

# *Easter Sunday*



## SERVICE OF HOLY COMMUNION

April 5, 2026 ✕ 9:30 am

PREACHING TODAY:  
THE REV. KATY MORAN

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**WELCOME TO ALL  
who join us today for worship!**

Most everything you need is printed in this bulletin. Hymns are found in the red *Evangelical Lutheran Worship* (ELW) hymnal.

- **Rest room facilities** are located in the hallway south of the Atrium.
- **Large print bulletins and hearing enhancement devices** are available. Please ask an Usher for assistance.
- **Everyone's encouraged** to record your name on the attendance sheets found in the attendance folders at the end of each pew. Any special requests (prayers, visits, inclusion in mailings, etc.) may be written on these sheets.
- **We will be passing offering plates during the service.** Wooden offering boxes for are also available at the rear of the Sanctuary.
- **Extra offering envelopes** can be found in the back of the attendance folder.
- **Please silence** your cell phone or switch it to vibrate.

**\* The congregation please stand as you are able.**

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**MUSIC FOR GATHERING**

*Trumpet Tune on "Lyra Davidica" - David Lasky*

*Risen Lord - Joel Raney*

Joanne Vasey, organ

*Morning Has Broken*

BUNESSAN; Traditional Gaelic melody; Arr. Sandra Eithun

12-Bell Handbell Ensemble Joanne Vasey, piano

**WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**PRELUDE**

*Good Christian Friends, Rejoice and Sing!*

GELOBT SEI GOTT; Melchior Vulpius; Arr. Cathy Moglebust

12-Bell Handbell Ensemble Joanne Vasey, piano

**\* THANKSGIVING FOR BAPTISM**

P Alleluia! Christ is risen.

C **Christ is risen, indeed. Alleluia!**

P Salvation belongs to our God who is seated on the throne and to the Lamb!

C **Amen.**

P Let us give thanks for the gifts of baptism.

*Water may be poured before or during the thanksgiving.*

P Merciful God,

you are the one who was, who is, and who is to come. You lead us beside still waters. We thank you for the waters of creation: morning dew, gentle rain, roaring waves. We thank you for the waters that nourish us.

Blessed are you.

C **You guide us to springs of the water of life.**

P Jesus Christ,

you are the faithful witness who accompanies us on our journeys. We give you thanks for your life-giving death and resurrection. We praise you for joining us in joy and sorrow.

Blessed are you.

C **You guide us to springs of the water of life.**

P Holy Spirit,  
you anoint our head with oil and our cup overflows. Break down barriers that divide us. Fill us with the breath of peace.  
Blessed are you.

C **You guide us to springs of the water of life.**

P Holy One,  
we thank you for the gifts and grace of baptism, and for making us a new creation. We join with saints and angels, giving you honor and praise, now and forever.

C **Amen.**

**\* PROCESSIONAL HYMN**

*Jesus Christ Is Risen Today* – ELW # 365  
Children processing with shakers and streamers.

**INTROIT**

*Jesus Is Alive!*  
Words and music: Lynn Shaw Bailey & Becki Slagle Mayo  
Children & Family Choir Joanne Vasey, piano  
Youth Handbells: Violet Hauck, Maddy Hauck, Devlynn Williams

**\* GREETING**

P Alleluia! Christ is risen!

C **Christ is risen indeed. Alleluia!**

P The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

C **And also with you.**

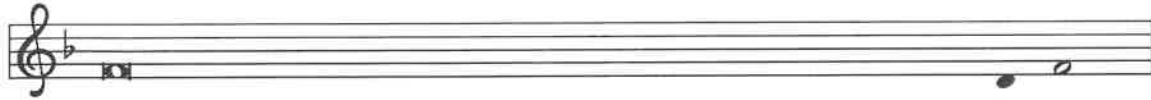
\* **KYRIE**

*Lord, Have Mercy*

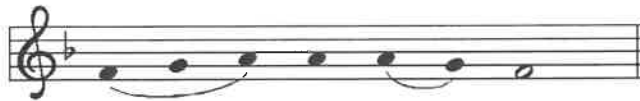
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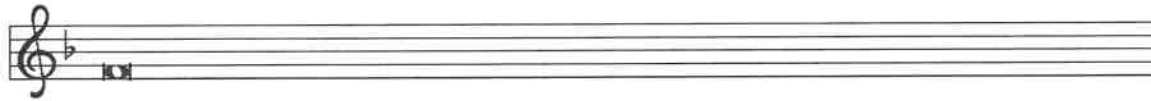
In peace, let us pray to the Lord. **Lord, have mer - cy.**



