



# Easter Sunday

The Resurrection of Our Lord

TRADITIONAL WORSHIP SERVICE

APRIL 9, 2023 · 9AM



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## PRELUDE

*All Glory, Laud and Honor* arr. David Paxton

## EASTER MORNING PROCLAMATION FROM THE BAPTISMAL FONT *stand*

Pastor: He is risen!

**Congregation: He is risen, indeed!**

P: He is risen!

**C: He is risen, indeed!**

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**ALL: Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!**

*OUR VISION*

To be an inspired body of Christ.



*OUR MISSION*

Love God. Love Others. Serve.

# Jesus Christ Is Risen Today



1 Je - sus Christ is ris'n to - day, Al - le - lu - ia!  
 2 Hymns of praise then let us sing, Al - le - lu - ia!  
 3 But the pains which he en - dured, Al - le - lu - ia!  
 4 Sing we to our God a - bove, Al - le - lu - ia!



Our tri - um - phant ho - ly day, Al - le - lu - ia!  
 Un - to Christ, our heav'n - ly king, Al - le - lu - ia!  
 Our sal - va - tion have pro - cured, Al - le - lu - ia!  
 Praise e - ter - nal as his love, Al - le - lu - ia!



Who did once up - on the cross, Al - le - lu - ia!  
 Who en - dured the cross and grave, Al - le - lu - ia!  
 Now a - bove the sky he's king, Al - le - lu - ia!  
 Praise him, all you heav'n - ly host, Al - le - lu - ia!



Suf - fer to re - deem our loss, Al - le - lu - ia!  
 Sin - ners to re - deem and save, Al - le - lu - ia!  
 Where the an - gels ev - er sing, Al - le - lu - ia!  
 Fa - ther, Son, and Ho - ly Ghost, Al - le - lu - ia!

Text: Latin carol, 14th cent., sts. 1-3; Charles Wesley, 1707-1788, st. 4; tr. *Lyræ Davidica*, London, 1708, sts. 1-3  
 Music: EASTER HYMN, *Lyræ Davidica*, London, 1708

## GREETING

Pastor: The grace of our Lord, Jesus Christ, the love of God and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit be with you.

Congregation: **And also with you.**

## PRAYER OF THE DAY FOR EASTER

P: Let us pray,

All: **O God, you gave your only Son to suffer death on the cross for our redemption, and by his glorious resurrection you delivered us from the power of death. Make us die every day to sin, that we may live with him forever in the joy of the resurrection, through your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.**

## ANNOUNCEMENTS AND PARISH NEWS

## SCRIPTURE LESSONS

Carol Schaefer, Lector

**PSALM: Psalm 23** Pew Bible pg. #49

Lector: The Lord is my shepherd, I shall not want

**Congregation: He makes me lie down in green pastures;**L: <sup>2</sup>he leads me beside still waters; <sup>3</sup>he restores my soul.**C: He leads me in right paths for his name's sake.**L: <sup>4</sup>Even though I walk through the darkest valley,**C: I fear no evil; for you are with me;  
your rod and your staff—they comfort me.**L: <sup>5</sup>You prepare a table before me in the presence of my enemies;**C: you anoint my head with oil; my cup overflows.**L: <sup>6</sup>Surely goodness and mercy shall follow me all the days of my life,**C: and I shall dwell in the house of the Lord my whole life long.****EPISTLE READING: Acts 10:34-43** Pew Bible pg. #1004*Peter preaches the Easter story.*

