

FOURTH SUNDAY OF LENT

MARCH 10, 2024 | 10:15 A.M.

PREPARATION & PRAISE

Prelude: "What Wondrous Love"
"Were You There?"

J. Rouse
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Welcome and Announcements

ENTER HIS GATES WITH THANKSGIVING

Call to Worship:

Psalm 78:2-4

Prayer of the Day:

God of grace, you have given us minds to know you, hearts to love you, and voices to sing your praise. Fill us with your Spirit, and plant your truth deep in us that we may celebrate your glory and worship you in spirit and in truth through Jesus Christ, our Lord. Amen.

* Hymn: "How Great Is Our God"

* God's Greeting:

based on Galatians 1:3-5

CONFESSION & PRAYER

Call to Confession:

Matthew 12:33-35

God's Will for Our Lives:

PH p. 1017

Prayer of Confession

Hymn "When I Survey the Wondrous Cross"

PH 384

Assurance of Pardon:

Philippians 1:9-11

Congregational Prayer

THE SERVICE OF THE WORD

* Hymn: "We Will Extol You, God and King"

Prayer for Illumination

Sermon: *Plant a Tree*

Genesis 21:32-34 (p. 19)

* Hymn: "The Ends of All the Earth Shall Hear"

PH 542

OUR RESPONSE OF GRATITUDE

Offertory Prayer

for the General Fund &
Net of Compassion

* Confession of Faith:

Heidelberg Catechism Q&A 1 (PH p. 861)

BLESSING & DISMISSAL

* Benediction:

Romans 16:25-27

* Doxology: "Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow"

PH 637

Postlude: "My Savior's Love"

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**Indicates congregation stands, as able*

Minister: Rev. Joel Vande Verken

Liturgists: Bill Groot

Piano: Laurie Vander Baan

Prayer of the Day adapted from Worship Sourcebook 1.4.29