The First Sunday in Lent March 6, 2022 * 9:00am



The Word of God

GREAT LITANY

All stand. The People respond with the words in bold.

I. Holy God, Creator of heaven and earth. Have mercy on us. Holy and Mighty, Redeemer of the world, Have mercy on us. Holy Immortal One, Sanctifier of the faithful, Have mercy on us. Holy, blessed and glorious Trinity, One God, Have mercy on us.

II.

From all evil and mischief; from pride, vanity and hypocrisy; from envy, hatred and malice; and from all evil intent.

Savior deliver us.

From sloth, worldliness and love of money; from hardness of heart and contempt for your word and your laws,

Savior deliver us.

From sins of body and mind; from deceits of the world, flesh and the devil,

Savior deliver us.

From famine and disaster; from violence, murder, and dying unprepared,

Savior deliver us.

In all times of sorrow; in all times of joy; in the hour of our death and at the day of judgment, Savior deliver us.

By the mystery of your holy incarnation; by your birth, childhood and obedience; by your baptism, fasting and temptation,

Savior deliver us.

By your ministry in word and work; by your mighty acts of power; by the preaching of your reign,

Savior deliver us.

By your agony and trial; by your cross and passion; by your precious death and burial,

Savior deliver us.

By your mighty resurrection; by your glorious ascension; and by your sending of the Holy Spirit, **Savior deliver us**.

III.

Hear our prayers, O Christ our God.

Hear us, O Christ.

Govern and direct your holy Church; fill it with love and truth; and grant it that unity which is your will.

Hear us, O Christ.

Give us boldness to preach the gospel in all the world, and to make disciples of all the nations. Hear us, O Christ.

Enlighten your bishops, priests and deacons, especially our Bishop John Taylor, with knowledge and understanding, that by their teaching and their lives they may proclaim your word.

Hear us, O Christ.

Give your people grace to witness to your word and bring forth the fruit of your Spirit.

Hear us, O Christ.

Bring into the way of truth all who have erred and are deceived.

Hear us, O Christ.

Strengthen those who stand; comfort and help the fainthearted; raise up the fallen; and finally beat down Satan under our feet.

Hear us, O Christ.

IV.

Guide the leaders of the nations into the ways of peace and justice.

Hear us, O Christ.

Give your wisdom and strength to Joe Biden, the President of the United States, Gavin Newsom the Governor of California, that in all things they may do your will, for your glory and the common good.

Hear us, O Christ.

Give to the Congress of the United States, the members of the President's Cabinet, those who serve in our state legislature, and all others in authority the grace to walk always in the ways of truth.

Hear us, O Christ.

Bless the justices of the Supreme Court and all those who administer the law, that they may act with integrity and do justice for all your people.

Hear us, O Christ.

Give us the will to use the resources of the earth to your glory and for the good of all.

Hear us, O Christ.

Bless and keep all your people,

Hear us, O Christ.

V.

Comfort and liberate the lonely, the bereaved and the oppressed.

Hear us, O Christ.

Keep in safety those who travel and all who are in peril.

Hear us, O Christ.

Heal the sick in body, mind or spirit and provide for the homeless, the hungry and the destitute.

Hear us, O Christ.

Guard and protect all children who are in danger.

Hear us, O Christ.

Shower your compassion on prisoners, hostages and refugees, and all who are in trouble.

Hear us, O Christ.

Forgive our enemies, persecutors and slanderers, and turn their hearts.

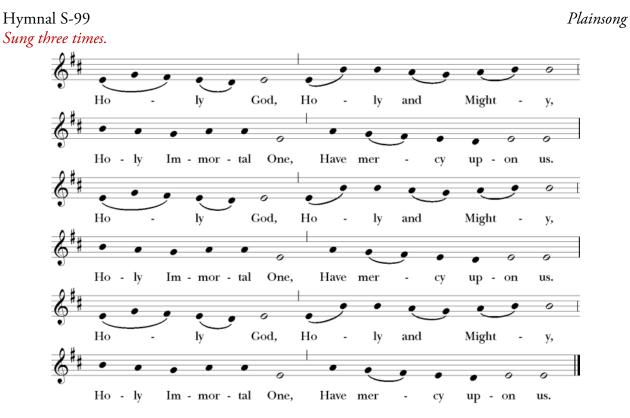
Hear us, O Christ.