Then Peter began to speak to them: "I truly understand that God shows no partiality, <sup>35</sup>but in every nation anyone who fears him and does what is right is acceptable to him. <sup>36</sup>You know the message he sent to the people of Israel, preaching peace by Jesus Christ—he is Lord of all. <sup>37</sup>That message spread throughout Judea, beginning in Galilee after the baptism that John announced: <sup>38</sup>how God anointed Jesus of Nazareth with the Holy Spirit and with power; how he went about doing good and healing all who were oppressed by the devil, for God was with him. <sup>39</sup>We are witnesses to all that he did both in Judea and in Jerusalem. They put him to death by hanging him on a tree; <sup>40</sup>but God raised him on the third day and allowed him to appear, <sup>41</sup>not to all the people but to us who were chosen by God as witnesses, and who ate and drank with him after he rose from the dead. <sup>42</sup>He commanded us to preach to the people and to testify that he is the one ordained by God as judge of the living and the dead. <sup>43</sup>All the prophets testify about him that everyone who believes in him receives forgiveness of sins through his name."

Lector: This is the Word of the Lord.

**Congregation: Thanks be to God!**

**GOSPEL ACCLAMATION**

Liz Elliott &amp; Collin Kasefang, duet

*O Death Where Art Thy Sting* from "The Messiah"**GOSPEL LESSON: Matthew 28:1-10** Pew Bible pg. #911 stand

Pastor: The Holy Gospel according to Matthew, the 28th chapter.

**Congregation: Glory to you, O Lord!**

After the sabbath, as the first day of the week was dawning, Mary Magdalene and the other Mary went to see the tomb. <sup>2</sup> And suddenly there was a great earthquake; for an angel of the Lord, descending from heaven, came and rolled back the stone and sat on it. <sup>3</sup> His appearance was like lightning, and his clothing white as snow. <sup>4</sup> For fear of him the guards shook and became like dead men. <sup>5</sup> But the angel said to the women, 'Do not be afraid; I know that you are looking for Jesus who was crucified. <sup>6</sup> He is not here; for he has been raised, as he said. Come, see the place where he lay. <sup>7</sup> Then go quickly and tell his disciples, "He has been raised from the dead, and indeed he is going ahead of you to Galilee; there you will see him." This is my message for you.' <sup>8</sup> So they left the tomb quickly with fear and great joy, and ran to tell his disciples. <sup>9</sup> Suddenly Jesus met them and said, 'Greetings!' And they came to him, took hold of his feet, and worshipped him. <sup>10</sup> Then Jesus said to them, 'Do not be afraid; go and tell my brothers to go to Galilee; there they will see me.'

Pastor: The Gospel of the Lord.

**Congregation: Praise to you, O Christ.****SERMON**

Pastor Bob Stelter

*Oh No, You Don't*

## Thine Is the Glory

1 Thine is the glo - ry, ris - en, con - qu'ring Son;  
 2 Lo, Je - sus meets thee, ris - en from the tomb!  
 3 No more we doubt thee, glo - rious Prince of life;

end - less is the vic - t'ry thou o'er death hast won!  
 Lay - ing - ly he greets thee, scat - ters fear and gloom;  
 life is nought with out thee: aid us in our strife:

An - gels in bright rai - ment rolled the stone a - way,  
 let his church with glad - ness hymns of tri - umph sing,  
 make us more than con - qu'ers, through thy death - less love;

kept the fold - ed grave - clothes where thy bod - y lay,  
 for the Lord now liv - eth; death hath lost its sting?  
 bring us safe through Jor - dan to thy home a bove.

*Refrain*  
 Thine is the glo - ry, ris - en, con - qu'ring Son;  
 end - less is the vic - t'ry thou o'er death hast won!

### NICENE CREED

Pastor: Gathered into one by the Holy Spirit, we proclaim our faith.

