



## East Valley Reformed Church

Pastor Bill Van Herk

Third Sunday of Lent: March 24, 2019

### To Our Visitors

Thank you for joining us for this celebration of worship!  
It is our hope that you find the service uplifting and that you will come again. Please join us for coffee and fellowship after the service.

### Our Mission Statement

*"Helping each other follow Jesus Christ."*

### Our Vision Statement

*"To be people who delight in worshipping Jesus, seek to know him more and are being shaped by God to be a redemptive presence in our community through proclaiming the gospel, feeding the hungry and nurturing one another in love."*

### Elders/Committee

Butch Smedema: Vice President/Chair of Worship and Resource  
Mark Van Kommer: Chair of Education  
Connie Faulkner: Worship Team  
Frank Meneses: Life Church

### Deacons/Committee

Claudia King: Education Team  
Lorrie Zeutenhorst: Fellowship Team  
John Barnes: Chair of Fellowship Team  
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## The Approach to God

Prelude

Gathering Song

Welcome and Announcements

Prepare for Worship

Votum

Call to Worship

\*Opening Hymn # 186      “The Old Rugged Cross”

Prayer of Confession (Unison)

O God of our salvation,  
    give light to us  
    who come to you in the dark night of sin.  
Let your truth  
    pierce whatever hides your will from our      hearts;  
let your Spirit  
    sweep away the vanity of our lives;  
bring us new birth  
    so, we might see the glory of your kingdom, given when  
    you gave your only Son, Jesus Christ, to be our Savior. Amen.

Assurance of God’s Pardon

Special Music

## The Word of God

Prayer of Illumination

Old Testament Lesson      Genesis 1:1-8, 24-3:3

Songs of Praise (Prayer Requests Collected)  
    (Children ages 4-12 years can go to Kidz Church)

New Testament      Mark 2:23-28

Message      “Discipline of Saying No”

The Prayer of Application

## The Response to God

Song of Response

The Prayers of God’s People

The Gifts of God’s People

\*Doxology

\*Offering Prayer

\*Closing Hymn #195      “Nothing but the Blood”

The Benediction

\*Song of Departure

Postlude

**\*Please Stand if Able**

## Fourth Sunday of Lent March 31, 2019

***“The Discipline of Pronouncing Blessings”***

Numbers 6:24-26 and Romans 15:5-13, 33

Saying no to more can also be saying yes to God