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4th Sunday of Easter

April 21, 2024

10:30 a.m. Worship & Holy Communion

*(Please stand when indicated by *)*

Lutheran Book of Worship (LBW) green hymnal

With One Voice (WOV) blue hymnal

P=Pastor, C=Congregation, L=Lay Reader

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Welcome & Announcements

Prelude: *My Shepherd Will Supply My Need* (Kerr)

GATHERING

* Invocation

P In the name of the Father, and of the ✠ Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

C **Amen.**

* Confession and Forgiveness

P Christ is risen!

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

P Blessed are those who call on the strong name of the risen Lord! As we gather in the victorious name of Christ, let us open our hearts to him and confess the ways in which we have failed to follow his will, and the ways in which we simply neglected our calling as his disciples.

(Silence for self-reflection and examination)

P Lord of heaven and earth, of the living and of the dead,

C **We come before you confessing our sins, asking for your gracious mercy. By our human nature we are sinful and unclean; we have sinned against you in thought, word, and deed. By your lovingkindness, we implore you to grant us forgiveness and restore us to your salvation, that we might live holy lives here and now, and be with you in the final resurrection. Amen.**

P Through the gift of the Holy Spirit, God declares to all who believe and confess their sins, that we are forgiven and restored to a right relationship through Jesus Christ. We have been redeemed and renewed by Christ, our Passover Lamb. In the name of the Father, and of the Son, ✠ and of the Holy Spirit, let us walk in newness of life, following our Lord Jesus in holy obedience.

C **Amen.**

* Hymn: *Savior, Like A Shepherd Lead Us*

Savior, Like A Shepherd Lead Us

Words attr. to Dorothy Ann Thrupp
Music by William B. Bradbury, 1859
Hymn Tune BRADBURY

1. Sav ior like a shep - herd lead us, much we need thy ten - der
2. We are thine, do thou be - friend us, be the guard - ian of our
3. Thou hast prom - sed to re - ceive us, poor and sin - ful though we
4. Ear - ly let us seek thy fa - vor; ear - ly let us do thy

care; in thy pleas - ant pas - tures feed us, for our use thy folds pre
way; keep thy fock, from sin de - fend us, seek us when we go a -
be; thou hast mer - cy to re - lieve us, grace to cleanse and pow'r to
will; bless - ed Lord and on - ly Sav - ior, with thy love our bo - soms

pare; bless - ed Je - sus, bless - ed Je - sus, thou hast bought us, thine we
stray: bless - ed Je - sus, bless - ed Je - sus, hear, O hear us when we
free: bless - ed Je - sus, bless - ed Je - sus, let us ear - ly turn to
fill: bless - ed Je - sus, bless - ed Je - sus, thou hast loved us, love us

are; bless - ed Je - sus, bless - ed Je - sus, thou hast bought us, thine we are.
pray; bless - ed Je - sus, bless - ed Je - sus, hear, O hear us when we pray.
thee; bless - ed Je - sus, bless - ed Je - sus, let us ear - ly turn to thee.
still; bless - ed Je - sus, bless - ed Je - sus, thou hst loved us, love us still.

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* Greeting

P Christ is Risen!

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

P The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the Lamb of God who went to the cross for our sake; the love of the Father who put an end to the power of death through the resurrection of Christ; and the promised Holy Spirit who gathers us together, be with you all.

C **And also with you.**

* Kyrie

LBW p. 57

A In peace, let us pray to the Lord.

C **Lord, have mercy.**

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

C **Lord, have mercy.**

A 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.

C **Lord, have mercy.**

A For this holy house, and for all who offer here their worship and praise, let us pray to the Lord.

C **Lord, have mercy.**

A Help, save, comfort, and defend us, gracious Lord.

