



# Wounded God

LENT III  
MIDWEEK



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## OUR WOUNDED GOD

PRELUDE            *O Dearest Jesus, What Law Hast Thou Broken*            Kevin Sadowski  
and Johannes Brahms

HYMN            *O Dearest Jesus, What Law Hast Thou Broken*            Hymn 439, sts. 1-5

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### READINGS FROM HOLY SCRIPTURE

FIRST READING            Leviticus 16:1-11, 15-28

ANTHEM            *Jesus, Savior, Heed My Greeting*            J. S. Bach            Kantor

Jesus, Savior, heed my greeting! Kind and gentle is Thy being.

Long the torture Thou hast suffered, Deep the insults to Thee offered.

*Refrain:* Let me all Thy love inherit and meet death in Thy sure merit!

Jesus, Master, dearest treasure, Christ, my Savior, my heart's pleasure,

Hands and piercé side, O show me, Should I tempted be to doubt Thee! *Refrain*

Sweet refreshment floweth freely To Thy children stayed upon Thee.

On Thy Passion, Lord, relying, Naught I fear the hour of dying. *Refrain*

(Christian Keymann, tr. Charles Stanford Terry)

SECOND READING            Zechariah 6:9-14

PSALM            Psalm 89:35-45

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THIRD READING, FROM THE PASSION OF OUR LORD            Matthew 27:27-37

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Ten Commandments ✠ Apostles' Creed ✠ Lord's Prayer

SERMON His Wounded Head (Isaiah 50:6)

HYMN *O Sacred Head, Now Wounded* Hymn 449

OFFERING *O Sacred Head, Now Wounded* J. P. Kimberger

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COLLECT OF THE DAY

**P** O Lord Jesus Christ, we thank and praise You for Your holy Passion and compassion, giving Your back to the smiters and Your cheeks to those who pluck out the beard, not hiding Your face from shame and spitting. We bless You for Your crown of thorns, and that all our sins and sorrows were laid upon Your head, O innocent Lamb of God who takes away the sin of the world. Teach us to acknowledge You as the one Sacrifice and only Atonement for sins, that we may turn from all false comforters and have true consolation by faith in You alone, to whom, with the Father and the Holy Spirit, be all glory and dominion, one God, now and unto the Age of ages.

**C** Amen.

COLLECT FOR THE WORD

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NEW TESTAMENT CANTICLE *Nunc Dimittis* (Compline) Kantor

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HYMN *Not All the Blood of Beasts* Hymn 431

POSTLUDE *Not All the Blood of Beasts* Theodore Beck

SERVICE LEADERS

Preacher/Liturgist..... Pastor Michael Penikis  
Organist..... Kim Schuler  
Choir..... Dr. Louis Schuler, Kantor  
Acolyte ..... Sophia Felton (7:00)  
Livestream ..... Dominic LaBelle



“Once for all I have sworn by My holiness;\* **I will not lie to David.**  
 His offspring shall endure for- ever,\* **his throne as long as the sun be- fore me.**  
 Like the moon it shall be established for- ever,\* **a faithful witness in the skies.”**  
 But now You have cast off and re- jected;\* **You are full of wrath against Your a- nointed.**  
 You have renounced the covenant with Your servant;\* **You have defiled his crown in the dust.**  
 You have breached all his walls;\* **You have laid his strongholds in ruins.**  
 All who pass by plunder him;\* **he has become the scorn of his neighbors.**  
 You have exalted the right hand of his foes;\* **You have made all his enemies rejoice.**  
 You have also turned back the edge of his sword,\* **and You have not made him stand in battle.**  
 You have made his splendor to cease\* **and cast his throne to the ground.**  
 You have cut short the days of his youth;\* **You have covered him with shame.**  
**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.**