Hear us as we remember those who have died and grant us with them a share in your eternal glory.

Hear us, O Christ.

VI.

Give us true repentance; forgive us our sins of negligence and ignorance and our deliberate sins; and grant us the grace of your Holy Spirit to amend our lives according to your word.



THE COLLECT OF THE DAY

Celebrant	The Lord be with you.
People	And also with you.
Celebrant	Let us pray.

Almighty God, whose blessed Son was led by the Spirit to be tempted by Satan: Come quickly to help us who are assaulted by many temptations; and, as you know the weaknesses of each of us, let each one find you mighty to save; through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. Amen.

The Lessons

FIRST READING: Deuteronomy 26:1-11

Reader A Reading from the Book of the Deuteronomy.

When you have come into the land that the LORD your God is giving you as an inheritance to possess, and you possess it, and settle in it, you shall take some of the first of all the fruit of the ground, which you harvest from the land that the LORD your God is giving you, and you shall put it in a basket and go to the place that the LORD your God will choose as a dwelling for his name. You shall go to the priest who is in office at that time, and say to him, "Today I declare to

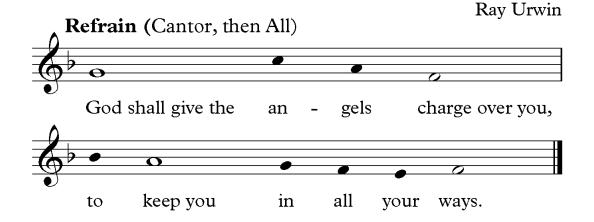
the LORD your God that I have come into the land that the LORD swore to our ancestors to give us." When the priest takes the basket from your hand and sets it down before the altar of the LORD your God, you shall make this response before the LORD your God: "A wandering Aramean was my ancestor; he went down into Egypt and lived there as an alien, few in number, and there he became a great nation, mighty and populous. When the Egyptians treated us harshly and afflicted us, by imposing hard labor on us, we cried to the LORD, the God of our ancestors; the LORD heard our voice and saw our affliction, our toil, and our oppression. The LORD brought us out of Egypt with a mighty hand and an outstretched arm, with a terrifying display of power, and with signs and wonders; and he brought us into this place and gave us this land, a land flowing with milk and honey. So now I bring the first of the fruit of the ground that you, O LORD, have given me." You shall set it down before the LORD your God and bow down before the LORD your God. Then you, together with the Levites and the aliens who reside among you, shall celebrate with all the bounty that the LORD your God has given to you and to your house.

Reader	Hear what the Spirit is saying to God's people.
People	Thanks be to God.

PSALM 91:1-2, 9-16 Qui habitat

Please join in singing.

Verses sung by the Choir to Anglican Chant by John Goss (1800-1880)



He who dwells in the shelter of the Most High, abides under the shadow of the Almighty. He shall say to the Lord, "You are my refuge and my stronghold, my God in whom I put my trust." **Refrain**

Because you have made the Lord your refuge, and the Most High your habitation, There shall no evil happen to you, neither shall any plague come near your dwelling. **Refrain**

They shall bear you in their hands, lest you dash your foot against a stone. You shall tread upon the lion and adder; you shall trample the young lion and the serpent under your feet.

Because he is bound to me in love, therefore will I deliver him; I will protect him, because he knows my Name. He shall call upon me, and I will answer him; I am with him in trouble; I will rescue him and bring him to honor. With long life will I satisfy him, and show him my salvation. **Refrain**

SECOND READING: Romans 10:8b-13

Reader A Reading from Paul's letter to the Church in Rome.

