

# Tidings of Peace

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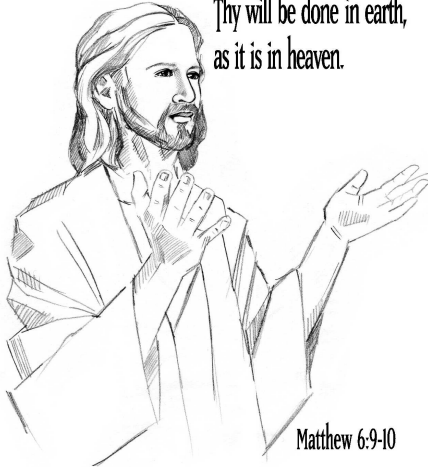
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OUR Father which art in heaven,  
Hallowed be thy name.  
Thy kingdom come.  
Thy will be done in earth,  
as it is in heaven.



Matthew 6:9-10

## Whose Will? "Thy Will Be Done"

"Not as I will, but as you will," Jesus prayed to His Father the night before He went to the cross for our salvation. And that is our prayer as well this Lent as we seek to do God's will in our lives, as we draw near to the observance of Christ's suffering, death and resurrection during Holy Week.

Written by Rev. Justin Rossow, each service in the series focuses on a different aspect of God's will at work among us. Biblical characters are used as insightful reference points each week to guide us in following our Lord more nearly day by day.

Services are Wednesdays at 7:00 PM,  
with a Meal & Fellowship from 5:45 - 6:45 PM.  
*Lenten Offerings: Missionary, Lindsey Mueller*

### ♥ Ash Wednesday, February 14 ♥ God's Will and God's Promise ♥

*Abraham trusted the will of God when He promised that a son would be born to him. God's will was done when that son, Isaac, was born, and God's will was done when His Son, Jesus, came into the world to redeem His people.*

*Special Valentine's Lasagna Meal by Team #2 & Women's Board / Imposition of Ashes*

### Wed, February 21 • God's Will and My Inadequacy •

*Moses did not think he could free the Israelites from slavery in Egypt. But God gave him confidence to set his people free. In Lent we remember that God sent His Son to do His will and set all people free from the slavery of sin.*

*Servant Team #1 Soup - Peace Choir Sings*

### Wed., February 28 • God's Will and My Dreams •

*Anointed by God to rule in Israel, King David followed God's will to shepherd His people, but often failed to live up to God's dream for him. We welcome the Good Shepherd into our lives who fulfills God's dream perfectly to gather His wandering sheep into the sheepfold of heaven.*

*Youth of Peace Soup*

### Wed., March 7 • God's Will and My Identity •

*In humility, Mary dutifully accepted the role God had given her to become the mother of our Savior. That Son would later accept his role, faithfully following the path His Father had in mind for Him to save us all.*

*Servant Team #2 Soup - Peace Choir Sings*

### Wed., March 14 • God's Will and My Worldview •

*On the road to Damascus, Paul had his worldview turned upside down when God called him to preach the name of the Christ he had been persecuting. We follow God's will by putting the crucified Christ at the center of our worldview.*

*Servant Team #1 Soup*

### Wed., March 21 • God's Will and My Response •

*We remember that Lydia followed the will of God by responding in faith and hospitality when the Gospel message of Christ's sacrifice was preached to her. We follow the will of God by responding in love and service to one another in return for what Christ has done for us.*

*Youth of Peace Soup - Peace Choir Sings*