C **Amen**

Hymn of Praise (*This is the Feast*)

LBW p. 60-61

C **This is the feast of victory for our God. Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia.**

I **Worthy is Christ, the Lamb who was slain,
whose blood set us free to be people of God.**

C **This is the feast of victory for our God. Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia.**

II **Power, riches, wisdom, and strength,
and honor, blessing, and glory are his.**

C **This is the feast of victory for our God. Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia.**

I **Sing with all the people of God,
and join in the hymn of all creation:**

**Blessing, honor, glory, and might
be to God and the Lamb forever. Amen.**

C **This is the feast of victory for our God. Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia.**

II **For the Lamb who was slain has begun his reign. Alleluia.**

C **This is the feast of victory for our God. Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia.**

* Salutation

LBW p. 62

P The Lord be with you.

C **And also with you.**

* Prayer of the Day

P Let us pray, Almighty God, you show those in error the light of your truth, that they may return into the way of righteousness. Grant to all that are admitted into fellowship with Christ the power to avoid all things that are contrary to the faith and to follow you according to the will of your Son, Jesus Christ, our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

C **Amen.**

WORD

New Testament Lesson: Acts 4:1-12

¹As {Peter and John} were speaking to the people, the priests and the captain of the temple and the Sadducees came upon them, ²greatly annoyed because they were teaching the people and proclaiming in Jesus the resurrection from the dead. ³And they arrested them and put them in custody until the next day, for it was already evening. ⁴But many of those who had heard the word believed, and the number of the men came to about five thousand. ⁵On the next day their rulers and elders and scribes gathered together in Jerusalem, ⁶with Annas the high priest and Caiaphas and John and Alexander, and all who were of the high-priestly family. ⁷And when they had set them in the midst, they inquired, “By what power or by what name did you do this?” ⁸Then Peter, filled with the Holy Spirit, said to them, “Rulers of the people and elders, ⁹if we are being examined today concerning a good deed done to a crippled man, by what means this man has been healed, ¹⁰let it be known to all of you and to all the people of Israel that by the name of Jesus Christ of Nazareth, whom you crucified, whom God raised from the dead — by him this man is standing before you well. ¹¹This Jesus is the stone that was rejected by you, the builders, which has become the cornerstone. ¹²And there is salvation in no one else, for there is no other name under heaven given among men by which we must be saved.”

L Here ends the reading.

Psalm 23 *read responsively*

L ¹The Lord is my shepherd; I shall not want.

C ²**He makes me lie down in green pastures. He leads me beside still waters.**

L ³He restores my soul. He leads me in paths of righteousness for his name’s sake.

C ⁴**Even though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I will fear no evil, for you are with me; your rod and your staff, they comfort me.**

L ⁵You prepare a table before me in the presence of my enemies; you anoint my head with oil; my cup overflows.

C ⁶**Surely goodness and mercy shall follow me all the days of my life, and I shall dwell in the house of the Lord forever.**

Epistle Lesson: 1 John 3:16-24

¹⁶By this we know love, that he laid down his life for us, and we ought to lay down our lives for the brothers. ¹⁷But if anyone has the world's goods and sees his brother in need, yet closes his heart against him, how does God's love abide in him? ¹⁸Little children, let us not love in word or talk but in deed and in truth. ¹⁹By this we shall know that we are of the truth and reassure our heart before him; ²⁰for whenever our heart condemns us, God is greater than our heart, and he knows everything. ²¹Beloved, if our heart does not condemn us, we have confidence before God; ²²and whatever we ask we receive from him, because we keep his commandments and do what pleases him. ²³And this is his commandment, that we believe in the name of his Son Jesus Christ and love one another, just as he has commanded us. ²⁴Whoever keeps his commandments abides in God, and God in him. And by this we know that he abides in us, by the Spirit whom he has given us.

L Here ends the reading.

Children's Message

* Gospel Acclamation (*Alleluia. Lord, to whom shall we go?*)

LBW p. 62

C Alleluia. Lord, to whom shall we go?

You have the words of eternal life. Alleluia, alleluia.

P The Holy Gospel according to St. John the 10th chapter.

C Glory to you, O Lord.

