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Sunday 22nd. March, 2020 The Fourth Sunday in Lent

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Scripture Sentence

Welcome

Call to Worship

Opening Prayer (incl. optional responses:)

Merciful God,

**we confess that we have sinned against you
in thought, word, and deed,
by what we have done,
and by what we have left undone.**

**We have not loved you
with our whole heart and mind and strength.
We have not loved our neighbours as ourselves.**

**In your mercy, forgive what we have been,
help us amend what we are,
and direct what we shall be,
that we may delight in your will
and walk in your ways
to the glory of your holy name.**

Scripture: St. John 9:1-41

Hymn 555 Amazing grace

- 1 Amazing grace!-how sweet the sound-
that saved a wretch like me!
I once was lost, but now am found,
was blind, but now I see.

- 2 'Twas grace first taught my heart to fear
and grace my fears relieved;
how precious did that grace appear
the hour I first believed!

- 3 Through many dangers, toils and snares
I have already come;
'tis grace has brought me safe thus far,
and grace will lead me home.

- 4 The Lord has promised good to me,
his word my hope secures;
he will my shield and portion be
as long as life endures.

Sermon

Prayer of Intercession and the Lord's Prayer

Our Father which art in heaven,

Hallowed be thy Name.

Thy Kingdom come.

Thy will be done in earth, as it is in heaven.

Give us this day our daily bread.

**And forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors.
And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from
evil:**

**For thine is the Kingdom, and the power, and the
glory, for ever. Amen.**

Benediction

Choral Amen (3-fold.)