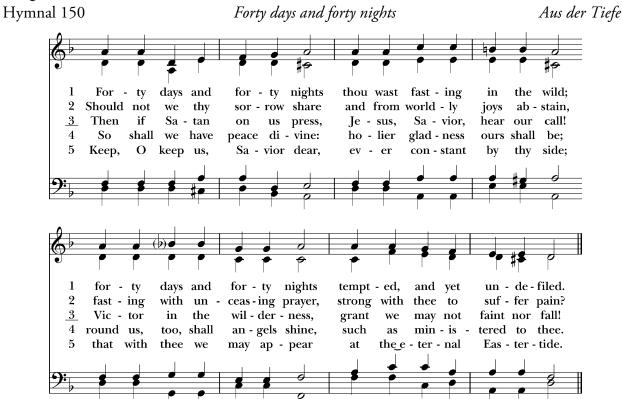
^{8b} "The word is near you,

on your lips and in your heart"

(that is, the word of faith that we proclaim); ⁹because if you confess with your lips that Jesus is Lord and believe in your heart that God raised him from the dead, you will be saved. ¹⁰For one believes with the heart and so is justified, and one confesses with the mouth and so is saved. ¹¹The scripture says, "No one who believes in him will be put to shame." ¹²For there is no distinction between Jew and Greek; the same Lord is Lord of all and is generous to all who call on him. ¹³For, "Everyone who calls on the name of the Lord shall be saved.".

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SEQUENCE HYMN



GOSPEL: Luke 4:1-13

Assisting Priest+ The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Luke.PeopleGlory to you, Lord Christ.

After his baptism, Jesus, full of the Holy Spirit, returned from the Jordan and was led by the Spirit in the wilderness, where for forty days he was tempted by the devil. He ate nothing at all during those days, and when they were over, he was famished. The devil said to him, "If you are

the Son of God, command this stone to become a loaf of bread." Jesus answered him, "It is written, 'One does not live by bread alone."

Then the devil led him up and showed him in an instant all the kingdoms of the world. And the devil said to him, "To you I will give their glory and all this authority; for it has been given over to me, and I give it to anyone I please. If you, then, will worship me, it will all be yours." Jesus answered him, "It is written,

"Worship the Lord your God, and serve only him."

Then the devil took him to Jerusalem, and placed him on the pinnacle of the temple, saying to him, "If you are the Son of God, throw yourself down from here, for it is written,

'He will command his angels concerning you, to protect you,' and 'On their hands they will bear you up, so that you will not dash your foot against a stone.'"

Jesus answered him, "It is said, 'Do not put the Lord your God to the test.'" When the devil had finished every test, he departed from him until an opportune time.

The Rev. Susan Pinkerton

Assisting PriestThe Gospel of the Lord.PeoplePraise to you, Lord Christ.

SERMON

A period of meditative silence follows the Sermon.

THE CREED

We believe in one God, the Father, the Almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all that is, seen and unseen. We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ, the only Son of God, eternally begotten of the Father, God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten, not made, of one Being with the Father. Through him all things were made. For us and for our salvation he came down from heaven: by the power of the Holy Spirit he became incarnate from the Virgin Mary, and was made man. For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate; he suffered death and was buried. On the third day he rose again in accordance with the Scriptures; he ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead,

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and his kingdom will have no end.

We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son.
With the Father and the Son he is worshiped and glorified. He has spoken through the Prophets.
We believe in one holy catholic and apostolic Church.
We acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of sins.
We look for the + resurrection of the dead, and the life of the world to come. Amen.

THE PEACE

CelebrantThe peace of the Lord be always with you.PeopleAnd also with you.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

The Holy Communion

OFFERTORY SENTENCE

Offer to God a sacrifice of thanksgiving, and make good your vows to the Most High. *Psalm 50:14*

OFFERTORY ANTHEM

Ave verum corpus

William Byrd (1542/3-1623)

Ave verum corpus, natum de Maria Virgine: Vere passum, immolatum in cruce pro homine: Cuius latus perforatum, unda fluxit sanguine: Esto pro nobis praegustatum in morte examine. O dulcis, O pie, O Jesu fili Marie, miserere mei. Amen.

Hail true body, born of the Virgin Mary, who suffered in anguish on the cross to redeem us; from whose side, pierced by a spear, came forth both water and blood, be at our last hour a source of consolation to us. O loving, O holy, O Jesus, Son of Mary, have mercy on me. Amen.