**All: We believe in one God, the Father, the Almighty,  
 maker of heaven and earth, of all that is, seen and unseen.**

**We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ, the only Son of God,  
 eternally begotten of the Father, God from God, Light from Light,  
 true God from true God, begotten, not made, of one Being with the Father.  
 Through him all things were made. For us and for our salvation  
 he came down from heaven; by the power of the Holy Spirit  
 he became incarnate from the Virgin Mary and was made man.  
 For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate;  
 he suffered death and was buried. On the third day he rose again  
 in accordance with the Scriptures; he ascended into heaven and  
 is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again in glory  
 to judge the living and the dead, and his kingdom will have no end.**

**We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son. With the Father and the Son he is worshiped and glorified. He has spoken through the prophets.**

**We believe in one holy catholic and apostolic church. We acknowledge one Baptism for the forgiveness of sins. We look for the resurrection of the dead, and the life of the world to come. Amen.**

## **PRAYERS OF THE CHURCH**

Greg Bohlken

Assistant: Called into unity with one another and the whole creation, let us pray for our shared world.

*A brief silence.*

Assistant: Holy One, we have created divisions you will not own. In places of conflict, raise up leaders who work to develop lasting peace and reconciliation. Encourage organizations and individuals who care for all forced to leave their homes. Hear us, O God.

**C: Your mercy is great.**

A: Holy One, you care for those who are harassed and helpless. Protect and defend those who are abused. Heal those who are sick. Feed all who hunger. Empower all whose voices go unheard, and help us respond to the pressing needs of our neighbors. Hear us, O God.

**C: Your mercy is great.**

*Here other intercessions may be offered.*

A: Holy One, you bring all people to yourself. We give thanks for the holy people who have gone before us. Sustain us in your mission until the day you bear us up to join the saints in light. Hear us, O God.

**C: Your mercy is great.**

Pastor: Receive these prayers, O God, and those too deep for words; through Jesus Christ our Lord.

**Congregation: Amen.**

## **THE PEACE**

Pastor: The peace of the Risen Lord be with you always.

**Congregation: And also with you.**

## **OFFERING FOR MINISTRY & MISSION**

## **OFFERING ANTHEM**

*On the Third Day* Allen Pote

## **GREAT THANKSGIVING**

Pastor: The Lord be with you.

**Congregation: And also with you.**

P: Lift up your hearts.

**C: We lift them up to the Lord.**

P: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

**C: It is right to give our thanks and praise.**

## **WORDS OF INSTITUTION**

Pastor: Blessed are you, O God of the universe. Your mercy is everlasting and your faithfulness endures from age to age.

In the night in which he was betrayed, our Lord Jesus took bread, and gave thanks; broke it, and gave it to his disciples, saying:

*Take and eat; this is my body, given for you.  
Do this for the remembrance of me.*

Again, after supper, he took the cup, gave thanks, and gave it for all to drink, saying:

*This cup is the new covenant in my blood,  
shed for you and for all people for the forgiveness of sin.  
Do this for the remembrance of me.*

With this bread and cup we remember our Lord's passover from death to life as we proclaim the mystery of faith:

**Congregation: Christ has died. Christ is risen. Christ will come again.**

P: Reveal yourself to us in the breaking of the bread. Raise us up as the body of Christ for the world. Send us forth, burning with justice, peace, and love.

**C: Come, Holy Spirit.**

## **THE LORD'S PRAYER**

Pastor: With one voice, we pray:

**All: 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, and the power,  
and the glory, forever and ever. Amen.**

INVITATION TO THE MEAL FROM PASTOR BOB STELTER

Lamb of God

Lamb of God, you take a - way the sin of the world; have mer-cy on  
 us. Lamb of God, you take a - way the sin of the  
 world; have mer-cy on us. Lamb of God, you take a - way the  
 sin of the world; grant us peace, grant us peace.

DISTRIBUTION HYMN hymnal, #838

Beautiful Savior

1 Beau - ti - ful Sav - ior, King of cre - a - tion.  
 2 Fair are the mead - ows, fair are the wood - lands,  
 3 Fair is the sun - shine, fair is the moon - light.  
 4 Beau - ti - ful Sav - ior, Lord of the na - tions,  
 Son of God and Son of Man!  
 robed in flow'rs of bloom - ing spring;  
 bright the spar - kling stars on high;  
 Son of God and Son of Man!  
 'Tru - ly I'd love thee, tru - ly I'd serve thee,  
 Je - sus is fair - er, Je - sus is pur - er,  
 Je - sus shines bright - er, Je - sus shines pur - er  
 Glo - ry and hon - or, praise, ad - o - ra - tion,  
 light of my soul, my joy, my crown,  
 he makes our sor - rowing spir - it sing,  
 than all the an - gels in the sky,  
 now and for - ev - er - more be thine!



