

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

HENDERSON, TX

SUNDAY, MARCH 22, 2020 - FOURTH SUNDAY IN LENT



OPENING SENTENCES

Lord Christ, open our eyes
to see clearly the light of the world.
Holy Spirit, illumine our minds
to perceive God's glory shining among us.
Almighty God, prepare our hearts
to see, to trust, to worship the Messiah.

PRAYER OF THE DAY

MUSIC

"BLESSED ASSURANCE, JESUS IS MINE!"

Crosby, 1873

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

SCRIPTURE - A READING FROM PSALM 23

Encourage one another with these words from **Psalm 23:1-6**

The word of the Lord, *Thanks be to God.*

GOSPEL - A READING FROM THE GOSPEL OF JOHN

O Lord, open my lips, and my mouth will declare your praise. **John 9:1-41**

We proclaim Christ crucified—the wisdom and power of God. *Thanks be to God.*

HOMILY

DESCRIPTION OF PRAISE

PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION

LORD'S PRAYER – UNISON

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;

and lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil.

For thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory, forever, Amen.

BLESSING AND CHARGE

MUSIC

"I SING THE MIGHTY POWER OF GOD"

Watts, 1715