* Holy Gospel: John 10:11-18

¹¹{Jesus said,} "I am the good shepherd. The good shepherd lays down his life for the sheep. ¹²He who is a hired hand and not a shepherd, who does not own the sheep, sees the wolf coming and leaves the sheep and flees, and the wolf snatches them and scatters them. ¹³He flees because he is a hired hand and cares nothing for the sheep. ¹⁴I am the good shepherd. I know my own and my own know me, ¹⁵just as the Father knows me and I know the Father; and I lay down my life for the sheep. ¹⁶And I have other sheep that are not of this fold. I must bring them also, and they will listen to my voice. So there will be one flock, one shepherd. ¹⁷For this reason the Father loves me, because I lay down my life that I may take it up again. ¹⁸No one takes it from me, but I lay it down of my own accord. I have authority to lay it down, and I have authority to take it up again. This charge I have received from my Father."

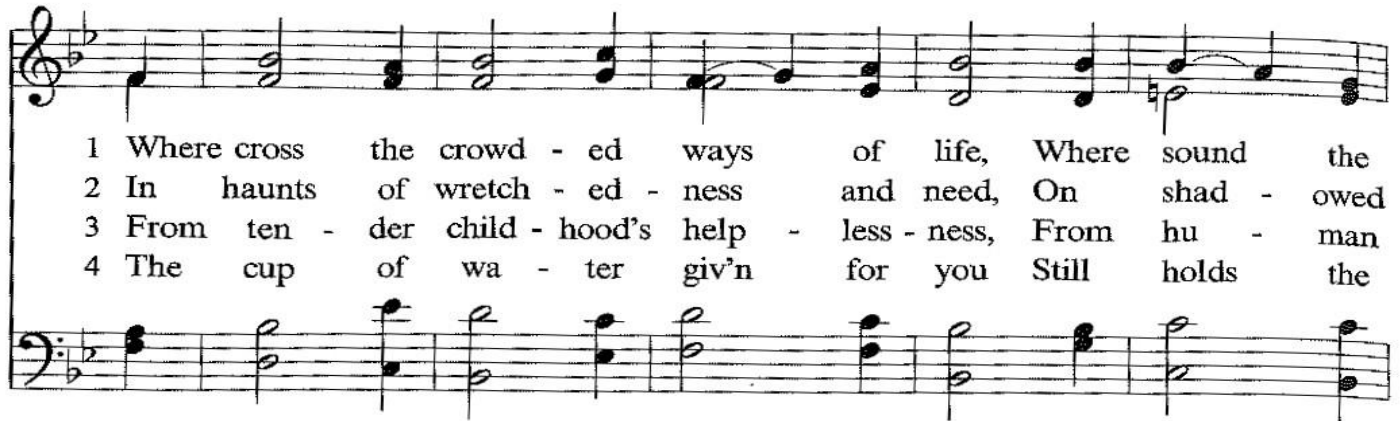
P The Gospel of the Lord.

C Praise to you, O Christ.

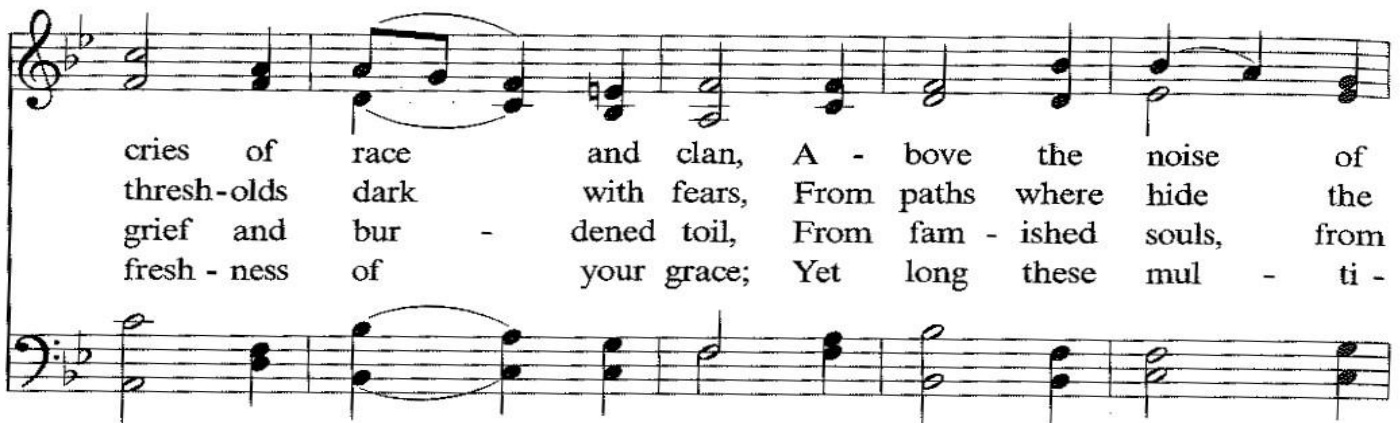
Sermon: *What's Love Got to Do with It?*