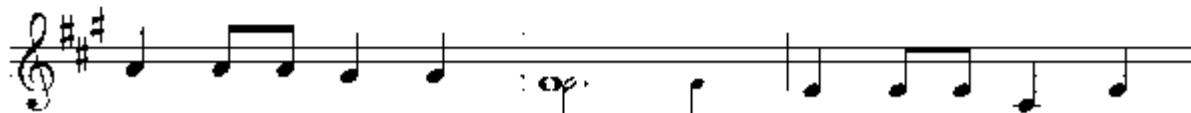
## I Am the Bread of Life



1 "I am the Bread of life. You who  
 2 "The bread that . . . I will give is my  
 3 "Un - less . . . you . . . eat of the  
 4 "I am the res - ur - rec - tion.  
 5 Yes. Lord. . . . I be - lieve that . . .



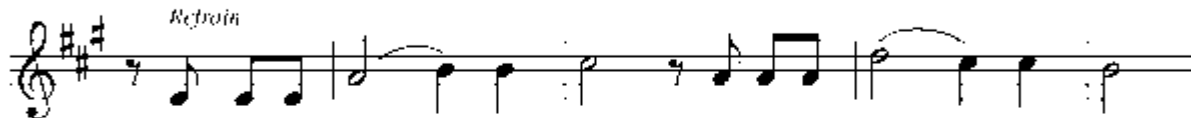
come to me shall not hun - ger, and who be -  
 flesh for the life of the world. . . . and if you  
 flesh of the Son of Man . . . . . and . . . .  
 I . . . . . am the life. . . . . If you be -  
 you . . . . . are the Christ, . . . . . the . . . .



lieve in me shall not thirst. No one can come to  
 eat . . . . . of this bread, you shall . . . live for -  
 drink . . . . . of his blood. and drink . . . . . of his  
 lieve . . . . . in . . . . . me. e - ven . . . though you  
 Son . . . . . of . . . . . God, who . . . . . has . . . .



me un - less the Fa - ther beck - ons."  
 ev - er. . . . . you shall live for - ev - er."  
 blood. you shall not have life with - in you."  
 die. . . . . you shall live for - ev - er."  
 come in - to . . . . . the . . . . . world. . . . .



*Refrain*  
 "And I will raise you up, and I will raise you up,



and I will raise you up on the last day."

**COMMUNION BLESSING** *stand*

Pastor: Now may the body and blood of our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ,  
 strengthen you and keep you in His grace.

Congregation: Amen.

## **POST-COMMUNION PRAYER**

Assistant: Let us pray,

**Congregation: O God, we give you thanks that you have set before us this feast, the body and blood of Jesus. Now send us forth in the power of your Spirit that we may proclaim your redeeming love to the world and continue forever in the risen life of Christ, our Lord. Amen.**

## **BLESSING**

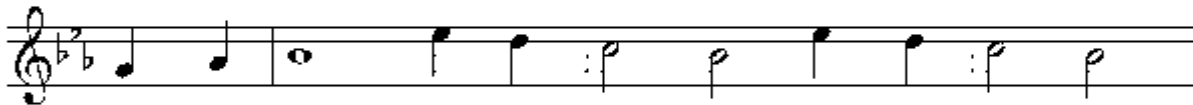
Pastor: Go forth in the world as Easter people. Serve God with gladness; be of good courage; hold fast to that which is good; render to no one evil for evil; strengthen the fainthearted; support the weak; help the afflicted; and honor all people rejoicing in the power of the Father, the Son+ and the Holy Spirit.

