

# Traditional Service

11:00 am

**Prelude**                      **What Wondrous Love**  
(Composer: Adam LaSpata)

**Welcome**

**Announcements**

**Call to Worship**  
This is the day the Lord has made;  
Let us rejoice and be glad in it

**Opening Hymn**            **All Praise to You, My God, This Night**    #394

**Responsive Reading**                      **Psalm 63**  
O God, you are my God; I seek you;  
my soul thirsts for you;  
**My flesh faints for you,**  
**as in a dry and weary land where there is no water.**  
So I have looked upon you in the sanctuary,  
beholding your power and glory.  
**Because your steadfast love is better than life,**  
**my lips will praise you.**  
**All: So I will bless you as long as I live;**  
**I will lift up my hands and call on your name.**

**Prayer of Confession (Unison)**  
We confess, O God, that we have surrendered to temptation. We have lived by bread alone rather than by your Word. We have attempted to test your promises rather than simply relying upon them in faith. We have even compromised our loyalty by serving the kingdom of this world rather than worshiping you alone. Forgive us as we repent of our foolishness. Anchor us all in the truth of your Word, in the reality of your promises, and in the sovereignty of your will.  
*(People silently offer their personal confessions to God.)*  
*In Jesus' name we pray, Amen.*

**Declaration of Forgiveness**  
Pastor: Friends, believe the Good News:  
**People: In Jesus Christ we are forgiven!**

**Response**                      **Glory be to the Father**                      #961  
Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost  
As it was in the beginning, is now and ever shall be  
World without end. Amen, Amen.

**Passing the Peace**

**Joining God's Mission**                      **Pilgrimage Weekend**

**Anthem**                      **Above Him Stood the Seraphim**  
(Composer: R. Dering)

**Scripture Reading**                      **Matthew 4:5-7, Psalm 91, & Deuteronomy 6:16**  
  
This is the Word of the Lord  
**Thanks be to God!**

**Sermon**                      **The Second Temptation: Who Will Protect?**  
*The Temptations of Jesus*

**Musical Reflection**                      **God Will Give the Angels Charge of You**  
(Composer: M. Sedio)

**Doxology**  
**Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow**  
Praise God from whom all blessings flow  
Praise Him, all creatures here below  
Praise Him, above ye heavenly hosts  
Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost. Amen.

**Prayers of the People and the Lord's Prayer**

**Closing Hymn**                      **Within the Shelter of the Lord**    #459

**Benediction**

**Postlude**                      **Adagio**  
**(Piano Concerto in am, Op. 16)**  
(Composer: Edvard Grieg)

<b>Worship Participants</b>	
Welcome & Sermon	Rev. Dr. Spencer Lundgaard
Announcements & Liturgy	Rev. Greg Buell
Contemporary Worship Leader	Luke Stoner
Praise Music	Village Church Worship Band
Director of Traditional Music	Logan Henke
Choral Music	Village Church Choir
Joining God's Mission	Diana Spencer
Scripture Reader	Carolyn Vogel (9:30)
	Sandy Mauk (11:00)
Prayers of the People	Roger Smith (9:30)
	Daryl Erickson (11:00)
Organist	Sharon Peterson (11:00)
Soloists	Jacqueline Piccolino & Skye Tarshis
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## Contemporary Service

9:30 am

## Questions for Discussion

Welcome and Call to Worship

Praise and Prayer

We Praise You

Only Ever Good

Prayer of Confession

Lord, I Need You

King of My Heart

Prayers of the People and the Lord's Prayer

Passing the Peace

Announcements

(Offerings are received weekly via mail and online giving at <https://villagechurchnorthbrook.org/give/> . Those attending live worship can leave their donations in the offering plates at the back of the sanctuary.)

Joining God's Mission

Pilgrimage Weekend

Scripture Reading

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Leader: This is the Word of the Lord

All: Thanks be to God

Sermon

The Second Temptation: Who Will Protect?

*The Temptations of Jesus*

Song of Response

Lord, I Need You

Blessing

Digging Deeper:

1. Read Matthew 4:4-7: What was Jesus's temptation in this passage? What was the devil's reasoning behind it? (v.5-6)
2. What scripture was the devil quoting in verse 6? Why do you think the devil quoted scripture to Jesus? (also see Matt. 4:1-4)
3. Read Psalm 91:1-13. What are the "benefits" of having the Most High as your "refuge and fortress"?
4. What promises does God make in Psalm 91:14-16?
5. Despite God's promises, what was Jesus' response to the devil's temptation?
6. How is trusting in God's protection and care different than intentionally putting yourself in a dangerous situation so that God will save you?
7. What situation might you be in right now where you or a loved one needs God's protection and care? What keeps you from trusting in his protection more completely?

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**Worship**  
**March 10, 2024**

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