OFFERTORY HYMN



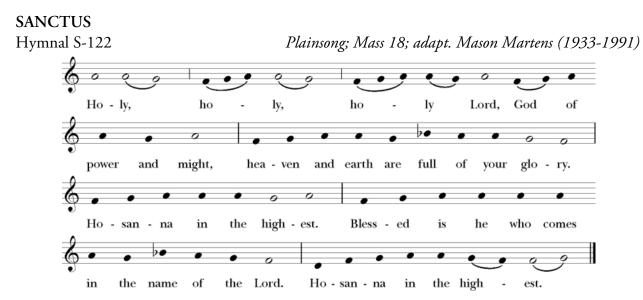
The Great Thanksgiving

Celebrant	The Lord be with you.	
People	And also with you.	
Celebrant	Lift up your hearts.	
People	We lift them to the Lord.	
Celebrant	Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.	
People	It is right to give God thanks and praise.	

It is right, and a good and joyful thing, always and everywhere to give thanks to you, Almighty God, Creator of heaven and earth.

Through Jesus Christ our Lord, who was tempted in every way as we are, yet did not sin. By his grace we are able to triumph over every evil, and to live no longer for ourselves alone, but for him who died for us and rose again.

Therefore we praise you, joining our voices with Angels and Archangels and with all the company of heaven, who for ever sing this hymn to proclaim the glory of your Name:



Holy and gracious God: In your infinite love you made us for yourself; and, when we had fallen into sin and become subject to evil and death, you, in your mercy, sent Jesus Christ, your only and eternal Son, to share our human nature, to live and die as one of us, to reconcile us to you, the God and maker of all.

He stretched out his arms upon the cross, and offered himself in obedience to your will, a perfect sacrifice for the whole world.

On the night he was handed over to suffering and death, our Lord Jesus Christ took bread; and when he had given thanks to you, he broke it, and gave it to his disciples, and said, "Take, eat: This is my Body, which is given for you. Do this for the remembrance of me."

After supper he took the cup of wine; and when he had given thanks, he gave it to them, and said, "Drink this, all of you: This is my Blood of the new Covenant, which is shed for you and for many for the forgiveness of sins. Whenever you drink it, do this for the remembrance of me."

Therefore we proclaim the mystery of faith:

Christ has died. Christ is risen. Christ will come again.

We celebrate the memorial of our redemption, Almighty God, in this sacrifice of praise and thanksgiving. Recalling his death, resurrection, and ascension, we offer you these gifts.

Sanctify them by your Holy Spirit to be for your people the Body and Blood of your Son, the holy food and drink of new and unending life in him. Sanctify us also that we may faithfully receive this holy Sacrament, and serve you in unity, constancy, and peace; and at the last day bring us with all your saints into the joy of your eternal kingdom.

All this we ask through your Son Jesus Christ. By him, and with him, and in him, in the unity of the Holy Spirit all honor and glory is yours, Almighty God, now and for ever. *AMEN*.

THE LORD'S PRAYER

And now, as our Savior Christ has taught us, we are bold to say,

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 trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever and ever. Amen.

The Breaking of the Bread

FRACTION ANTHEM

CelebrantChrist our Passover is sacrificed for us;PeopleTherefore let us keep the feast.

Celebrant The Gifts of God for the People of God.

Congregants worshiping on Zoom or Facebook Live may say the following:

A PRAYER FOR SPIRITUAL COMMUNION

Jesus, I believe that you are truly present in the Blessed Sacrament of the Altar. I love you above all things, and long for you in my soul. Since I cannot receive you in the Sacrament of your Body and Blood, come spiritually into my heart. Cleanse and strengthen me with your grace, Lord Jesus, and let me never be separated from you. May I live in you, and you in me, in this life and in the life to come. *Amen.*

COMMUNION MUSIC

Élévation (from Messe Basse, Op. 30)

Louis Vierne

POST-COMMUNION PRAYER

Celebrant Let us pray.

Eternal God, heavenly Father, you have graciously accepted us as living members of your Son our Savior Jesus Christ, and you have fed us with spiritual food in the Sacrament of his Body and Blood. Send us now into the world in peace, and grant us strength and courage to love and serve you with gladness and singleness of heart; through Christ our Lord. Amen.

