

DECLARATION OF FORGIVENESS

CHOIR ANTHEM

IMPOSITION OF ASHES

PRAYER

\*HYMN 686

BLESSING AND CHARGE

DEPART IN SILENCE

LORD, LEAD ME, LORD  
-GILBERT M MARTIN

GOD OF OUR LIFE

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# ORDER OF WORSHIP

## PRELUDE

**ELEGY**  
-F. RITTER

## PRAYER

### CALL TO WORSHIP

THE LORD CALLS US TO A SEASON OF CONTEMPLATION.

**WE WILL FOLLOW WHEREVER YOU GO.**

WE ARE ASKED TO LAY ASIDE THE CONCERNS OF THE WORLD.

**WE WILL FOLLOW WHEREVER YOU GO.**

THE ROAD AHEAD IS DIFFICULT, ITS FULL MEANING NOT YET REVEALED.

**WE WILL FOLLOW WHEREVER YOU GO.**

## \*HYMN

**O GOD, BE MERCIFUL TO ME**

## **POWERPOINT**

### PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

**MERCIFUL GOD, YOUR WORD IS THE WISDOM WE SEEK. CREATE IN US HEARTS THAT ARE CLEAN AND PUT YOUR HOLY SPIRIT WITHIN US, SO THAT WE MAY RECEIVE YOUR GRACE TODAY AND ON THE DAY OF SALVATION; THROUGH JESUS CHRIST OUR LORD. AMEN.**

## SCRIPTURE

**LUKE 9:51-62**

## MEDITATION

## \*HYMN 215

**WHAT WONDROUS LOVE IS THIS**

### INVITATION TO THE OBSERVANCE OF THE LENTEN DISCIPLINE

## CALL TO CONFESSION

### PRAYER OF CONFESSION—PSALM 51

HAVE MERCY ON ME, O GOD, ACCORDING TO YOUR LOVING KINDNESS; IN YOUR GREAT COMPASSION, BLOT OUT MY OFFENSES.

**WASH ME THROUGH AND THROUGH FROM MY WICKEDNESS AND CLEANSE ME FROM MY SIN.**

FOR I KNOW MY TRANSGRESSIONS AND MY SIN IS EVER BEFORE ME.

**AGAINST YOU ONLY I HAVE SINNED AND DONE WHAT IS EVIL IN YOUR SIGHT.**

AND SO YOU ARE JUSTIFIED WHEN YOU SPEAK AND UPRIGHT IN YOUR JUDGMENT.

**INDEED, I HAVE BEEN WICKED FROM BIRTH, A SINNER FROM MY MOTHER'S WOMB.**

FOR BEHOLD, YOU LOOK FOR TRUTH DEEP WITHIN ME, AND WILL MAKE ME UNDERSTAND WISDOM SECRETLY.

**PURGE ME FROM MY SIN, AND I SHALL BE PURE; WASH ME AND I SHALL BE CLEAN INDEED.**

MAKE ME HEAR OF JOY AND GLADNESS, THAT THE BODY YOU HAVE BROKEN MAY REJOICE.

**HIDE YOUR FACE FROM MY SINS, AND BLOT OUT ALL MY INIQUITIES.**

CREATE IN ME A CLEAN HEART, O GOD, AND RENEW A RIGHT SPIRIT WITHIN ME.

**CAST ME NOT AWAY FROM YOUR PRESENCE AND TAKE NOT YOUR HOLY SPIRIT FROM ME.**

GIVE ME THE JOY OF YOUR SAVING HELP AGAIN AND SUSTAIN ME WITH YOUR BOUNTIFUL SPIRIT.

**I SHALL TEACH YOUR WAYS TO THE WICKED AND SINNERS SHALL RETURN TO YOU.**

DELIVER ME FROM DEATH, O GOD, AND MY TONGUE SHALL SING OF YOUR RIGHTEOUSNESS O GOD OF MY SALVATION.

**OPEN MY LIPS, O LORD, AND MY MOUTH SHALL PROCLAIM YOUR PRAISE.**

HAD YOU DESIRED IT, I WOULD HAVE OFFERED SACRIFICE, BUT YOU TAKE NO DELIGHT IN BURNT OFFERINGS.

**THE SACRIFICE OF GOD IS A TROUBLED SPIRIT; A BROKEN AND CONTRITE HEART, O GOD, YOU WILL NOT DESPISE. AMEN.**