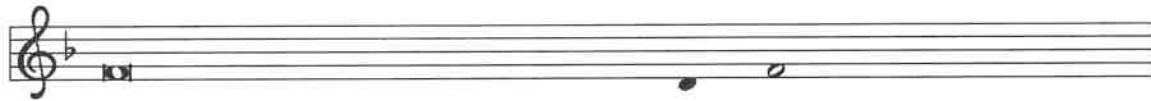
For the peace from above, and for our salvation, let us pray to the Lord.



**Lord, have mer - cy.**



For the peace of the whole world, for the well-being of the church of God,



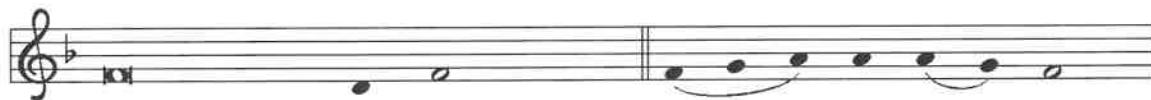
and for the unity of all, let us pray to the Lord.



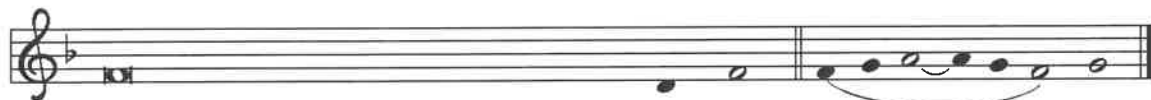
**Lord, have mer - cy.**



For this holy house, and for all who offer here their worship and praise,



let us pray to the Lord. **Lord, have mer - cy.**



Help, save, comfort, and defend us, gra - cious Lord. **A - men.**

\* HYMN OF PRAISE

ELW pp. 140-141

*Refrain*



This is the feast of vic-to-ry for our God. Al-le - lu - ia,



al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia. 1 Wor - thy is Christ, the Lamb



who was slain, whose blood set us free to be peo - ple of God.

*Refrain*



This is the feast of vic-to-ry for our God. Al-le - lu - ia,



al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia. 2 Pow - er, rich - es, wis - dom, and

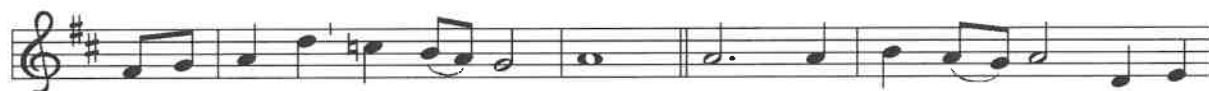


strength, and hon - or, bless - ing, and glo - ry are his.

*Refrain*



This is the feast of vic-to-ry for our God. Al-le - lu - ia,



al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia. 3 Sing with all the peo - ple of



God, and join in the hymn of all cre - a - tion: Bless - ing, hon - or,



glo - ry, and might be to God and the Lamb for - ev - er. A - men.

*Refrain*

This is the feast of vic-to-ry for our God. Al-le - lu - ia,  
 al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia. 4 For the Lamb who was  
 slain has be - gun his reign. Al - le - lu - ia.

*Final refrain*

This is the feast of vic-to-ry for our God.  
 Al-le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia.

## \* PRAYER OF THE DAY

**P** The Lord be with you.

**C** And also with you.

**P** God of mercy, we no longer look for Jesus among the dead, for he is alive and has become the Lord of life. Increase in our minds and hearts the risen life we share with Christ, and help us to grow as your people toward the fullness of eternal life with you, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

**C** Amen.

## FIRST READING: Jeremiah 31:1-6

<sup>1</sup> At that time, says the Lord, I will be the God of all the families of Israel, and they shall be my people.

<sup>2</sup> Thus says the Lord:

The people who survived the sword

found grace in the wilderness;

when Israel sought for rest,

<sup>3</sup> the Lord appeared to him from far away.

I have loved you with an everlasting love;  
therefore I have continued my faithfulness to you.

<sup>4</sup> Again I will build you, and you shall be built,  
O virgin Israel!

