



**Worship Resources for March 5, 2023
The Second Sunday in Lent**



Welcome

Opening Song "Lord, Who Throughout These Forty Days"

Lord, who throughout these forty days
For us didst fast and pray,
Teach us with Thee to mourn our sins
And close by Thee to stay.

As Thou didst hunger bear, and thirst,
So teach us, gracious Lord,
To die to self, and chiefly live
By Thy most holy Word.

Opening Prayer

*O God, we are grateful for this time in worship
to unburden our hearts and fill them with your grace.
We are ready to examine our lives,
seeing the places where we have done what we should not,
the places where we failed to do the things we should.
We are ready to for your mercy to fill us.
May your steadfast love surround us all along the way.
In Christ we pray. Amen*

Scripture Readings

Genesis 12: 1-4a

John 3: 1-17

Meditation

Prayers of the People/The Prayer of Our Savior (debts and debtors)

Closing Song “Lord, Who Throughout These Forty Days”

And through these days of penitence,
And through Thy passiontide,
Yea, evermore in life and death,
Jesus, with us abide.

Abide with us, that so, this life
Of suff'ring over, past,
An Easter of unending joy
We may attain at last.

Benediction

Threefold Amen