**Congregation: Amen.**

## Now All the Vault of Heaven Resounds



1 Now all the vault of heav'n re-sounds in praise of love that  
2 E - ter - nal is the gift he brings, there - fore our heart with  
3 Oh, fill us, Lord, with daunt-less love; set heart and will on  
4 A - dor - ing prais - es now we bring and with the heav'n-ly



still a - bounds: "Christ has tri - umphed! He is liv - ing!"  
rap - ture sings: "Christ has tri - umphed! He is liv - ing!"  
things a - bove that we con - quer through your tri - umph;  
bless - ed sing: "Christ has tri - umphed! Al - le - lu - ia!"



Sing, choirs of an - gels, loud and clear! Re - peat their song  
Now still he comes to give us life and by his pres -  
grant grace suf - fi - cient for life's day that by our lives  
Be to the Fa - ther, and our Lord, to Spir - it blest.



of glo - ry here: "Christ has tri - umphed! Christ has tri - umphed!"  
once stills all strife. Christ has tri - umphed! He is liv - ing!  
we tru - ly say: Christ has tri - umphed! He is liv - ing!  
most ho - ly God, all the glo - ry, nev - er end - ing!



Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia!

### **SENDING**

Assistant: Christ is alive! Let us love God, love others, serve.

**Congregation: Amen.**

A: Go in peace. Share the Good News.

**C: Thanks be to God!**

### **POSTLUDE**

*Fanfare* J. Lemmons



## SPECIAL EASTER FLOWERS



To the Glory of Our Risen Lord  
**Faith Lutheran Church**

In memory of our son, Joe  
**Alice & Joe Pigott**

### MEMORIALS & HONORARIUMS

Pastor Stelter and the Church Staff Members  
**Allison & Danny Pressley**

In honor of the Handy Faithfuls  
**Terry & Craig Runger**

In honor of our Children and Grand Children  
**Nancy & Stephen Dean**

In honor of Keely Rickert's baptism  
**Barbara & Gene Bird**

In honor of our Families  
**Debbie & Anthony Ragucci**

In honor of our Grandchildren  
**Ann & Randy Stewart**

In memory of Frank H. Reisinger III  
**Sarah & Chip Hester**

In memory of our son, Austin Montgomery Herbold  
In memory of C.B & Louise Wright  
In memory of George & Arlene Herbold  
**Mary & George Herbold**

In memory of Karen McIntosh  
**Pat Weaver**

In memory of our son, Adam  
In memory of Adelaide & Sterling Wigren  
In memory of Myrtle & Wilbur Dean  
**Nancy & Stephen Dean**

In memory of Robert Blackburn  
In memory of Cathy Blackburn  
In memory of Wayne Smith  
**Rhonda & Rob Blackburn**

In memory of Jodi Stehmeyer  
**Christina Landau**

In memory of Ron Fife  
**Gloria Fife**

In memory of Jim West  
**Marj West**

In memory Lisa  
In memory of Carol  
**Vicki Adams**

In memory of Arden & John Hitchcock  
In memory of Jean & Earl Johnson  
**Lisa & Eric Johnson**

In memory of Lynne Norton (Dawn's mother)  
In memory of Nelson Titsworth (Nelson's dad)  
**Dawn & Nelson Titsworth**

In memory of A.P. "Skip" Beardsley, my dad  
**Laura Beardsley**

In memory of my little sister, Jeni Jenkins  
In memory of Jodi Stehmeyer  
**Tammy Jansen & Joe Morelli**

In memory of Leonard, Jeff and Jill Johnson  
**Debbie & Anthony Ragucci**

In memory of Millie & Thurman Odle  
In memory of Cheryl Stone  
In memory of Matthew Bates  
**Reneé & Tim Stone**



# FAITH LUTHERAN CHURCH

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**Traditional Worship, 9am ♦ Contemporary Worship, 11:11am**

**Dr. Bob Stelter** — Pastor  
**Greg Bohlken** — Ministry Associate  
**Lynn Rognsvoog** — Organist  
**Collin Kasefang** — Choir Director  
**Lisa Stelter** — Worship Graphics

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## WELCOME!