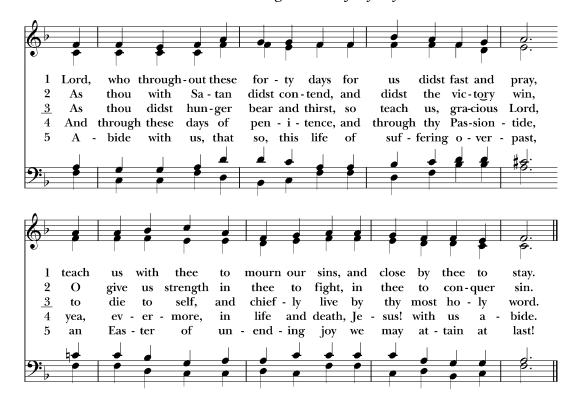
BLESSING

POST-COMMUNION HYMN

Hymnal 142

Lord, who throughout these forty days

St. Flavian



DISMISSAL

Assisting Priest Bow down before the Lord.

Grant, Almighty God, that your people may recognize their weakness and put their whole trust in your strength, so that they may rejoice for ever in the protection of your loving providence; through Christ our Lord. Amen.

Let us bless the Lord.

People Thanks be to God.

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We are delighted to welcome you this Sunday morning.

No matter your background, you are welcome to be part of our community as we gather in this sacred space to encounter the Mystery of God through beautiful liturgy and inspiring music. Please be assured that all children, no matter their ages, are invited to join us in worship as a powerful reminder that we are all beloved children of God. Again, welcome!

Please take a moment to silence your cell phone. Thank you.

We publicly livestream our Sunday worship via Zoom and Facebook Live. Join on Zoom: bit.ly/stmikessunday (Meeting ID: 912 3096 9532 / Passcode: 080100) Join on Facebook Live: facebook.com/SMAACDM

Important COVID Safety Reminder

All worshipers who are fully vaccinated are no longer required to wear masks at indoor gatherings. However, if you are not vaccinated, please wear a mask as required by the state COVID guidelines. Masks are available at the entrance to the church. Thank you all for your help in keeping our church a safe place for those most vulnerable.

Today's Worship Team

Celebrant:	The Rev. Susan Pinkerton
Assisting Priest:	The Rev. Dr. Barbara Stewart
Organist:	Dr. Ray Urwin
Choir:	Rusty Vail, Mary Bailey, Vincent Loza, Scott Ziemann

Sunday School

Godly Play (ages 3-10) This week: The Mystery of Easter. Elizabeth Henry is the storyteller and Marjie Blevins is the doorkeeper. Youth Formation (ages 11-14) This week: The Exodus from Egypt. Leader: Susan Caldwell

Parish Prayer List

Barbara	Joni	For those who have died:
Brian	Peggy	Charlie
Diane	Tom	Louise Christopher

To submit a name to the prayer list contact Brooke Pauley (kookiepauley@gmail.com or 949-514-7917), The Rev. Susan Pinkerton susan.pinkerton@stmikescdm.org), or The Rev. Barbara Stewart (barbarastewart001@gmail.com). Prayer requests remain on the list for three weeks unless otherwise requested.

Tuesday Holy Eucharist

Join us in the Chapel every Tuesday morning at 8:30 am for our mid-week Holy Eucharist.

This week's Celebrant and Preacher: The Rev. Susan Pinkerton This week's featured saints: Perpetua and Felicity (Martyrs, 202) and Gregory of Nyssa (Bishop and Theologian, c.394)



Altar Flowers

Anyone may sponsor altar flowers, chapel flowers, and/or the sanctuary light in thanksgiving for all the blessings of this life or in memory of loved ones. The flowers are arranged by our Flower Guild and the donors are acknowledged in the Sunday bulletin. The suggested donation of \$50 may be made at the church office or via our website.

Life Transformed: The Way of Love in Lent

Presiding Bishop Michael Curry's The Way of Love: Practices for Jesus-Centered Life.

Beginning March 9, for five Wednesday nights in Lent at 6:00 pm to 7:30 pm in Michael's Room and on Zoom. The Rev. Susan Pinkerton and The Rev. Dr. Barbara Stewart will be leading this event. Soup and salad will be provided by various St. Mike's ministries:

- March 9 Tuesday Night at Mike's/Women's Fellowship
- March 16 Adult Christian Education
- March 23 Men's Group
- March 30 Prayer Shawl Ministry
- April 6 Vestry

Lenten Project 2022: Help a new baby ride safely.

