th and our Church Council has once again approved helping you with camp expenses. Your out of pocket cost will now be \$75. per camper for the camp week. For families your cost will be \$150 total, no matter the number of children. If you are interested, please let either Kristen Mathre or Tyler Wiesbrook know so we can coordinate the payment through the church. Brochures will be available soon at the Welcome Center.

**FYI**....Sue will be taking next week off. Sheila Mathre will be filling in for her. Please email all Prayer Chain and Announcement requests to helmarlutheran@gmail.com and Kristen will check emails once a day.

**FLBC Concert Choir** will be performing at Helmar on Monday, April 11th at 6:30pm