#### ~CHURCH CALENDAR~

Sun., March 31 **Easter Sunday** 

9:30 am Worship Service w/Holy Communion

No Sunday School

Easter Brunch Potluck following Worship



Tues., April 2 4:00 pm Christian Ed/Sunday School Teacher's meeting

6:30 pm Worship & Music Meeting Wed., April 3

9:30 am Worship Service w/Holy Communion Sun., April 7

10:20 am Joint Sunday School

12:00 pm Meeting at FPC to plan Salad Luncheon

6:00 pm Outreach & Social Ministry meeting Tues., April 11

6 - Taliesan Cox

7 - Nora Brow

9 - Penny Obey

11 - Jennifer Jordan

17 - Art Kanne

22 - Ruth Hill

22 - Bill Obey





5 - David & Lisa Dake

8 - Paul & Barb Carpenter



Pastor Melinda may be contacted at: orlcrev@jamadots.com or (906) 291-0897.

You may also leave a message at the church office: (906) 293-8331.

# **Stewardship Report**

March 24, 2024

3/3/24 Attendance: 17 3/10/24 Attendance: 16	Monthly General
3/17/24 Attendance: 16 3/24/24 Attendance: 18	Goal Fund Giving
5/24/24 Attenuance. 16	\$9,000
<u>Monthly</u>	\$8,000 \$7,000
General Fund Giving	\$3,108.00 \$6,000
Financial Need:	\$6,415.91 <b>\$5,000</b>
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	\$3,000
Easter Flowers	\$145.00 <b>\$2,000</b>
Memorial Fund	\$675.00 <b>\$1,000</b>



Online giving is available at www.redeem-me.org and click on the myEoffering button. For assistance, please call Paul Gaberdiel and leave a message at (906) 293-8331. Thank you!

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#### RESURRECTION OF OUR LORD SUNDAY

Pastor Melinda VanderSys Lisa Dake - Organist



March 31, 2024

#### **†Mission Statement** ⊕

"We are called to be a family of faith, sharing the love of Jesus Christ."



# Please keep in your prayers...

Melvina Amble, Christopher Davis (Lynn & Dave Kihm's nephew), Linda Ellis, Mark Hill, Ruth Hill, Steve Haggart, Jo Ann Hautala, Duane Jordan II, Art Kanne, Cris Kihm, Greg Mattson, Lefty and Alvina Mattson, Anna Marie Miller, Bob Moody, Sharon Painter, Ann Rolfes, Marge Rovenko,

Cindy Vandercook, and the family of Saara Raappana, daughter of Pastor Paul and Sandee Raappana and wife of Eric, who walked on this past Wednesday.

Addresses are posted on the bulletin board if you would like to send a card to any of our shut-If you would like to add someone to this list, please contact Pastor Melinda.



Please stay following worship and join in the Easter Potluck Brunch! There are baskets on the tables for donations to send two youth to Fortune Lake Lutheran Camp. Thank you for your support!



\*Standing in body or spirit

C=Congregational response is in bold print.

#### **PRELUDE**

## **WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS**

#### \*CALL TO WORSHIP

P: Alleluia! Christ is risen.

C: Christ is risen indeed. Alleluia!

# \*BRIEF ORDER FOR CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS WOV pg. 10

P: We gather together today in the name of the Father, and of the Son+, and of the Holy Spirit. **C: Amen.** 

P: Almighty God, to whom all hearts are open, all desires known, and from whom no secrets are hid: cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of Your Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love You and worthily magnify Your holy name, through Jesus Christ our Lord. **C: Amen.** 

P: If we say we have no sin, we deceive ourselves, and the truth is not in us. But if we confess our sins, God who is faithful and just will forgive our sins and cleanse us from all unrighteousness.

May we take a moment to go before God in open and honest confession. (pause)

P: Most merciful God,

C: Amen.

C: We confess that we are in bondage to sin and cannot free ourselves. 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; we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. For the sake of Your Son, Jesus Christ, have mercy on us. Forgive us, renew us, and lead us, so that we may delight in Your will and walk in Your ways, to the glory of Your holy name. Amen.

P: In the mercy of almighty God, Jesus Christ was given to die for us, and for His sake God forgives us all our sins. As a called and ordained minister of the Church of Christ, and by His authority alone, I, therefore, declare to you the entire forgiveness of all your sins, in the name of the Father, and of the Son+, and of the Holy Spirit.