Pastor Heidi Punt

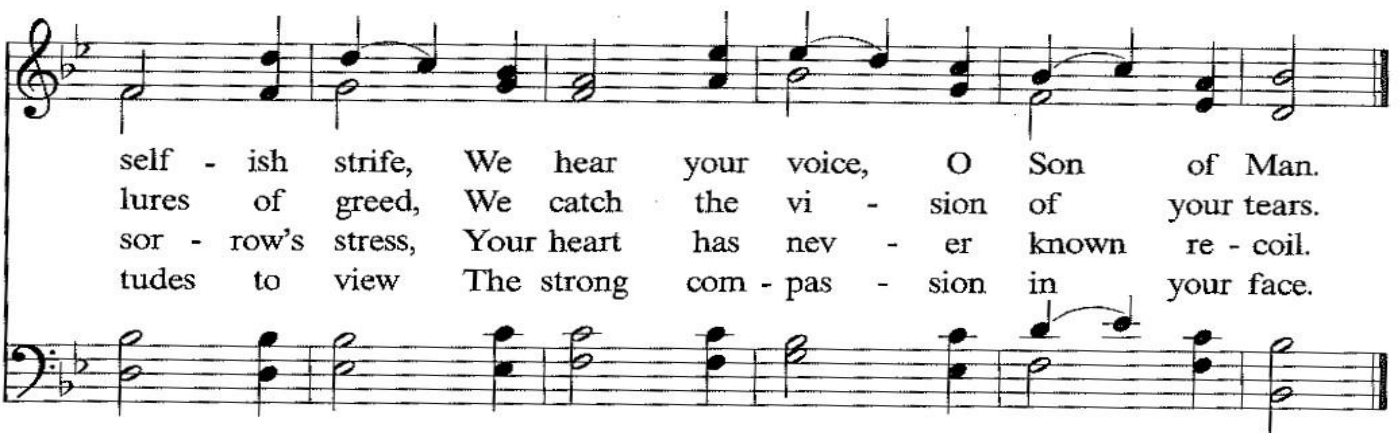
429 Where Cross the Crowded Ways of Life



1 Where cross the crowd - ed ways of life, Where sound the
2 In haunts of wretch - ed - ness and need, On shad - owed
3 From ten - der child - hood's help - less - ness, From hu - man
4 The cup of wa - ter giv'n for you Still holds the



cries of race and clan, A - bove the noise of
thresh-olds dark with fears, From paths where hide the
grief and bur - dened toil, From fam - ished souls, from
fresh - ness of your grace; Yet long these mul - ti -



self - ish strife, We hear your voice, O Son of Man.
lures of greed, We catch the vi - sion of your tears.
sor - row's stress, Your heart has nev - er known re - coil.
tudes to view The strong com - pas - sion in your face.

5 O Master, from the mountainside
Make haste to heal these hearts of pain;
Among these restless throngs abide;
Oh, tread the city's streets again;

6 Till all the world shall learn your love,
And follow where your feet have trod;
Till glorious from your heav'n above,
Shall come the city of our God.

