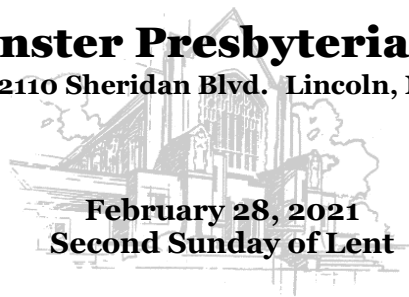


# Westminster Presbyterian Church

2110 Sheridan Blvd. Lincoln, NE



February 28, 2021  
Second Sunday of Lent

Prelude

John Ross, organ

Welcome

Rev. Chris Peters

## Call to Worship (Psalm 22:23-27)

Deacon Faye Moulton

You who fear the Lord, praise God! Stand in awe, you children of Israel!

***God did not hide from me, but heard when I cried to the Lord.***

The poor shall eat and be satisfied; those who seek God shall praise the Lord.

***All the ends of the earth shall remember and turn to the Lord; and all the families of the nations shall worship before God.***

***\*Hymn #39 Great is Thy Faithfulness***

## Call to Confession

### Time of Silent Confession

### Unison Prayer of Confession

***Merciful God, we confess that we are not always sincere in our faith. We speak of your covenant from generation to generation, yet we live with a me-first attitude. We claim to follow Jesus but have not taken his path of sacrificial love. We profess to be disciples, but we are not willing to bear the cost of discipleship. We affirm the virtue of self-denial, but we indulge our selfish desires and seek earthly gain. Forgive us, we pray. Free us for sincere repentance through Jesus Christ, our Lord. Amen.***

### Response to the Confession

***#471 O Lord, hear my prayer. O Lord, hear my prayer.  
When I call, answer me.  
O Lord, hear my prayer. O Lord, hear my prayer.  
Come and listen to me.<sup>1</sup>***

### Assurance of Forgiveness

***In Jesus Christ, we are a new creation!***

### \*Response of Praise

***#577 Kyrie eleison. Kyrie eleison.  
Kyrie eleison. Kyrie eleison.  
Lord, have mercy. Lord, have mercy.  
Lord, have mercy. Lord, have mercy.***

*\*You are invited to stand in body or spirit.*

## Children's Chat

Rev. Chris Peters

## *Special Music*

## Prayer for Illumination

## Scripture

**Gospels    Genesis 17:1-8, 15-16**

The Word of the Lord. *Thanks be to God.*

## Sermon "Covenant"

Rev. Chris Peters

**\*Hymn #41        O Worship the King, All Glorious Above**

## Prayers of the People

Deacon Faye Moulton

The Lord be with you.

***And also with you.***

Lift up your hearts.

***We lift them to the Lord.***

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

***It is right to give our thanks and praise.***

## The Lord's Prayer

***Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name; thy kingdom come, thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread and forgive us our debts as we forgive our debtors, and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory forever. Amen.***

## \*Charge & Benediction

## Postlude

John Ross, organ

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The flowers in the sanctuary are given to the glory of God and in thanksgiving for the leadership of Pastor Chris, from the Westminster Pastor Nominating Committee (PNC).