Again you shall adorn yourself with your tambourines  
and go forth in the dance of the merrymakers.

<sup>5</sup> Again you shall plant vineyards  
on the mountains of Samaria;  
the planters shall plant  
and shall enjoy the fruit.

<sup>6</sup> For there shall be a day when sentinels will call  
in the hill country of Ephraim:

“Come, let us go up to Zion,  
to the Lord our God.”

L The Word of the Lord.

C **Thanks be to God.**

## **SECOND READING: Acts 10:34-43**

<sup>34</sup> Peter began to speak to Cornelius and his household: “I truly understand that God shows no partiality, <sup>35</sup> but in every people anyone who fears him and practices righteousness 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.”

L The Word of the Lord.

C **Thanks be to God.**



\* THE HOLY GOSPEL: Matthew 28: 1-10

P The Holy Gospel according to Matthew, the twenty-eighth chapter.

C **Glory to you, O God.**

<sup>1</sup> 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, for 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 worshiped him. <sup>10</sup> Then Jesus said to them, “Do not be afraid; go and tell my brothers and sisters to go to Galilee; there they will see me.”

P The Gospel of the Lord.

C **Praise to you, O Christ.**

**CHILDREN’S SERMON**

**SERMON**

The Rev. Katy Moran

\* **HYMN OF THE DAY**

*Christ Is Risen! Alleluia!* – ELW # 382

## **\* THE APOSTLE'S CREED**

**P** Living together in trust and hope with believers around the world, we confess our common faith:

**C** **I believe in God, the Father Almighty,  
Creator of heaven and earth.**

**I believe in Jesus Christ, God's only Son, our Lord,  
who was conceived by the Holy Spirit,  
born of the Virgin Mary,  
suffered under Pontius Pilate,  
was crucified, died and was buried;  
he descended to the dead.**

**On the third day he rose again;  
he ascended into heaven,  
he is seated at the right hand of the Father,  
and he will come to judge the living and the dead.**

**I believe in the Holy Spirit,  
the holy catholic Church,  
the communion of saints,  
the forgiveness of sins,  
the resurrection of the body,  
and the life everlasting. Amen.**

## **\* PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE**

**A** Trusting in the power of Christ's resurrection to heal and redeem our broken world, let us pray for the needs of all creation.

*A brief silence.*

**P** Risen Savior, you have conquered death and opened the gates of everlasting life. Dispel our doubts and fears and renew our faith and hope in you. Merciful God,  
**C** **receive our prayer.**

A Life-giving God, the created world rejoices in Christ's victory over death. May all the earth be renewed by the light of Jesus' resurrection, and may we be faithful stewards of all you have made. Merciful God,  
C **receive our prayer.**

P Sovereign God, let the nations acknowledge your reign of justice and truth. Where violence, oppression, and corruption hold sway, pour out your holy and life-giving Spirit to transform and redeem. Merciful God,  
C **hear our prayer.**

A Gentle Shepherd, like the women at the empty tomb, many grieve or feel lost and afraid. Draw near to those who are ill or in pain especially for those we name aloud and in our hearts (*brief pause*). Reveal yourself to them as the Risen One. Merciful God,  
C **receive our prayer.**

P Faithful God, we thank you for the living hope you give us through Christ's resurrection. Bless this community, that we may boldly proclaim Christ's victory over death in word and deed. Merciful God,  
C **receive our prayer.**

*Here other intercessions may be offered.*

A Eternal One, we give thanks for all who have died and now share in the joy of your resurrection. Bring us, with them, to the unending feast of your victory. Merciful God,  
C **receive our prayer.**

P God of resurrection power, use us and these prayers to proclaim the good news of new life to all the world, through Jesus Christ, our risen Savior.  
C **Amen.**

**\* SHARING OF THE PEACE**

P The peace of the Lord be with you always.  
C **And also with you.**

*(Worshippers are encouraged to share the greeting "Peace be with you" with one another.)*

## OFFERTORY ANTHEM

*The Lord Is Risen This Morning!*

Words: Nancy Price & Don Besig Music: Don Besig  
Parish Choir Joanne Vasey, piano

*You are invited to place your offering in one of the plates as they are passed or to make use of our online offering plate through Vanco by scanning the QR code to the right. You may also place your offering in the wooden offering boxes located in the back of the sanctuary.*



## \* DOXOLOGY

*Now All the Vault of Heaven Resounds – ELW #367*  
Stanza 4

**Adoring praises now we bring  
and with the heav'nly blessed sing:  
"Christ has triumphed! Alleluia!"  
Be to the Father, and our Lord,  
to Spirit blessed, most holy God,  
All the glory, never ending!  
Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia!**

## \* OFFERTORY PRAYER

A Merciful God, accept the fruits of our labor, gathered to give you glory. You have set a table before us, a glimpse of that great day when we will hunger and thirst no more. Nourish us with the body and blood of Jesus, that goodness and mercy may follow us and bless the world you love.

