

Announcements

WAYS TO GIVE AT ZION – did you know there are many ways to give financially to Zion? Along with your offering envelope with cheque or cash inside, there are other ways to give at Zion. We accept e-transfer (sent to zion.office@sasktel.net – it is set up for auto-deposit) and we can set up monthly withdrawals from your bank account. You can also donate to Zion through canadahelps.ca.

SOCIAL OUTREACH UPDATE:

One of the Lenten practices is almsgiving. Reflecting on this we wish to draw your attention to the following:

- Thank you to the donor of \$300 for the purchase of gift cards for needy persons who visit our church from time to time.
- Our Food Bank bin is ready to be filled. It would be great to see our bin filled to the brim with nutritious food by Easter Sunday.
- We made a donation of 11 quilts and blankets to Egadz this past month. They were gratefully received. Thanks to each of the donors.

Thanks also to everyone who has contributed to the hygiene kits in the past.

We are still in need of the following items:

Toothbrushes and toothpaste

Nail clippers

Small boxes of bandaids

Soap - bar or liquid

Wide tooth combs or small brushes

Small Vaseline or lotion

Washcloths and hand towels

Any donations can be left in the basket in the narthex. Thanks!

In Our Prayers: Derwin Hall, Andrea Nostbakken, Nandari Swamy, Martin, Weldeyesus family, Mallory Jess, Cecelia Jurgens, Betty McManus, Aaron Froese, Glenn Wood, Borgny Lokken, Samhara & Saraq, Thor Kliev, Ivar Moen, Don Peterson, Louise Dahlen, Mary Kamineski, Linda and Steven, Mark Cubbon, Jennifer Finstad, Bereket and family, Illa Knudsen, Alice Olson, Paul Nostbakken, Gloria Hamp

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Sunday In-Person Worship – In-Person worship is welcome! Worship will continue to stream online weekly at 10:30 am.

THANK YOU to David Snell and Nick Arsenault, our trumpeters, Lisa Shen, our cantor, and to our handbell choir this morning!

EASTER FLOWERS - The flowers in the sanctuary have been provided by the Zion Youth and, as a "thank you" for your generous support over the years, the Youth will be giving away the flowers. Please see any of the kids following the service if you would like to take a plant home and they will help you wrap it up.

We have two baptisms this morning! God's blessings upon the children, their parents, sponsors and grandparents!

GATHERING

Prelude:

L: Alleluia! Christ is Risen.

C: Christ is risen indeed. Alleluia!

Invocation & Welcome

Gathering Song: "Jesus Christ is Risen Today"
– ELW #365

Kyrie – ELW pg. 138

Hymn of Praise – ELW pg. 140

Prayer of the Day: (see front of bulletin)

WORD

Children's Message

First Lesson: Isaiah 65:17-25

Psalms 118:1-2, 14-24 with refrain

Second Lesson: 1 Corinthians 15:19-26

Gospel Acclamation – ELW pg. 142

Gospel: Luke 24:1-12

Homily

Hymn of the Day: "Resurrection Hymn"

Order for Holy Baptism – pg. 228

Prayers of Intercession

MEAL

The Peace

Offering: Hymn to Joy (Handbell Choir)

Great Thanksgiving – ELW pg. 144

Holy, Holy – ELW pg. 144

The Lord's Prayer (contemporary version)

Lamb of God – ELW pg. 146

Communion: "The Wonderful Cross"; "Crown Him"

Communion Blessing

SENDING

Benediction

Sending Song: "Now All the Vault of Heaven Resounds" – ELW #367

Dismissal: *P: Alleluia! Christ is risen.*

C: Christ is risen indeed. Alleluia!

P: Go in peace. Tell what God has done.

C: Thanks be to God.

Postlude: "Tocatta and Fugue in F Major" – Buxtehude

Scriptures:

Isaiah 65:17-25

For I am about to create new heavens
and a new earth;
the former things shall not be remembered
or come to mind.
But be glad and rejoice for ever
in what I am creating;
for I am about to create Jerusalem as a joy,
and its people as a delight.
I will rejoice in Jerusalem,
and delight in my people;
no more shall the sound of weeping be
heard in it,
or the cry of distress.
No more shall there be in it
an infant that lives but a few days,
or an old person who does not live out a
lifetime;
for one who dies at a hundred years will be
considered a youth,
and one who falls short of a hundred will
be considered accursed.
They shall build houses and inhabit them;
they shall plant vineyards and eat their
fruit.
They shall not build and another inhabit;
they shall not plant and another eat;
for like the days of a tree shall the days of
my people be,
and my chosen shall long enjoy the work
of their hands.
They shall not labour in vain,
or bear children for calamity;
for they shall be offspring blessed by
the LORD—
and their descendants as well.
Before they call I will answer,
while they are yet speaking I will hear.
The wolf and the lamb shall feed together,
the lion shall eat straw like the ox;
but the serpent—its food shall be dust!
They shall not hurt or destroy
on all my holy mountain,
says the LORD.

1 Corinthians 15:19-26

If for this life only we have hoped in Christ, we are of all people most to be pitied.

But in fact Christ has been raised from the dead, the first fruits of those who have died. For since death came through a human being, the resurrection of the dead has also come through a human being; for as all die in Adam, so all will be made alive in Christ. But each in his own order: Christ the first fruits, then at his coming those who belong to Christ. Then comes the end, when he hands over the kingdom to God the Father, after he has destroyed every ruler and every authority and power. For he must reign until he has put all his enemies under his feet. The last enemy to be destroyed is death.

Luke 24:1-12

But on the first day of the week, at early dawn, they came to the tomb, taking the spices that they had prepared. They found the stone rolled away from the tomb, but when they went in, they did not find the body. While they were perplexed about this, suddenly two men in dazzling clothes stood beside them. The women were terrified and bowed their faces to the ground, but the men said to them, '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.' Then they remembered his words, and returning from the tomb, they told all this to the eleven and to all the rest. Now it was Mary Magdalene, Joanna, Mary the mother of James, and the other women with them who told this to the apostles. But these words seemed to them an idle tale, and they did not believe them. But Peter got up and ran to the tomb; stooping and looking in, he saw the linen cloths by themselves; then he went home, amazed at what had happened.

Resurrection of our Lord

Easter Sunday

April 17, 2022

10:30 am

Evangelical Lutheran Worship

Prayer of the Day: 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.



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