As followers of Jesus, we rejoice in God's plan for a just, loving and peaceful world. We commit ourselves to making it a reality for all people everywhere. Just as all are welcome at the Lord's table during holy communion, all are welcome to this family of faith. People of all races, ages, social status, sexual orientations and gender identity are united here in our mission to love God, love others and serve. Please sign a Worship Card and place it in the offering plate.

## NEW MEMBERS WELCOME!

Want to know more about Lutheranism and our ministries? Contact Pastor Bob, [pastorbob@faithloves.org](mailto:pastorbob@faithloves.org).

## Sunday Worship 9 & 11:11am

Live or online at [YouTube.com/atFaithLutheran3329/stream](https://www.youtube.com/atFaithLutheran3329/stream)

## EASTER EGG HUNT today, 10:30am

For 5th grade & younger. Bring your baskets!

**ADULT SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASS, 10:15am.** Study the Book of Revelation, led by John Woods, *The Cup—Resumes next Sunday, April 16.*

**CHILDREN'S SUNDAY SCHOOL, 10:15am.**

**TUESDAY BIBLE STUDY, 1:30pm** led by John Woods.

**HANDBELL PLAYERS REHEARSAL Wednesdays, 5:30pm.** Come join us! Lynn offers piano lessons, too. Contact her at [rosiemomflowers@yahoo.com](mailto:rosiemomflowers@yahoo.com) or call 503-819-0118.

**COLUMBARIUM NICHES** are available to our members for \$1,800 & to non-members at \$2,500. Application forms are found in our **Columbarium Booklet** in the narthex.

**NOTICE:** Pastor Bob has never and will never ask for support or funds via email, text or Facebook. If you have received a request for funds or support from him, please report it to the office immediately, 865-966-9626.

**2023 FLOWER CHART** has been posted. Sign up on the bulletin board by the library.

## SHEPHERD OF HOPE FOOD PANTRY Open Monday, April 17, 3-6pm

Items needed:

**Canned Vegetables • Cereal  
Shampoo & Conditioner**

Contact: **Reneé Stone, 865-599-7424**

## POSIES FOR THE PANTRY

Saturday, April 22, 9am-1pm

Farragut Presbyterian Church,

Proceeds benefit the Shepherd of Hope Food Pantry.

## UPCOMING MEETINGS & EVENTS

**YOUTH MINISTRY MEETING FOR PARENTS OF YOUTH, Sunday, April 16, 10am.** Please join Greg Bohlken in the Youth Room to talk about our youth ministry and upcoming events and summer plans.

**MIDDLE SCHOOL & HIGH SCHOOL BOWLING Sunday, April 16, 5:30-7:30pm** at Main Event (Kingston Pike at Cedar Bluff). Bring money for bowling and food (or eat before coming). Parents welcome. Let Greg know you're coming, [greg@faithloves.org](mailto:greg@faithloves.org).

**ART OF WORSHIP INTERGENERATIONAL YOUTH GROUP Wednesday, April 19, 5:30-7:30pm.** All ages welcome.

**AFFIRM YOUTH GATHERING** Registration is open! Let Greg Bohlken know if you'd like to go, then go online to register at [www.sesyouth.org/affirm](http://www.sesyouth.org/affirm).

**SALVATION ARMY SHELTERS VISIT Tuesday, April 25, 5pm.** We'll take your donations of treats and men's socks & boxers (sizes m-xl), and women's underwear (sizes 6-11).  
**Future Dates:** 5.23, 6.27, 7.25, 8.22, 9.26, 10.24, 11.28, 12.19.