In the name of Jesus,

C **Amen.**

## \* THE GREAT THANKSGIVING

P The Lord be with you.

C **And also with you.**

P Lift up your hearts.

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

P Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

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

P It is indeed right, our duty and our joy, that we should at all times and in all places give thanks and praise to You, almighty and merciful God, for the glorious resurrection of our Savior Jesus Christ, the true Paschal Lamb who gave himself to take away our sin; who in dying has destroyed death, and in rising has brought us to eternal life. And so, with Mary Magdalene and Peter and all the witnesses of the resurrection, with the earth and sea and all their creatures, and with angels and archangels, cherubim and seraphim, we praise Your name and join their unending hymn:

\* **SANCTUS**

ELW p. 144



Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord, God of pow'r and might,  
heav-en and earth are full of your glo - ry. Ho - san - na. Ho -  
san-na. Ho - san - na in the high - est. Bless-ed is he who  
comes in the name of the Lord. Ho-san - na in the high - est.

P Holy God, mighty and merciful,  
your people praise you, saying:  
Your mercy endures forever.

**C Your mercy endures forever.**

P By your promise  
you bound yourself to earth and all its creatures,  
granting them life and calling them to flourish,  
setting the sign of your bow in the clouds,  
the colors of your love and faithfulness.  
Your mercy endures forever.

**C Your mercy endures forever.**

P By your promise  
you bound yourself to your people of old,  
blessing them with family outnumbering the stars  
and calling them to be a blessing to others,  
showing them steadfast love in every generation  
and calling them to be a light to the nations.  
Your mercy endures forever.

**C Your mercy endures forever.**

P By your promise  
you joined us to Jesus, your Beloved,  
grafting us into your living vine,  
and calling us to bear the fruit of your self-giving love.

P 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.

P 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.

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

**C Christ has died.  
Christ is risen.  
Christ will come again.**

P Send your Holy Spirit upon us  
and these gifts of bread and wine.  
Bless us to be a blessing.  
Make us a sign of your faithfulness.  
Send us to tend and cherish the earth  
and to serve the world with mercy and love.

**P** With all the saints in light,  
with the earth and all its creatures,  
with sun and moon and stars,  
we praise you, O God, through Christ Jesus,  
in your Spirit, now and forever.

**C** Amen.

### \* THE LORD'S PRAYER

**P** Lord, remember us in your kingdom and teach us to pray.

**C** **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 COMMUNION

**P** Come to the table of new life. Receive the risen Lord.

**C** Thanks be to God.

### AGNUS DEI

ELW P. 146

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.

## COMMUNION ANTHEM

*This Glorious Easter Day!*

Words: Don Besig & Nancy Price Music: Don Besig  
Parish Choir Joanne Vasey, piano

## COMMUNION HYMNS

*The Day of Resurrection* - ELW # 361

*Alleluia! Jesus is Risen!* - ELW # 377

*Christ Is Alive! Let Christians Sing* - ELW # 389

*The Strife is O'er, the Battle Done* - ELW # 366

## \* POST COMMUNION BLESSING

P May the body and blood of our Lord Jesus Christ strengthen you and keep you in his grace.

C **Amen.**

## \* POST COMMUNION PRAYER

A Holy One, through this meal you have made your home among us and are making all things new. Send us now to speak peace to anxious hearts, to love our enemies, and to bring your healing to the nations. In the name of Jesus,

C **Amen.**

## \* BENEDICTION

P Alleluia! Christ is risen!

C **Christ is risen indeed! Alleluia!**

P God Almighty, who is the beginning and the end,  
Jesus Christ, the firstborn of the dead,  
and the Spirit, our advocate and peace,  
✠ bless you now and forever.