* Apostles' Creed

LBW p. 65

**C I believe in God, the Father almighty,
creator of heaven and earth.**

**I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord.
He was conceived by the power of the Holy Spirit
and born of the virgin Mary.
He suffered under Pontius Pilate,
was crucified, died, and was buried.
He descended into hell.*
On the third day he rose again.
He ascended into heaven,
and is seated at the right hand of the Father.
He will come again 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**

* *Or, He descended to the dead.*

** *Or, the holy Christian Church,*

* Prayers of the Church

LBW p. 65

A Let us pray for the whole people of God in Christ Jesus, and for all people according to their needs.

After each portion of the prayers:

A Lord, in your mercy,

C hear our prayer.

The prayers conclude:

P Into your hands, O Lord, we commend all for whom we pray, trusting in your mercy; through your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord.

C Amen

* Sharing of the Peace

LBW p. 66

P The peace of the Lord be with you always.

C And also with you.

Offering The Offering is received as the Lord's Table is prepared. All loose offering will go towards the Building & Repair Fund. During the month of April, the Benevolence Teaching Moment is on Food the Poor. Please prayerfully consider giving to the Benevolence Fund.

Anthem: Do You Hear the Shepherd's Voice? (Lord)

Chancel Choir

MEAL

* Offering (*Let the vineyard be fruitful, Lord...*)

LBW p. 66

C Let the vineyards be fruitful, Lord,
and fill to the brim our cup of blessing.
Gather a harvest from the seeds that were sown,
that we may be fed with the bread of life.
Gather the hopes and the dreams of all;
unite them with the prayers we offer now.
Grace our table with your presence, and give us
a foretaste of the feast to come.

* Offering Prayer

P Let us pray. Generous God, you have given us treasures too numerable to count. Grant us faith to be generous with all that you have first given us: our time, our resources, and our possessions. May we boldly trust that your providence, presence, and care are a never-ending reality in our lives.

C Amen.

* The Great Thanksgiving

LBW p. 68

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 him thanks and praise.

P It is indeed right and salutary . . . (*Here the minister continues with the preface appropriate to the day or season, concluding:*)

we praise your name and join their unending hymn:

* Sanctus (*Holy, holy, holy*)

LBW p. 69

C Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of pow'r and might:
Heaven and earth are full of your glory.
Hosanna. Hosanna. Hosanna in the highest.
Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.
Hosanna in the highest.

P Blessed are you, Lord of heaven and earth.
In mercy for our fallen world you gave your only Son,
that all those who believe in him
should not perish, but have eternal life.

We give thanks to you
for the salvation you have prepared for us through Jesus Christ.
Send now your Holy Spirit into our hearts,
that we may receive our Lord with a living faith
as he comes to us in his holy supper.

C **Amen. Come, Lord Jesus.**

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.

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.

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**

C **Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world; have mercy on us.
Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world; have mercy on us.
Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world;
Grant us peace, grant us peace.**

Distribution of Communion

All are welcome to receive the Lord's Body and Blood who are baptized and believe that Jesus Christ, crucified and risen, is truly present in, with and under the form of bread and wine for the forgiveness of sins, life and salvation. All who do not commune are invited to come forward to receive a blessing. Gluten Free wafers and grape juice are also available upon request. Please fill out the communion card in the pew and hand to the Usher while following their directions to receive Holy Communion or a blessing.

* Blessing

LBW p. 72

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

C **Amen**

* Post-Communion Canticle (*Thank the Lord and sing his praise;*)

LBW p. 72-73

C **Thank the Lord and sing his praise; tell ev'ryone what he has done.**

Let all who seek the Lord rejoice and proudly bear his name.

He recalls his promises and leads his people forth in joy

with shouts of thanksgiving. Alleluia. Alleluia.

* Post-Communion Prayer

P Gracious God, you have fed us at this holy meal with the bread of life and the cup of salvation. We praise you for the glorious resurrection of Christ which is a sign of your great love for your people. You have forgiven us through this sacrament and restored us to new and everlasting life.

