Hymn - # 351

OPENING SERVICE
M: O Lord, open my lips.  
C: And my mouth shall declare your praise.  
M: Hasten to save me, O God.  
C: O Lord, come quickly to help me.  
M: The Lord be with you.  
C: And also with you.  
M: Lord God, you have brought us safely to this hour of evening prayer. We thank you for providing all that we need for body and life. Bless us who have gathered in your name. Forgive our sins. Speak to our hearts. Dispel our sorrows with the comfort of your Word, and receive our hymns of thanks and praise, through Jesus Christ, our living Savior, who reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.  
C: Amen.  

Psalm: Psalm 38 (spoken responsively) 
M: O Lord, do not rebuke me in your anger  
C: Or discipline me in your wrath.  
M: For your arrows have pierced me,  
C: And your hand has come down upon me.  
M: My guilt has overwhelmed me  
C: Like a burden too heavy to bear.  
M: All my longings lie open before you, O Lord;  
C: My sighing is not hidden from you.  
M: I wait for you, O Lord;  
C: You will answer, O Lord my God.  
M: Come quickly to help me,  
C: O Lord my Savior.  

ALL: Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit, as it was in the beginning, is now, and will be forever. Amen.

Psalm Prayer  
M: Lord our God, you did not forget the pierced body of your Son and his sighing was not hidden from you. In your kindness look also on us, your children, weighed down with sins, and grant us the fullness of your mercy; through Jesus Christ, your Son, our Lord.  
C: Amen.  

Choir:  A Lenten Prayer  

The Passion History  
Response  
All we like sheep have gone astray, and the Lord has laid on him the iniquity of us all. By his wounds we are healed.  

Sermon Hymn - # 109  

Sermon Text – John 18:33-40  

Sermon – What Is Truth?  

Offering  

Prayer and The Lord's Prayer  

Hymn - # 373  

Prayer for Peace  
M: Lord God, all holy desires, all good counsels, and all just works come from you. Give to us, your servants, that peace which the world cannot give, that our hearts may be set to obey your commandments. Defend us also from the fear of our enemies that we may live in peace and quietness, through the merits of Jesus Christ our Savior, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.  
C: Amen.  

Blessing  

Hymn - # 593
Announcements:
We are glad that you joined us here this evening. Next week Pastor Tom Smith of Emmanuel - Owatonna will be here to preach on the theme: *Take Him Away!*

Thank-you to LeAnn Marzinske for playing the organ tonight. We also thank the choir for their Lenten song. There will be a short choir practice after tonight’s service.

We also thank the Ladies’ Aid and everyone who provided for and served our soup and sandwich supper tonight. Next week we will have wild rice soup with ham sandwiches.

Prayer List: Vern Flitter (now at Pathstone, Mankato)