**FAITH SERVES KARM on the following dates:** 5.27, 7.22, 9.23, 12.2.2023 and 1.27.2024

## WORSHIP LEADERS TODAY

9am Traditional

Altar Guild	Pat Lyman
Assisting Minister	Greg Bohlken
Lector	Carol Schaefer
Communion Ministers	Lisa Stelter, Kathy Thompson Bryan Thompson, David Mabry
Greeter	Nancy Dean
Ushers	Randy Schaefer, Ritchie Case

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 Offerings Year to Date \$ 185,270  
 Walk by Faith \$ 742,674



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*This column will start anew on the first Sunday of each month.*

**FRIENDS:** Glenn Bird, Kara Bledsoe, Marsha Bode, Sharon Brokenshire, Merriam & Newton Calhoun, Michael Carfi, Harold Chapel, Jack Cleave, Jan & Frank Colangelo, Shirley & Harrel Connley, Martin Connor, Kathy Conover, Nancy Crain, Bill Crain, the Damingo family, Brandy & Brian Duke, Jon Eftelawd, Chris Elkins, Vader Ernst, Alanna & Arnie Fenske, Darrell Foust, Sandra & Joel Garber, Phylis Garrison, Gregory Goodall, Rita Heavner, Linda Holtz, Bea Horion, Larry Hu, Hannah Johnson, Kelsey Irwin, Donna Knick, Randy Large, Loyacano family, David Matthews, Lonnie Meland, Thomas Merish, Sue Olson, Wilma Parker, Jim Presley, Sandra Prior, Claire Racine, Susan Roig, Terry Rosenberger, the Salles families, Scaglione family, Anne Marie Schrubbe, Tiphinne Shea-Scoba, Marilyn Savilisky, Sliger family, Linda Smith, Austin Stephens, Jeannette Svenson, Lynda & Tommy Swayze, Paul Travis, Frank Tyler, Scott Williams, Andrea Wilson, Mya, Ro & Haven Wolfe, Lauren Wolfe, Martha Woodward, the Zehner family, Anna & Elijah, Clarence & Elaine, Darcy, Gayle, Hannah, Irma, Jacob, Jodi, Jolena, Kati, Lynda, Manard, Michael, Mila & family, Sam, Shayna and those we name to You.

**BAPTISMAL BLESSINGS:** Keely Allison Rickert, parents are Kim & Isaac, sponsors are Amy & Tyler Bird; Stone Everett Williams, parents are Katie & Walter; sponsor is Alyssa Sparhawk; Elijah Peyton Greene, parents are Danielle Owens & Aaron Greene, sponsors are Gage Kirby & Riley Kirby; Robert Matthew Wright.

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**COMFORT IN THE MIDST OF DEATH:** Martin Connor, Randy Feagin, Marian Williams, Sue LeVecchia, Linda Langland.

**SALVATION ARMY FRIENDS:** Heather, Kayla, Buffy, Janine, Joan, John, Marcella, Amy, Heather, Brittany, Bridgett, Ashley, Chloe, Edward, Richardson, Jeff, Brandon, Bill, Jason, Chip, James, Mike, John, Tim, Robert, Brent.

**PRAYERS, CONCERN & ASSISTANCE:** The people of Ukraine; the earthquake victims in Syria & Turkey; the physically & mentally disabled.

**PARTNERSHIPS:** Bishop Eaton & the Evangelical Lutheran Church in America; Bishop Strickland & the Southeastern Synod; Alicia & David Brondos, Missionaries in Mexico; Shepherd of Hope Food Pantry; Quiet Music Ministry; Tyson House; Deacon Ministry; Knox Area Rescue Ministry; Via de Cristo Ministry; Salvation Army Women's & Men's Homeless Shelters; Community Coalition Against Human Trafficking; Cole Center Caregivers and Parkinson Band, Mercy Ships, Iglesia Luterano Augustana de Guatemala & Milagro Women's Education Center, AL-ANON, Narcotics Anonymous.

