

Lenten Worship 3

Immorality, Highway to the Grave

(Stand)

The Invocation

P: In the name of the Father and of the + Son and of the Holy Spirit.

C: AMEN.

Hymn: “All Glory Be to God on High” (LSB 947)

Psalm 7:8, 9–10, 17

P: Let the Lord judge the peoples.

**C: O RIGHTEOUS GOD, WHO SEARCHES MINDS AND HEARTS,
BRING TO AN END THE VIOLENCE OF THE WICKED AND MAKE
THE RIGHTEOUS SECURE.**

P: My shield is God Most High, who saves the upright in heart.

**ALL: I will give thanks to the Lord because of His righteousness and will sing
praise to the name of the Lord Most High.**

(Be seated)

The Old Testament Lesson

1 Kings 16:29–33 “(Ahab) . . . married Jezebel.”

L: This is the Word of the Lord.

C: THANKS BE TO GOD.

The Epistle Lesson

Revelation 2:18–29 “You tolerate that woman, Jezebel.”

L: This is the Word of the Lord.

C: THANKS BE TO GOD.

The Holy Gospel

Matthew 25:31–46 “He will put the sheep on His right and the goats on His left.”

(Stand)

P: This is the Gospel of the Lord.

C: PRAISE TO YOU, O CHRIST.

(Be seated)

Sermon Hymn: “Lord Jesus, Think on Me” (LSB 610)

The Sermon:

The Letter to Thyatira: Immorality, Highway to the Grave

(Stand)

The Apostles’ Creed

(Be seated)

The Offering

(Stand)

The Prayer of the Day

ALL: Jesus, Son of God, You know my faith, my love, my service, what I have done, and what I have not done. Grant me discernment of good and evil so nothing false might deceive me and lead me away from true righteousness, which is Your gift to me. In Your name I pray. Amen.

The Pastoral Prayers

P: Lord, in Your mercy

C: HEAR OUR PRAYER.

The Lord's Prayer - Our Father who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name, thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth, as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread and forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us, and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil, for thine is the kingdom, the power, and the glory, forever and ever. Amen.

The Benediction

P: To him who overcomes and does My will to the end, (Revelation 2:26)

C: I WILL ALSO GIVE HIM THE MORNING STAR. HE WHO HAS AN EAR, LET HIM HEAR WHAT THE SPIRIT SAYS TO THE CHURCHES. (Revelation 2:28–29)

P: The grace of the Lord Jesus be with God's people. In the name of the Father and of the + Son and of the Holy Spirit.

C: AMEN.

Closing Hymn: "The Day Is Surely Drawing Near" (LSB 508)