

# Connections

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## Believe This

*"I am the resurrection and the life. Whoever believes in me, though he die, yet shall he live, and everyone who lives and believes in me shall never die. Do you believe this?"* John 11:25-26



These are the words of Jesus to Martha following the death of her brother and Jesus' close friend, Lazarus. Martha was distraught and confused. She assumed that because they were followers of Jesus that she and her family would be immune to the troubles of this world. She did not understand why her brother had to die. Jesus wept at the pain of Lazarus' death and the loss that it caused. We all face many troubles in this world every day and eventually we all personally face the brokenness of death.

Shortly following this interaction, Jesus called Lazarus from the grave back to life. But this wasn't the end of the story. Lazarus would eventually face death again, as would his sisters Mary and Martha. They faced death just as you and I will. But that also isn't the end of their story nor of your story. Because Jesus didn't stop there. Jesus didn't just stop after bringing earthly healing to Lazarus and the many others during His earthly ministry. He brought heavenly healing.

The account of the raising of Lazarus marks the beginning of the road to the cross in John's Gospel account. The cross is the place where Jesus takes your place in the grave. Three days later, He rises from death to life on that first Easter morning. He did this to show that the power of death and the grave had been defeated. Not just defeated so that we could all face death over and over again, but defeated so that our earthly death would only be temporary and we can rise to everlasting life. He did this to call you from the grave of sin.

This April as we continue our Lenten journey with Jesus to the cross and finally arrive on Easter morning at new life, remember Jesus' words. He asks Martha and He asks you, *"Do you believe this?"* If you believe that Jesus lived, died, and rose for you, then everyday of your

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# Immanuel Scouting History

Remember the time Immanuel had a Boy Scout Troop? Hold on, we also had a Girl Scout Troop, #284, who called themselves White Rose Troop, and Cub Scouts, with mothers as Den Mothers: Helen Zimmer, Val Dietrich, Jean Bradham, and others. The Girl Scouts regularly opened their meeting with the Sunday lesson for the week.

The Boy Scout Troop Leader was Phil Lee. There were 44 boys divided into four patrols. They spent time at Spring Creek where they set up tents, gathered wood for cooking, and spent time working on their Merit Badges. Henry Dietrich was the main source of information about this – he also served as Scout Communicator for Houston area Scouts. His new duties were to present the awards to different Houston area troops.

The Scouts learned to identify trees, birds, and animals, to read a compass, cook, and also learned discipline and order.

Once, one of the Scouts was bitten by a snake. Roy Wunderlich rushed the boy to the hospital. Several mothers heard about this while at church, but it wasn't known whose boy it was! All things turned out all right – the Lord heard our prayers.

The Boy Scouts had a shack on church grounds that held all their gear, but the hit of their Troop was the Purple People-Eater, an old school bus painted by the Scouts themselves.

Our Scouts attended all city-wide jamborees and marched in parades that ended at the City Coliseum.

Thanks to Phil Lee, Roy English, Roy Wunderlich, the den mothers, and the "Egg Men," who oversaw the Lutheran Scouts.

*~Pastor Claudio Perez*

## Believe This . . .

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life is changed. Every day this spring as we celebrate the new life of the plants around us remember YOUR new life. Every day you can let yesterday's sinner in you die and let the new saint in Jesus Christ rise to new life to live a life filled with love for God and service to your fellow man. Do you believe this?

*~Pastor Jeffrey King*

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# Immanuel Handbell Choir Attends FebFest 2017

In December, the Immanuel Handbell Choir was invited to participate in the FebFest 2017 handbell festival.



*L-R: Director Diane Robinson, Carol Whitefield, Laura Suffridge, Barbara Szalkowski, Joel Robinson, Joel Norris, Ray Thomas (all photos by Joel Norris)*

A handbell festival is a gathering of handbell choirs to learn, have fun, and make beautiful music together. It is not a contest, although there are handbell competitions also. FebFest is sponsored by the Greater Houston Handbell Association. We decided to do it, sent in our registration, and ordered music which we began to practice in January. We even managed to squeeze in some extra rehearsal time.



The big day was Saturday, February 25th. We met at 7:15 am to load up handbells, hand chimes, foam, mallets, music and all the other things we needed. We arrived at the Stafford Center by 8:00 am and unloaded and set up at the tables allotted for us. Rehearsal began at 9:00 am, and filled up the rest of the morning and part of the afternoon. When we weren't ringing, we visited with friends from other churches, made new friends, and shopped at the vendors' booths (tie-dyed bell gloves!).



The final festival concert started at 3:00 pm. It was good to see some familiar faces in the audience! We went home exhilarated but tired after ringing bells for 5 hours!



