# Lake of the Isles Lutheran Church

# ₩ HOLDEN EVENING PRAYER ₩

by Marty Haugen

Wednesday, March 30, 11:30 AM

Welcome to midweek Lenten worship at Lake of the Isles. Our prayer service this evening is found in the white booklet, Holden Evening Prayer. An asterisk\* indicates that worshipers are to stand, as they are able.





In solidarity with the people and Orthodox Churches of Ukraine,
Pastor Haug continues his series on the icons
of the Orthodox Great Lent.
Today he will focus on the Icon for Saint John Climucus

## **Prelude**

\*Service of Light  $\sim p2$ \*Evening Hymn  $\sim p3$ \*Evening Thanksgiving  $\sim p4$ Psalmody  $\sim p4$ 

Sung in Canon: Group 1/Lectern, Group 2/Pulpit

Silence for Meditation

# Psalm Prayer Lessons

#### Hebrews 6:13-20

<sup>13</sup> When God made a promise to Abraham, because he had no one greater by whom to swear, he swore by himself, <sup>14</sup> saying, "I will surely bless you and multiply you." <sup>15</sup> And thus Abraham,[a] having patiently endured, obtained the promise. <sup>16</sup> Human beings, of course, swear by someone greater than themselves, and an oath given as confirmation puts an end to all dispute. <sup>17</sup> In the same way, when God desired to show even more clearly to the heirs of the promise the unchangeable character of his purpose, he guaranteed it by an oath, <sup>18</sup> so that through two unchangeable things, in which it is impossible that God would prove false, we who have taken refuge might be strongly encouraged to seize the hope set before us. <sup>19</sup> We have this hope, a sure and steadfast anchor of the soul, a hope that enters the inner shrine behind the curtain, <sup>20</sup> where Jesus, a forerunner on our behalf, has entered, having become a high priest forever according to the order of Melchizedek.

#### Mark 9:17-31

<sup>17</sup> Someone from the crowd answered him, "Teacher, I brought you my son; he has a spirit that makes him unable to speak; <sup>18</sup> and whenever it seizes him, it dashes him down; and he foams and grinds his teeth and becomes rigid; and I asked your disciples to cast it out, but they could not do so." <sup>19</sup> He answered them, "You faithless generation, how much longer must I be among you? How much longer must I put up with you? Bring him to me." <sup>20</sup> And they

brought the boy[a] to him. When the spirit saw him, immediately it convulsed the boy,[b] and he fell on the ground and rolled about, foaming at the mouth. <sup>21</sup> Jesus[c] asked the father, "How long has this been happening to him?" And he said, "From childhood. 22 It has often cast him into the fire and into the water, to destroy him; but if you are able to do anything, have pity on us and help us." <sup>23</sup> Jesus said to him, "If you are able!—All things can be done for the one who believes." <sup>24</sup> Immediately the father of the child cried out,[d] "I believe; help my unbelief!" 25 When Jesus saw that a crowd came running together, he rebuked the unclean spirit, saying to it, "You spirit that keeps this boy from speaking and hearing, I command you, come out of him, and never enter him again!" <sup>26</sup> After crying out and convulsing him terribly, it came out, and the boy was like a corpse, so that most of them said, "He is dead." 27 But Jesus took him by the hand and lifted him up, and he was able to stand. <sup>28</sup> When he had entered the house, his disciples asked him privately, "Why could we not cast it out?" <sup>29</sup> He said to them, "This kind can come out only through prayer." 30 They went on from there and passed through Galilee. He did not want anyone to know it; 31 for he was teaching his disciples, saying to them, "The Son of Man is to be betrayed into human hands, and they will kill him, and three days after being killed, he will rise again."

## Meditation

Silence for Meditation

The Annunciation  $\sim p8$ \*The Magnificat  $\sim p8$ \*Litany & Prayers  $\sim p10$ \*Blessing  $\sim p12$ 

## **Postiude**

WORSHIP LEADERS TODAY	Pastor	Dr. Rev. Arden D. Haug
	Assistant	Kathy Hering
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#### Holden Evening Prayer

#### SCAN TO GIVE





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