This year's Lenten Project is a fundraising campaign for our Mission partner, MOMS Orange County. They have asked for donations to help with their car seat program that provides car seats free of charge to vulnerable mothers awaiting a newborn baby. This is an opportunity for us to help families protect their children while strengthening our relationship with MOMS Orange County. If you are interested in participating, please make your check out to St. Michael and All Angels with MOMS Orange County on the memo line. We will be accepting contributions through April 18th. For details, contact Mary Bailey, *Mission Commissioner*.

Today: Celebration of Life of Esther McNamee

We will gather this afternoon at 2:00 pm to celebrate the life of Esther McNamee. All are welcome.

Online Resources for Lent

Visit the St. Mike's website to see a list of online resources to enrich your season of Lent 2022:

- Episcopal Relief & Development: 2022 Lenten Meditations
- Lent Madness You decide who wins the Golden Halo
- Living Compass: Living Well Through Lent 2022
- Society of Saint John the Evangelist: Brother, Give Us A Word
- Episcopal News Service: Walking the Way of Lent through Storytelling with Bishop Porter Taylor

Link: https://www.stmikescdm.org/blog/lenten-resources/

Our Rector Search: Phase 3

The focus of this phase of St. Michael's rector search is tactical. The Rector Search Committee is preparing for an orientation session with the Diocesan Office of Transition Ministry (OTM) while the vestry puts finishing touches on the necessary forms and paperwork. Once these pieces are in place, St. Michael's open position will be posted. The window for receiving applications is approximately two months.

Please join me in continuing to pray for the Rector Search Committee as they prepare for their orientation and the good work ahead.

Peace be with you, Louise Stover, *Senior Warden*

A Prayer for Ukraine

God of peace and justice, we pray for the people of Ukraine today. We pray for peace and the laying down of weapons. We pray for all those who fear for tomorrow, that your Spirit of comfort would draw near to them. We pray for those with power over war or peace, for wisdom, discernment and compassion to guide their decisions. Above all, we pray for all your precious children, at risk and in fear, that you would hold and protect them.

We pray in the name of Jesus, the Prince of Peace. Amen.

Archbishop Justin Welby Archbishop Stephen Cottrell



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Small Groups and Adult Christian Education

All are welcome to join one or more of the groups listed below. For more information, visit our website: www.stmikescdm.org.

Sundays at 10:30

In the Davis Library and on Zoom On Mar. 6, we continue watching and reflecting on From Jesus to Christ, a PBS Frontline series exploring the life of Jesus. Join on Zoom: bit.ly/sundaysat10 Meeting ID: 966 632 5340 / Passcode: 221426 View our full schedule on our website. Contact: Kim Montgomery

Tuesday Nights at Mike's

Tuesdays at 7:00 pm on Zoom In March, we are attending (virtually) a series of classes offered by Bloy House about Faith and Grief. The subject for March 8 is, *What do the scriptures teach us about grieving?* Join on Zoom: bit.ly/tuesdayatmikes Meeting ID: 834 2976 3754 / Passcode: none Contact: Beth Bianchi

Bible Challenge

Third Sundays at 8:00 am in the Conference Room and Zoom Discussing *Angels of the Bible* by Kate Moorehead. Join on Zoom: bit.ly/thirdsundaybiblechallenge Meeting ID: 958 1933 0475 / Passcode: 018474 Contact: Susan Caldwell

Inklings Book Group

Third Thursdays at 9:30 am in the David Library and Zoom Discussing *Reflections on the Psalms* by C. S. Lewis. Join on Zoom: bit.ly/inklingsbookgroup Meeting ID: 938 4250 5095 / Passcode: 573156 Contact: Susan Caldwell

Prayer Shawl Ministry

Fridays at 10:00 am on the Patio Please join us as we knit or crochet and pray! Contact: Barbara Stewart+ at (949) 378-9780

Men's Fellowship Group

Thursdays at 8:30 am on the Patio Dedicated to studying the Bible and the works of Christian theologians. Open to all adult men of the parish. Contact: Kim Montgomery

Visit our church calendar for more: www.stmikescdm.org/events

On the cover: Temptation of Jesus fresco in Sint Joriskerk Antwerpen (St. George Church of Antwerp), 19. cent, Belgium.