C **Amen.**

SENDING

* Benediction

P Beloved, let us love one another, for love is from God, and whoever loves has been born of God and knows God. Go now in the name of God the Father, the Son, **✠** and the Holy Spirit. (1 John 5:7)

C **Amen.**

The King of Love My Shepherd Is

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1 The King of love my shep - herd is, Whose good - ness
2 Where streams of liv - ing wa - ter flow, My ran - somed
3 Per - verse and fool - ish oft I strayed, But yet in
4 In death's dark vale I fear no ill, With thee, dear

fail - eth nev - er; I noth - ing lack if
soul he lead - eth And, where the ver - dant
love he sought me, And on his shoul - der
Lord, be - side me, Thy rod and staff my

I am his And he is mine for - ev - er.
pas - tures grow, With food ce - les - tial feed - eth.
gent - ly laid, And home, re - joic - ing, brought me.
com - fort still; Thy cross be - fore to guide me.

5 Thou spreadst a table in my sight;
Thine unction grace bestoweth;
And, oh, what transport of delight
From thy pure chalice floweth!

6 And so, through all the length of days,
Thy goodness faileth never.
Good Shepherd, may I sing thy praise
Within thy house forever.

* Blessing & Dismissal

L Union Lutheran Church you have been equipped and empowered by Word and Sacrament.

C **We will faithfully love God and love our neighbor.**

L Go now in peace. Christ is Risen!

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

Postlude: *The Lord's My Shepherd* (Sedio)

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OUR MISSION: Christ Centered ~ Mission Driven~ Traditionally-Grounded~
Congregationally Focused (Matthew 28:18-20)

OUR 2024 VISION: “Love God and Love our Neighbor” (Mark 12:30-33)

OUR 2024 ACTION PLAN: “By feeding, clothing, visiting, helping...”
(Matthew 25:35-40)



Those Serving in April

Acolytes: Morgan Deaton and Dusty Morgan

Altar Guild: Sonya Mulkey and Janet Overcash

Communion Assistants: Janice Goodman, Vicki Hunter and Sonya Mulkey

Lay Readers: Morgan Deaton and Vicki Hunter

Ushers: Larry Barringer, Phil Cauble, Adam Thomspson and Ron Vellines

Offering Counters: Tara Davis, Cathy Painter, and Ron Vellines

Stewardship Statistics

April 14	45	Sunday School
April 14	88	Worship & Holy Communion

Please note: Bell choirs will resume when the bells are returned from being serviced in either May or June.

Union News

Sunday, April 21

9:15 a.m. Kids Choir (5th grade and younger)

9:35 a.m. Sunday School

Peter Boldly Speaks of Jesus ~ Acts 4:1-22; 1 Peter 2:4-6

Peter declared to the religious leaders: "This Jesus is the stone that was rejected by you, the builders, which has become the cornerstone. And there is salvation in no one else..." (Acts 4:11-12a)

Drew Wise Adult Sunday School Class

Faith of the Anointer ~ Romans 8:1-16; Luke 7:36-50

9:35 a.m. New Members Class in the Library

10:30 a.m. Worship & Holy Communion

Acts 4:1-12; Psalm 23; 1 John 3:16-24; John 10:11-18

Sermon: *What's Love Got to Do with It?*

1:30 p.m. Executive Committee

2:00 p.m. Church Council

2:45 p.m.-3:30 p.m. Youth Choir

On behalf of the Members of St Paul Lutheran Church, we are pleased to invite you to the **Installation Service** for our new pastor, the **Reverend Dawn Wilson Rister**.

We rejoice that the Lord has led her to our congregation and we look forward to celebrating this occasion with you.

