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Third Sunday in Lent – Saturday, March 7<sup>th</sup>, 5 p.m. &  
Sunday, March 8<sup>th</sup>, 9 a.m.

Divine Service, Setting One, p. 151  
Hymns: 666, 533, 659, 618, 619, 805  
Sermon: “Jesus, the Conqueror of Satan”  
Text: Luke 11:14-28

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**Welcome guests!** We are glad that you are here and pray that you will be blessed through the hearing of Christ’s Word. We invite you to sign the guest register in the narthex before you leave and to worship with us again!

**Guests and the Lord’s Supper** - Out of faithfulness to our Lord’s Word and in love for all those who desire to commune, we practice closed communion. Our altar is open to those baptized Christians who confess oneness with us in doctrine, are communicant members of our congregation or sister congregations of the Lutheran Church Missouri Synod and are not under church discipline in another congregation. **If you are not a member of the Lutheran Church Missouri Synod, please speak to Pastor Koch before approaching the altar.**

Saturday Attendance: 25                      Communed: 21  
Sunday Attendance: 54                      Communed: 43  
Midweek Lenten Vespers: 44

Weekly Amount Needed for Budget: \$ 4,893.27  
Amount Received Last Week: \$12,904.53

**THIS WEEK AT MT. ZION**

LADIES’ GUILD	TUESDAY	1:00 PM
LENTEN SUPPER	WEDNESDAY	5:30 PM
LENTEN VESPERS	WEDNESDAY	6:30 PM
ZOOM BIBLE STUDY	THURSDAY	7:00 PM
PRIVATE ABSOLUTION–	SATURDAY	4:15-4:45 PM
	SUNDAY	8:15-8:45 AM
DIVINE SERVICE–	SATURDAY	5:00 PM
	SUNDAY	9:00 AM
SUNDAY SCHOOL –	SUNDAY	10:20 AM
VOTERS’ MEETING	SUNDAY	10:20 AM

**Easter Flowers** – Today (Sunday) is the last day to sign up to donate flowers for Easter. See the chart in the hallway. Thank you for helping to beautify our altar in celebration of the resurrection!

**Our Quarterly Voters’ Meeting** will take place next Sunday, March 15<sup>th</sup>, immediately following divine service. All members 18 and older are encouraged to attend.

**March Resources** – The March calendar and Daily Bible Readings are available on the narthex table.

**Portals of Prayer** – The April through June edition is now available in the narthex.

**Easter Breakfast** will be served on Sunday, April 5<sup>th</sup>, from 8-8:45 a.m. As in recent years, there will be **no charge, and no tickets are needed.** Please sign up on the sheet in the hallway or online so we will know how many will be attending.

**Easter Breakfast Donations and Volunteers** - We are looking for some helpers to set up on Saturday, April 4<sup>th</sup> at 9:00 a.m. for the Easter Breakfast and to help on Sunday morning. Please sign up on the sheet in the hallway or online if you can serve or help with cleaning up. We are also in need of food donations, including fresh fruit. If you can donate fruit, please have it to the kitchen by 9:00 a.m. on Saturday, April 4<sup>th</sup>. You do not need to cut it up. Thank you!

**Karaoke for Christian Hymns** - You can sing hymns like “The Angel Gabriel,” “Silent Night,” “This Joyful Eastertide,” “The Day of Resurrection,” “Come Holy Ghost, Creator Blest” and more. Lutheran Public Radio has produced YouTube videos of more than 55 hymns featuring the Lutheran Public Radio Choir. Sing along at [lutheranpublicradio.org/karaoke](http://lutheranpublicradio.org/karaoke).

**Focus on Stewardship** - *Luke 11:21–22* – “*When a strong man, fully armed, guards his own palace, his goods are safe; but when one stronger than he attacks him and overcomes him, he takes away his armor in which he trusted and divides his spoil.*” Jesus has disarmed Satan in a most unusual way: He has disarmed him by allowing Satan to cast all his weapons into Jesus. Satan has nothing left to attack us with — he spent it all on Jesus. And now Jesus is our stronger man. He guards and keeps us and ours. We have none to fear.

**Give Your Offering** or special donation online by scanning this QR code or by going to [MountZionGreenfield.org](http://MountZionGreenfield.org) and clicking on the “Offerings” link.



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### About Today's Readings

Jesus is accused of doing evil when in fact He is doing good. He casts out a demon from a mute man so that he is able to speak (Luke 11:14–28). But some said Jesus did this by the power of Beelzebub, Satan. Like Pharaoh of old, their hearts were hard (Ex. 8:16–24). They did not recognize the finger of God, the power of the Holy Spirit at work in and through Jesus. Jesus is the Stronger Man who overcomes the strong man. He takes the devil's armor of sin and death and destroys it from the inside out by the holy cross. He exorcizes and frees us by water and the Word. We were once darkness, but now we are light in Christ the Lord (Eph. 5:1–9). As children of light, our tongues are loosed to give thanks to Him who saved us.