

# WELCOME TO ELK LAKE BAPTIST CHURCH

March 22, 2009

LENT WEEK 4

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## “THE GLORY OF CHRIST”

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### Prelude

### Welcome and Announcements

### Entering Into God’s Presence

Call to Worship - Ephesians 2: 1-7  
Prayer of Invocation  
Hymn #87 - *“Fairest Lord Jesus”*  
Lent Reading - Week 4 - Luke 9: 28-36  
Lent Prayer

### Worshipping God

Song - *“Amazing Love”*  
Song - *“Repentance and Rest”*  
Song - *“I Lift My Eyes Up”*  
Pastoral Prayer  
Song - *“Hear Our Prayer”*  
Offering  
Prayer for Children and Leaders  
Children leave

#### **The following programs are offered:**

- Nursery care for children ages 0 - 3
- Adventure Program for children ages 4 – 9
- ‘Tween Team for ages 10 and up
- Drama

### Listening To God

Scripture Reading: Exodus 34: 29-35  
{**Red Bible** - pg. 89; **Burgundy Bible** - pg. 100}  
**Leader:** “This is the Word of the Lord”  
**People:** “Thanks be to God”  
Taize Song - *“Your Word, O Lord, Is a Light”*  
Sermon - Ryan Johnston

### We are Sent Into The World

Closing Hymn #375 - *“Jesus Shall Reign”*  
Benediction  
Dispersal - “Go in Peace”

### Postlude

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## TO OUR GUESTS

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We welcome those who are visiting with us this morning as we celebrate the Lord’s presence. Please sign the guest book in the foyer and join us after the service for coffee and conversation in our Fellowship Hall.

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## OUR MISSION

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Our mission is to be an outreaching Christian community that is learning to follow the teaching of Jesus and growing together in passionate, worshipful love for God.  
Prayerfully listening to God, and energized by the Holy Spirit, we will serve Him where He leads us, locally and globally, bearing witness to the gospel in word and deed, with the abundant resources and gifts God has granted us.

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## ANNOUNCEMENTS

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- ~ An **Adult Sunday School class** happens each Sunday at 10:00 a.m. This class focuses on learning ways to get rid of those defective thought patterns that mess up your experience of God and life. The book, which forms the basis of the discussion, is “Telling Yourself the Truth” by William Backus and Marie Chapian.
- ~ **Ryan Johnston** will be giving the **morning sermon** today... the last in the “Conversation Series”.
- ~ **Thanks to the Social Committee** for organizing the St. Patrick’s Day Luncheon last week.
- ~ **The CBWC Annual Assembly** will be held April 23 - 26, 2009, in Banff, Alberta. The speaker for the Assembly is Mark Buchanan and the music ministry is by “Krystaal”. Would you like to be a delegate? See Les Biggs.
- ~ **The VIA Annual Meeting** will be held at 10:00 a.m. on Saturday, April 4<sup>th</sup>, 2009 at the Forge Church.
- ~ **Small Groups are a regular part of life** at Elk Lake Baptist with a number of groups meeting regularly. New groups are started as leaders and interested people become available. If you are interested in being part of a small group, please see Les Biggs.

~ **The Custodian position is open** as of April 1<sup>st</sup>. This position is 3 hours per week, plus 1 - 2 hours per month for the hall in the lower building. This is an hourly paid position. Please submit a written application to the Chair of the Building and Grounds Committee, George Cooper.

~ **A new 3-hour per week paid Administrative/Secretarial position** has been approved by the Deacons and included in our 2009 budget. This position will focus on **administrative tasks** important for the life of the church and currently not receiving full attention. If interested, please submit a resume to our Moderator, Greg Hatton. Adriana Hatton will be continuing in her role as Office Secretary.

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## THIS WEEK AT ELK LAKE BAPTIST

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Tuesday	1:30 p.m.	Craft Group
Saturday		Worship Team

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## PRAYERS OF THE COMMUNITY

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- ~ Kate Johnston & Dean Steinke in Halifax
- ~ Arwen Holmlund as she applies for a teaching position
- ~ Adriana Hatton’s brother has lost a 46-yr. old sister-in-law due to cancer and leaves a husband and teenage family behind
- ~ St. David-by-the-Sea Anglican Church

## AMAZING LOVE - You Are My King

I'm forgiven, because You were forsaken  
I'm accepted, You were condemned  
I'm alive and well, Your Spirit is within me  
Because you died and rose again

Amazing love, how can it be  
That You my king would die for me?  
Amazing love, I know it's true  
And it's my joy to honor You  
In all I do, I honor You

You are my king, You are my king  
Jesus, You are my king, Jesus, You are my king

## REPENTANCE AND REST

In repentance and rest is your salvation  
In quietness and trust is your strength

You say you'd rather have your independence  
Than trust in the Lord and be still in his presence  
And so you run and you flee to the mountains  
You miss the gift of life that would spring up  
like a fountain

Be still in my presence; rest in this place  
Receive my forgiveness; believe in my grace  
My love for you is an everlasting love  
The tears I wept on earth I still weep from above

## I LIFT MY EYES UP

I lift my eyes up to the mountains  
Where does my help come from?  
My help comes from You,  
Maker of heaven, Creator of the earth

Oh, how I need You, Lord,  
You are my only hope.  
You're my only prayer.  
So I will wait for You  
To come and rescue me  
Come and give me life.

## HEAR OUR PRAYER, O LORD

Hear our prayer, O Lord,  
Hear our prayer, O Lord,  
Incline Thine ear to us,  
And grant us Thy peace.

## YOUR WORD, O LORD, IS A LIGHT

Your word, O Lord, is a light.  
Enlighten my darkness.  
O Lord, my God, enlighten my darkness.  
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