C **Amen.**

\* **RECESSIONAL HYMN** *Christ the Lord Is Risen Today; Alleluia!* - ELW # 369

## \* DISMISSAL

P Go in peace. Praise the Lord. Alleluia!

C **Thanks be to God. Alleluia!**

**\* POSTLUDE**

**\*\*Hallelujah Chorus – G.F. Handel  
Congregation**

*\*\*Interested vocalists from the congregation are welcome to lend their voices from the pews. This is a unison arrangement with all singers on melody. Please sing in the range comfortable for you. Please return music to the ushers or leave on the pew. Do not recycle or discard. Thank you!*

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**THE ALTAR FLOWERS** are given to the glory of God by Colin & Sarah O’Hara in celebration of their daughter Hallie.

**NO SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASSES TODAY:** Please join us instead for Easter Social Time after the worship service in the Atrium. Everyone is welcome!

**THANKS** to 12-Bell Handbell Ensemble, Children & Family Choir, Youth Bell Ringers, & Parish Choir for their contributions to today’s music ministry.

**PARTICIPATING IN OUR EASTER SUNDAY WORSHIP:**

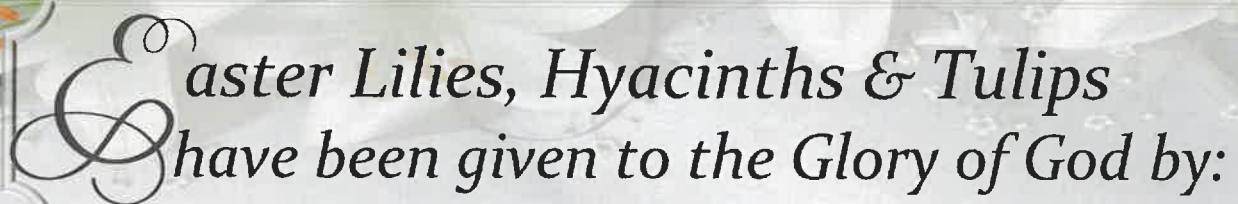
- Presiding/Preaching ..... The Rev. Katy Moran
- Worship Assistant.....Dale Biesecker
- Organist/Pianist/12-Bell Handbell Ensemble Director ..... Joanne Vasey
- Parish Choir/Children & Family Choir Director..... Brandy Aguirre
- Choirs.....12-Bell Handbell Ensemble, Children & Family Choir,  
Parish Choir
- Lector ..... Tim Goff
- Acolytes ..... Violet Hauck & Marie Winder
- Communion Ushers ..... Jim Snyder & Laura Adams
- Communion Assistants ..... Tess Trowbridge
- Communion Pourers ..... Jackie Cvik & Laura Faux
- Sound Technician ..... Tom Stahlnecker
- Usher Team..... Tim Varney & Bob Varney
- Welcome Desk..... Janie Keiser
- Altar Guild..... All Teams
- Council-Person-In-Charge.....Rick Faux

## CALENDAR APRIL 5 - APRIL 12, 2026

<b>Sunday, April 5</b> <b>EASTER-THE DAY OF RESURRECTION</b> Pastor Katy preaching	9:30am Holy Communion 10:30am Coffee Social Time - Atrium
<b>Monday, April 6</b>	Church Office closed 7:00pm Al-Anon-YR
<b>Tuesday, April 7</b>	9:00am –5:00pm Kids Market set up
<b>Wednesday, April 8</b>	9:00am –1:00pm Kids Market 2:00pm –3:30pm Transitions - Parlor 6:00pm Spiritual Growth
<b>Thursday, April 9</b>	9:30am Ladies Bible Study - Rm. 204-206 4:00pm –8:00pm Kids Market 6:00pm Ladies Bible Study - Rm. 204-206 6:30pm Worship & Music - Parlor
<b>Friday, April 10</b>	9:00am –1:00pm Kids Market Marian Jarrett Funeral: 10:00am visitation, 11:00am service
<b>Saturday, April 11</b>	9:00am –1:00pm Kids Market
<b>Sunday, April 12</b> <b>2 EASTER</b> Pastor Katy preaching	9:30am Holy Communion 10:30am Congregational Meeting re: Piano 10:45am Sunday School 1:00pm –4:00pm SVSWG - LCH/Room 202 2:00pm –4:00pm UYG Picnic @ Faith Lutheran