GATHERING

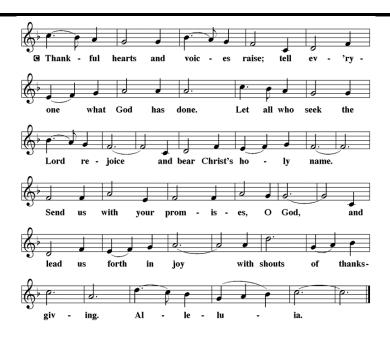
WOV pg. 28

\*ENTRANCE HYMN Jesus Christ Is Risen Today

LBW #151

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.

# \*CANTICLE WOV pg. 40



#### \*POST COMMUNION PRAYER

WOV pg. 41

# **SENDING**

#### \*BENEDICTION

\*HYMN Christ Has Arisen, Alleluia

Insert

#### \*DISMISSAL

P: Alleluia! Christ is risen.

C: Christ is risen indeed. Alleluia!

P: Go in peace. Share the good news.

C: Thanks be to God. Alleluia!

# \*POSTLUDE

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Christ Has Arisen, Alleluia (One License)

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LBW #145

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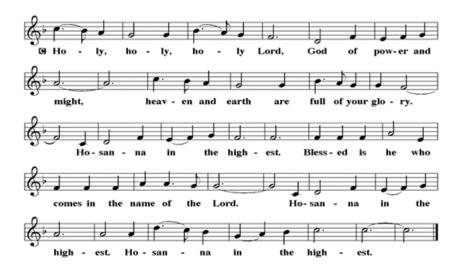
Thank you for joining us today! We hope to see you again soon!

#### THE GREAT THANKSGIVING

WOV pg. 36

- 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 and salutary... we praise your name and join their unending hymn:

## SANCTUS WOV pg. 36



#### **WORDS OF INSTITUTION**

# THE LORD'S PRAYER

#### \*INVITATION TO HOLY COMMUNION

You are invited to come forward to the altar to celebrate Holy Communion today. You may choose to stand or kneel. Pastor will present you with the Body of Christ. You will then choose to receive wine or white grape juice. Please place your disposable cup in the basket as you leave the altar.

If you prefer to receive the pre-packaged elements, please inform Pastor. They will be available at the altar.

#### \*THE DISTRIBUTION OF HOLY COMMUNION

#### \*THE BLESSING



# \*PRAYER OF THE DAY

(please join in prayer)

P: The Lord be with you.

C: And also with you.

P: Let us pray.

All: 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. Amen.

# **WORD**

#### FIRST READING

Isaiah 25:6-9

Insert

R: The Word of the Lord.

C: Thanks be to God.

PSALM 118:1-2, 14-24

(please read responsively by verse)

Insert

#### SECOND READING

Acts 10:34-43

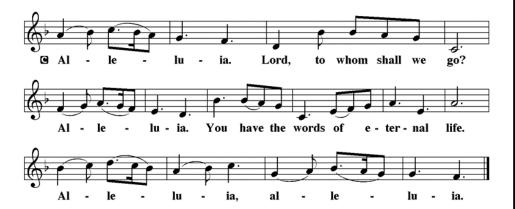
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R: The Word of the Lord.

C: Thanks be to God.

# \*GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

WOV pg. 31



P: The Holy Gospel according to John, the 20<sup>th</sup> chapter:

C: Glory to You, O Lord.

<u>\*GOSPEL</u> John 20:1-18

Insert

P: The Gospel of the Lord.

C: Praise to You, O Christ.

## **SERMON**

# \*HYMN OF THE DAY Thine Is the Glory

LBW #145

## \*PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION

P: Merciful God,

C: hear our prayer.

#### \*SHARING OF THE PEACE

P: The peace of the Lord be with you always.

C: And also with you.

P: Please share Christ's peace with one another.

#### \*PRESENTATION OF THE GIFTS

(offering plate is brought forward)

P: Let us present our gifts unto the Lord.

#### \*OFFERTORY

WOV pg. 35



# <u>\*OFFERTORY PRAYER</u>

(please join in prayer)

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P: Let us pray. Blessed are You,

ALL: O Lord our God, maker of all things. Through Your goodness You have blessed us with these gifts. With them we offer ourselves to Your service and dedicate our lives to the care and redemption of all that You have made, for the sake of Him who gave Himself for us, Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.



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From John Bennett

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