Date & Time: **Sunday, April 21, at 4:00 p.m.**

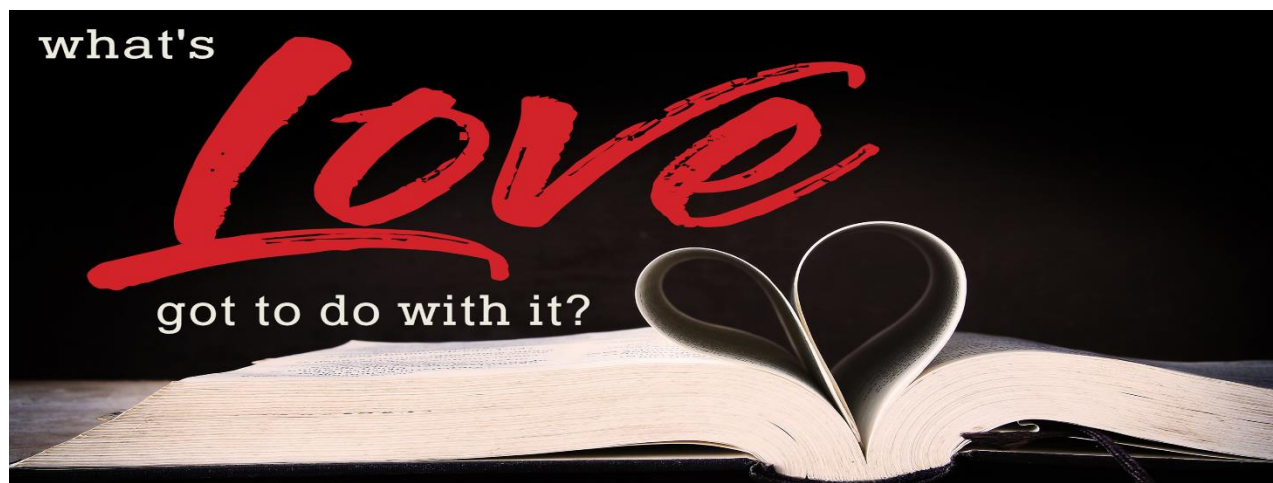
Location: St Paul Lutheran Church, 2496 SC Hwy 773, Pomaria, SC 29126

Reception immediately following the service.

RSVP by emailing the church office stpaulpomaria@bellsouth.net.

4:00 p.m. Union Youth

Deadline for May newsletter articles.



This Weeks' Activities:

- Tuesday, April 23 **6:30 p.m.** Jonah Bible Study
- Wednesday, April 24 **2:00 p.m.** Chapel Time at Autumn Care
4:30 p.m. Haiti Pastors Bible Study online
6:30 p.m. Confirmation Class
7:00 p.m. Chancel Choir
- Friday, April 26 Kluttz Family setting up large fellowship hall
- Saturday, April 7 **10:00 a.m. – 7:00 p.m.** Kluttz Family Reunion (Dutch Meeting Hall)
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Sunday, April 28

9:15 a.m. Kids Choir (5th grade and younger)

9:35 a.m. Sunday School

Simon Tries to Buy the Spirit ~ Acts 8:9-25; Hebrews 3:7-14

Peter said to Simon: "May your silver perish with you, because you thought you could obtain the gift of God with money!" (Acts 8:18-19)

Drew Wise Adult Sunday School Class

Faith of a Canaanite ~ Psalm 61; Matthew 15:218-28

9:35 a.m. New Members Class in the Library

10:30 a.m. Worship & Holy Communion

Acts 8:26-40; Psalm 150; 1 John 4:1-21; John 15:1-8

Sermon: *The Power of Love*

Following worship, a **Congregational Town Hall Meeting** will be held in the large fellowship hall to update the congregation on the land sale. Light refreshments will be provided.

2:00 p.m. Christian Education Umbrella

(Good Timers, Gerald Bame Memorial Scholarship, Union Lutheran Church Scholarship, Little Lutherans, Sunday School, Union Youth, and Youth Council)

Council Point Persons:

Sharon Leazer and Frank Merrell

Pete Nguyen, Chair

Vivian Sprinkle, Vice Chair

Janie Lesley, Secretary

Jan Huffman, Treasurer

2:45 p.m.-3:30 p.m. Youth Choir

4:00 p.m. Luther League at Faith Lutheran Church, Faith

Dawn Merrell has reserved the Altar Flowers for Sunday, April 28.

PLEASE REMEMBER IN PRAYER...

