

This Week at Our Savior – April 20-27

Sunday	Easter Sunrise Service <i>Easter breakfast will follow the service; served until 9:30am</i>	7am
	Easter Egg Hunt (south lawn)	9:30am
	Easter Festival Worship	10am
Monday	Office Closed	
Tuesday	<i>Cluster Clergy Text Study</i>	10am
Wednesday	Joyful Noise Rehearsal	6pm
	Confirmation	6pm
	HS Youth Group	7pm
Thursday	Bible Study at Kinship	3:30pm
Friday		
Saturday	<i>Wayne Food Truck at Journey Christian Church</i>	9:30am
	Council Retreat	9am
	Worship	5:30pm
Sunday	Fellowship Hour	9am
	Worship	10am



In memory of...

- ✝ *My parents, Don & Rose Carlson and my brother, Ron by Donna Tietsort*
- ✝ *Arnold & Ivy Junck by their family*
- ✝ *Chuck Rutenbeck by Kathy, Mic, Terry and families*
- ✝ *Loved ones from Roger & Lynette Lentz*
- ✝ *Our parents, Wallace & Jeannine Anderson and Kent & Lois Hall by Dave Anderson & Lou Wiltse*

Other...

- ✝ *In Celebration of Jesus' resurrection by Phyllis Rahn*
- ✝ *WELCA*
- ✝ *For our many Blessings! by Eric & Kelly Grone*

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Announcements

WELCOME!

A joyous welcome to you all! We are here to celebrate the glorious victory of Christ over sin and death. Let us rejoice exuberantly and give God the glory. Hallelujah! The Lord lives and reigns. Forever and forever. Welcome one and all!

We ask all worshippers to please share with us their presence by signing the Welcome to Worship pad as it is passed in the pew. *Prayer Request cards can be found in the hymnal racks.*

HEARING ASSISTANCE

Hearing devices are available at the sound tech desk at the back of the sanctuary.

CHILDREN'S OFFERING JAR & DOODLE PAPER!

Little Lutheran Doodle Pads are available at the activities shelf near the soundboard. Children are welcome to use this paper during worship service.

The glass **offering jar**—*you might remember it as the Tanzania jar!*— is back up front! *Children are invited to take forward an offering when they come up for the Children's Sermon. Adults, feel free to send your pocket change with any of the children coming forward.*



RADIO BROADCAST

In honor of our 60th wedding anniversary by Ron & Corliss Krusemark. Radio broadcast of our Sunday morning worship service can be heard live on AM 1590 and FM 98.9, online at waynedailynews.com and the Wayne Radio app.

FLOWERS

In honor of Ron & Corliss Krusemark's 60th wedding anniversary from their children and families.

EASTER BREAKFAST

Easter Breakfast **will be served in the church social room following the sunrise service until 9:30am.** There is no cost for the meal; a freewill donation will be accepted. **Pancakes, sausage and fruit will be served.**



EASTER EGG HUNT

An Easter Egg Hunt will be held at **9:30am Easter morning!** Weather permitting, the egg hunt will be held on the south lawn.



READINGS

The lectionary readings for April 26 & 27 are Acts 5:27-32; Psalm 118:14-29 or Psalm 150; Revelation 1:4-8; John 20:19-31.

JOIN OUR CHURCH FAMILY!

Do you or someone you know have an interest in joining the church? We will host a **new member orientation** this spring for anyone interested in joining the church. Please contact Pr. Chad or the church office to let us know of your interest.

GOSPEL MESSAGE

April 20, 2025

RESURRECTION OF OUR LORD, EASTER DAY

Memory and Hope

Of all the Sundays for Jesus to be absent from the gospel story! How can he be missing on Easter? Go figure.

Since Jesus is nowhere to be found, the women who go to the tomb have no evidence of the resurrection but only the testimony of two mysterious figures: “Why do you look for the living among the dead? He is not here but has risen. Remember how he told you, while he was still in Galilee, that the Son of Man must be handed over to sinners, and be crucified, and on the third day rise again” (Luke 24:5-7).

And they remembered.

The women’s memory is more than simple recall. Their sudden recollection of Jesus’ prophecy implies a deeper level of comprehension. And with new insight into the bewildering events they have witnessed comes a stirring of hope for what is to come.

The Akan people of Ghana in West Africa give us the wisdom of *sankofa*, the principle that by reaching back, we may move forward. The *sankofa* proverb teaches, “It is not taboo to go back and fetch what you forgot.” We face the future by grasping the past.

