



First Sunday in Lent



seeking:
*Who will you
listen to?*

Words of Welcome

Rev. Laura Ann Phillips

THE GATHERING – We Enter into God's Presence

Sharing Christ's Peace

Rev. Laura Ann Phillips

Gathering in the Light

Prelude to Worship

Reverberations Bell Choir

"Lord Jesus, I Love Thee" tune: GORDON, setting by Susan Berry and Janet Van Valey

*Invitation to Worship

Rev. Chuck Pickrel

one: There is hope to be found here.

*all: **Listen!***

one: God calls you by name here.

*all: **Listen!***

one: There is love that abides here.

*all: **Listen!***

one: This world is full of chatter, so let us do our best to listen.

*all: **We worship God who is speaking!***

*Opening Hymn

"Lord, Who Throughout These Forty Days"

Chalice Hymnal #180

Invocation

Rev. Chuck Pickrel

Prayer Response

Reverberations Bell Choir

"Hear Our Prayer, O Lord" by George Whelpton, arr. Susan Berry and Janet Van Valey

THE WORD – We Receive God's Word

Prayer of Illumination

"Be Still"

Rev. Laura Ann Phillips

Worship & Wonder Scripture

"Jesus in the Wilderness"

Rev. Chuck Pickrel

a Children Worship & Wonder story written by Sonja M. Stewart and Jerome W. Berryman,

based on Matthew 4, Mark 1, and Luke 4

(told in the Children Worship & Wonder room)

Scripture	Genesis 2:15-17, 3:1-7 (Common English Bible)	Calvin McBride
Scripture	Matthew 4:1-11 (Common English Bible)	Calvin McBride
Sermon	"Who will you listen to?"	Rev. Laura Ann Phillips

THE RESPONSE – We Respond in Worship

Prayers of the People		Rev. Laura Ann Phillips
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Our Lord's Prayer

**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 debts as we forgive our debtors.
Lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.
For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory forever. Amen.**

Response in Song	"Who Will You Listen To?" by Anna Strickland	
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Invitation to Stewardship		Nancy Phipps
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*Doxology	"Sing Hallelujah"	Chalice Hymnal #32
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Prayer of Dedication

Invitation to Communion		Rev. Laura Ann Phillips
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Communion Prayer

Words of Institution		Rev. Laura Ann Phillips
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Communion Response	"Where He Leads Me"	Chalice Hymnal #346
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SENDING FORTH – We Go Out into the World

Invitation to Discipleship		Nancy Phipps
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*Closing Hymn	"I Have Decided to Follow Jesus"	Chalice Hymnal #344
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*Blessing and Benediction		Rev. Laura Ann Phillips
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Postlude	"Glorious Things of Thee Are Spoken" arr. Gina Sprunger	Julie Dean, piano
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