Nursing Home Residents – Brenda Mahaley, Ruth Monroe, Jean Ray & Jay Rusher (Autumn Care); Arnold Cauble (The Meadows); Frances Norris (Trinity Oaks)

Homebound/Shut-ins Members – Sarah Bame, Glenn Eagle, Rachel Earnhardt, Joan Kerns, Teresa Kesler, James Kluttz, Glenn Lowder, William Page, Rev. TC & Mary Plexico, Macky Swicegood, Effie Vellines, Billy Waller & Michael Walton

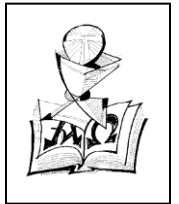
Sick/Surgery/Recovery – Judy Boyd, Brenda Cauble, Phil Cauble, Glenn Honeycutt, Jr., Steve Hutchens, Jean Kluttz, John Knight, Wade Leazer, Sharon Moore, Kay Morgan, Marvin Nunn, Janet Overcash, Doris Page, Patsy Sigmon, Wayne and Pam Vellines & Rev. Bob Young (son of the congregation)

Continual Prayer –Janaya Anderson (Youth Friend), Jim Baker (Genevieve Baker’s uncle), Shonna Lanning Black (Jack and Deena Lanning’s daughter), Bill Broadway, Sharon Peeler Bullock (Sylvia Peeler’s daughter), Michael Curlee (Scott Curlee’s brother), Billy Hutchens (Steve Hutchens’ brother), Pat Kluttz, Dr. Sean Malone (Pam Vellines’ doctor), Fay Miller (friend of Pat Kluttz); Della Morgan (Pam Vellines’ mother), Ben Smith (Cathy Painter’s brother-in-law), Glen Wall (Frank & Dawn Merrell’s friend), Pat Wiles (Genevieve Baker’s friend), Union Fire Department #76, Global Missions (Congo, Slovakia, and Haiti) & those affected by natural or political disasters

Confirmands: Caylea Cline, Mallory Eagle, Landon Kesler, Eireanna Miller, Moses Miller, and Noah Trexler

Section 3: Service of the Sacrament ~ Benediction (from the Latin for “The Lord bless you.”)

In the **Benediction**, the Lord blesses His people with His holy name. In the Old Testament, God gave Aaron and his sons who followed him in the priesthood His name to use as a blessing for the Israelites.



The Lord spoke to Moses, saying, “Speak to Aaron and his sons, saying, Thus you shall bless the people of Israel: you shall say to them, the Lord bless you and keep you; the Lord make His face to shine upon you and be gracious to you; the Lord lift up His countenance upon you and give you peace. So shall they put My name upon the people of Israel, and I will bless them.” Numbers 6:22-27

(A Simple Explanation of the Church Service, Concordia Publishing House, page 27)



Dear Family and Friends,

Once again, I am preparing to return to Slovakia with the Spiritual Orphans Network Mission Team. I am excited to participate in this program as I extend to also include Kindergarteners to the program.

Until joining this organization, I never realized how much I enjoy working with this age group. They are so loving and accepting.

Ever wanted to be a missionary or a part of helping share His love with others? This can be your opportunity to do so. How? Prayerfully consider praying for SON Mission Team and financially supporting.

Total cost for the trip is \$2,900 with airfare costing over \$1,600. The remainder of the funds cover meals, lodging and supplies. **Deadline to give financially is May 1.**

July will be here before we know it. By supporting me you are assisting us in spreading the Gospel!

I would like you to know more about the team. SONetwork, is an organization that started over 25 years ago as Eastern European Network following the fall of Communism and the Iron Curtain. Most of the people of in these countries have no history of the Gospel and what it means to know God loves them. New believers don't have grandparents or elders to answer questions on why we believe what we believe. This is the idea behind the new name of Spiritual Orphans Network. Some believe, but no one to turn to in discussing why they believe what they are learning. Please go online to read more about this organization.

By offering English Bible Camp to the younger generation, we open doors to allow discussion and friendship to the parents as well as teaching Bible stories and English with the help of local interpreters.

You may submit payment through Union's offering by marking checks (Mary Hutchens) or directly to Spiritual Orphan's Network with online giving to the link provided: <https://sonetwork.org/give/>

This ministry is much bigger than you and me alone and touches so many lives!

Thank you for prayerfully considering supporting me!

In Him,
Mary Hutchens



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