**PEACE:** Protection for all armed forces, especially: Jacob Cole, Andrew Chovancek, Tyler Hitter, H.M., Anthony Hu, Julianne LeFevre-Kerr, Chase Linell, Alex Primka, Christine Russ, Alex Serrano, Sam Thompson, Mitchell Yount, Greg Zager.



## 2023 COUNCIL MEMBERS

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### WEEK OF APRIL 9-16, 2023

#### Sunday, April 9 Easter Sunday

**9:00am Traditional Worship** Sanctuary  
10:00am Fellowship *The Cup*  
Children's Sunday School  
Praise Team Rehearsal  
**10:30am Easter Egg Hunt**  
**11:11am Contemporary Worship**  
**Easter Baptismal Festival**  
5:00pm AL-ANON meeting *Zoom*

#### Monday, April 10

9am-noon *The Cup* reserved—Marj West

#### Tuesday, April 11

1:30pm Bible Study Small Group *The Cup*  
6:00pm AL-ANON meeting *zoom*  
7:30pm Narcotics Anonymous *The Cup*

#### Wednesday, April 12

11:00am AL-ANON meeting *Community Room*  
4:00pm Staff Meeting  
5:30pm Bell Choir Rehearsal  
6:30pm Chancel Choir Rehearsal

#### Thursday, April 13

**6:30pm International Ministry—Guatemala**  
**Presentation by Synod Coordinator**  
7:30pm Narcotics Anonymous *The Cup*

#### Friday, April 14

**9:30am Cole Center Caregiver Community**  
(Fellowship hall & Library)  
7:00pm Narcotics Anonymous Group *The Cup*

#### Saturday, April 15

**9:00am TN Lutheran Via de Cristo Ultreya**  
11:00am AL-ANON meeting *Community Room*  
**1:00pm Barbara Barrass Memorial Visitation**  
**2:00pm Barbara Barrass Memorial Service**

#### Sunday, April 16 2nd Sunday of Easter

**9:00am Traditional Worship** Sanctuary  
10:00am Fellowship *The Cup*  
**Parents Meeting with Greg** *Youth room*  
Adult Sunday School  
Children's Sunday School  
Confirmation Class  
Praise Team Rehearsal  
**3-7:00pm Sons of Norway** *The Cup*  
**11:11am Contemporary Worship**  
5:00pm AL-ANON meeting *Zoom*  
**5:00pm Middle & High School Bowling @ Main Event**

### PREPARING FOR NEXT WEEK

**Monday** Psalm 118:1-2, 14-24; Exodus 14:10-31; 15:20-21; Colossians 3:5-11.

**Tuesday** Psalm 118:1-2, 14-24; Exodus 15:1-18; Colossians 3:12-17.

**Wednesday** Psalm 118:1-2, 14-24; Joshua 3:1-17; Matthew 28:1-10. ■ **Thursday** Psalm 16; Song of Solomon 2:8-15; Colossians 4:2-5.

**Friday** Psalm 16; Song of Solomon 5:9-6:3; 1 Corinthians 15:1-11. ■ **Saturday** Psalm 16; Song of Solomon 8:6-7; John 20:11-20.

**2nd Sunday of Easter** Acts 2:14a,22-32; Psalm 16; 1 Peter 1:3-9; John 20:19-31.



## Disaster Response Ministry

### **Giving is the best way you can help!**

Spring tornadoes started early this year with large tornadoes in January in Georgia and in Alabama and again with widespread destruction recently in Mississippi and northern Alabama.

In addition to those, smaller tornadoes have touched down in many communities across our synod, leaving damaged homes and families in need. Your synod disaster ministry team is actively responding alongside congregations within the impacted areas to address the needs of survivors and help communities organize for recovery.

Please consider making a gift to the Southeastern Synod Disaster Ministry to help us with our "long-term and on-the-ground" efforts.



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