That is a good way to describe Christians’ confession of faith. We are all like the women at the tomb on Easter morning. We have no evidence of the resurrection, but only the testimony we have received from others, all the storytellers and saints throughout the generations. Recalling their witness, we proclaim the Easter promise again today. Memory and hope go hand in hand.

So remember, beloved. Remember: where even two or three of you are gathered, the living Christ will be there with you. Remember: blessed are you who weep now, for you will laugh. Remember: if Christ has gone to prepare a place for you, he will come again and take you to himself, so that where he is, there you may be also.

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In Our Prayers... April 20, 2025

“Be joyful always: pray continually: give thanks in all circumstances, for this is God’s will for you in Christ Jesus.” (1 Thessalonians 5:16-18)

Hospitalized this week: Rodney Bauermeister, Sharon Junck

SPECIFIC PRAYER REQUESTS:

Health Concerns:

- For those recovering from injury or illness.
- For those undergoing treatments for cancer and other health issues.

Guidance:

Spiritual Healing/Strength:

Prayer of Thanksgiving:

- For beauty all around wherever we look & listen.

Deaths:

Other Prayers:

- All prayers placed in the Prayer Bowl.



Take a prayer rock; say a prayer. Place the prayer (rock) in the Prayer Bowl. Each week prayers in the Prayer Bowl are lifted to the Lord.

...but God has surely listened and heard my voice in prayer. Psalm 66:19

Worship Assistants

This Weekend (4/20)

Organist/Pianist: Connie Webber

7am–Sunrise Service

Greeters-Peter's family

LWA & CA-Trisha Peters

CA-Sue Olson, Cynthia Puntney

Acolyte-

Projection-Leslie/Tyler Johnson

Sound-Amber Labenz

Ushers- Dave Anderson, Dave Olson,
Brad Wieland

Altar Guild-Melia Hefti, Trisha Peters

10am

Greeters-Ron & Corliss Krusemark

LWA & CA-Madge Brufat

CA- Dorothy Wert, Kim Dunklau

Acolyte-Hadley Dunklau, Layton Becker

Projection-

Sound-Jerry Robinson

Video-Kris Robinson

Ushers-Steve McLagan, Ron Carnes,
Alex Phelps, Pete Reeg

Altar Guild-Teri Koenig, Virginia Backstrom

Next Weekend (4/26 & 27)

Organist/Pianist: Connie Webber

5:30pm

Greeters-Cheryl Henschke

LWA & CA-Nancy Breitzkreutz

Acolyte-Hadley Woehler

Projection-Margaret Hansen

Sound-Jim Hansen

Ushers-Dave & Joan Baier

Altar Guild-Peggy Hank, Julie/Jim Hansen

10am

Greeters-Bill & Rhonda Blecke

LWA & CA-Kenna Blecke

CA-Cynthia Puntney, Steve McLagan

Acolyte-Nash Hansen

Projection-Trisha/Logan Peters

Sound-Amber Labenz

Video-Trisha/Logan Peters

Ushers-Ron Magnuson, Kelvin Puntney, John
& Noah Magnuson

Altar Guild-Debbie Bargholz, Rhonda Blecke

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The Mission of Our Savior:

*That all may **know** Christ,
grow in Christ,
and joyfully **go** with Christ.*



Welcome

April 20, 2025

Resurrection of Our Lord

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The People of Our Savior

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Order of Worship

Prelude

Welcome & Announcements

Gathering Song: ELW 365

Confession & Forgiveness

Greeting

Prayer of the Day

Hymn of Praise: ELW 377

First Reading: pg. 1002

Acts 10:34-43

Psalms: Psalm 118:1-12, 14-24

Second Reading: pg. 1048

1 Corinthians 15:19-26

Gospel Acclamation: ELW 172

Gospel: pg. 964

Luke 24:1-12

Message

Hymn of the Day: ELW 389

Apostles' Creed

Prayers of Intercession

Sharing the Peace

Offering

Offering Song & Prayer

**Great Thanksgiving, Preface &
Holy, Holy, Holy**

Eucharistic Prayer

Lord's Prayer

Invitation to Communion

Blessing & Prayer after Communion

Parting Blessing

Sending Song: ELW 376

Dismissal

Postlude

End of Worship. Beginning of Service.