**ATTENDANCE:** March 29, 2026: 160

**OFFERINGS:** March 22, 2026 & March 29, 2026: \$4,864.50



*E*aster Lilies, Hyacinths & Tulips  
have been given to the Glory of God by:

**Laura Adams & Richard Shannon**

*In loving memory of Lena Mae Shannon*

*In honor of Grant & Elijah Adams*

**Bill & Julie Borys**

*In loving memory of our son, Matt*

*In loving memory of our parents,*

*John & Milly Borys and Dave & Lucille Voneida*

**Mike & Judy Bubnis**

*In loving memory of our son, Chad*

*In honor of our son, grandchildren & great grandson*

**Helen Clever**

*In loving memory of my husband, Eugene Clever*

*& daughter-in-law, Barbara Clever*

**Laura & Amy Faux**

*In honor of our parents' anniversary on April 29<sup>th</sup>*

**Janie Keiser**

*In thanks to God for blessing me with my beautiful grandkids*

**Tom & Miriam Milbrand**

*In loving memory of our son, Corey Milbrand  
and our parents, Llewellyn & Ramona Richards,  
and William & Miriam Milbrand*

**Brian & Diane Miller**

*In honor of our children: Abby & Jimmy Loftus  
and Olivia Miller & Austin Warr*

**Pastor Katy Moran**

*In loving memory of my Papa, Gene Bain*

**Dawn Moyer**

*In loving memory of my husband, Donald  
In honor of my family*

**Lori Moyer**

*In honor of Mom, Julie and Ronnie*

**Gary Parks**

*In honor of my pew mates, the Moyer-Lentz family*

**David E. Ricker**

*In loving memory of my parents, Eugene & Joanne Ricker  
and my grandmother, Catherine R. Smozinsky*

**Charlene Rineer**

*In honor of the staff at Christ's Lutheran Church*

**Rick & Laurie Slear**

*In loving memory of our parents,  
Albert & Beulah Slear and Harold & Gloria Walters*

**Tom & Beckie Stahlnecker**

*In loving memory of Beckie's mother, Nancy Brenner  
and Tom's parents, Ralph & Florence Stahlnecker*

*In honor of our family:*

*Roy Brenner, and J.J., Kara & Ella Anthony*

**Jeremy & Melissa Temple**

*In honor of our children Aubrey, Benjamin, Carter & Devlynn  
and our granddaughters Raelyn & Oaklyn*

**The Thomas children/grandchildren:**

**Caryl Rae, Lynn, Tamra & Kim**

*In loving memory of our father, Robert C. Thomas*

*In loving memory of our parents, W. Sherman & Lorma Doebler*

*In loving memory of our grandmother, L. Pauline Baker*

**Bill & DeeDee Wagner**

*In loving memory of Ann Wagner*

*In honor of our grandchildren, plus one on the way*

**Richard and Leslie**

*In loving memory of Joyce Waller and Madora Patrick*

**Gregg & Debby Wetzel**

*In loving memory of Gordon & Beverly Wetzel  
and Luther & Ella Worthington*

*Palm Plants have been  
given to the Glory of God by*



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and our granddaughters Raelyn & Oaklyn*

**Tim & Jackie Goff**

*In loving memory of our parents,  
Jack & Dorothy Dershem & brother, Gary Dershem  
Bob & Phylliss Goff and Lou Goff*

**Laura Adams & Richard Shannon**

*In loving memory of Lena Mae Shannon  
In honor of Grant & Elijah Adams*



Alleluia! Christ is risen! He is risen indeed!

Thank you for gathering with us this morning to celebrate the Resurrection of our Lord. In Christ's rising, we find the promise of new life, the assurance of forgiveness, and the unshakable hope of eternal life with God. We're filled with gratitude for the hope, new life, and joy that Easter brings. On this Easter morning and as we head into the Easter season, may the good news of the empty tomb fill you with peace, renew your faith, and inspire you to live each day in the light of Christ's new life for each of us!

We're so glad that you chose to spend your Easter with us. Whether you call this church home, you're exploring faith, you're visiting family, or you just happened to walk through our doors today, we want you to know that you are always welcome here. There's a place for you here! May the joy of the resurrection fill your hearts today and always!

Wishing you and your loved ones a blessed and joyful Easter,

The Staff of Christ's Lutheran Church