## Interesting facts about FebFest 2017:

There were 30 handbell choirs in attendance, 9 of them Lutheran, with a total of 297 ringers. It was exciting to be part of this and we made an awesome sound!

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# Handbell Festival . . .

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We learned 5 pieces of music. Three of them were for mass ringing of all 30 choirs. Two of them were for Division 1 (14 choirs). The other 16 choirs rang Division 2 (harder) music. You will hear 4 of these pieces in church at various times this spring.

We found out later that many of the choirs had their music in the summer and had an initial rehearsal in August! We played very well in spite of our late start!

Ringers in attendance from Immanuel were Joel Norris, Laura Suffridge, Barbara Szalkowski, Ray Thomas, Carol Whitfield, and Joel and Diane Robinson.

Immanuel friends in the audience were Laura's husband Daniel, their daughter Kyla, and his parents, as well as Pastor and Sylvia Atsinger.



*Sylvia (front left) and Pastor Atsinger with Dr. Behnke (far right).*

Diane and Joel Robinson also attended the Friday workshop which was held at St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church. They enjoyed sessions on handbell etiquette, maintenance, visual choreography for bells, and a reading session of new music.

The guest clinician and conductor this year was Dr. John A. Behnke, Emeritus Professor of Music at Concordia University, Mequon, WI, where Diane Robinson was privileged to study with him.



He is also Music Editor for AEGHR Music-Handbell Musicians of America, director of the Milwaukee Handbell Ensemble, and Organist and Choir Director at Historic Trinity Lutheran Church in Milwaukee.

Dr. Behnke has nearly 400 handbell, choral, and organ compositions in print. He shared a wealth of ideas and information in a gentle, humorous manner. We had a wonderful day and grew musically. We thank Immanuel congregation for funding our participation and giving us this wonderful opportunity!

*~Diane Robinson*

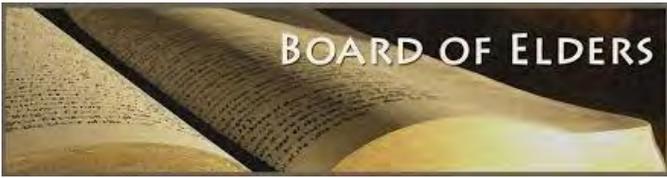
## Holy Week / Easter Services & Events

**Maundy Thursday, April 13, 7:00 pm**  
Worship Service w/Communion

**Good Friday, April 14, 7:00 pm**  
Worship Service

**Saturday, April 15, 10:00 am**  
7<sup>th</sup> Annual Easter Celebration  
Easter Egg Hunt, Crafts, Games,  
Easter Bunny

**Easter Sunday, April 16**  
8:00 am Worship Service w/Communion  
*Light Breakfast following the service*



In March, the Board of Elders elected a new chairman, Steve Hairgrove. They also chose a time for Easter Service, 8:00 am, with a light breakfast to follow. In addition, the board recommended to allow electronic giving. Oikos Church graciously offered Glocal Mission a permanent home, and Glocal accepted the kind offer. We ask that everyone continue to keep Glocal Mission in their prayers.

On a personal note, it was my great honor and privilege to be elected chairman. I cannot do this without the support and prayers of everyone. I am looking forward to working with the leadership and helping Immanuel become a beacon in the Heights and beyond.

*~In his service,  
Steve Hairgrove*



Turn in all your clipped Labels for Education UPC's!

We are asking for all Labels for Education UPC's to be turned into the office or place in the box in the church hallway. Labels for Education® program is winding down!

*~Cathleen Chevallier*



**Love. Grow. Serve.**

## Naomi Paper Drive A Big Thank You!

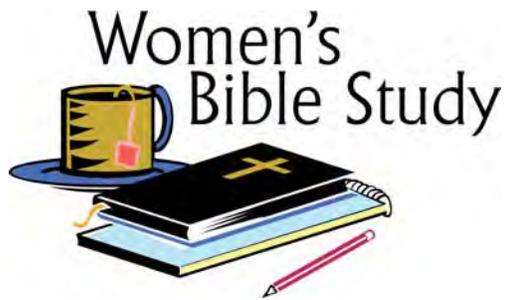


*Naomi members (L-R) Bonnie Thomas, Dorothy Klander, Cleo Fischer, Dora Schulle, Evelyn Marsh, Margaret Beacom, and Martha McFarland with the donations.*

The Naomi Willing Workers would like to thank everyone who donated paper goods to the Good Samaritan Group Home Paper Drive. Your donations helped us deliver a carload of paper products which were greatly appreciated by the staff at the home.

*~Cathleen Chevallier*





## April Events



Our Wednesday morning Bible Study will complete the study on Luther on April 5<sup>th</sup>. We will begin a new study of Psalms on Wednesday, April 19<sup>th</sup>, from 10:00-11:00 am.

Sandi Hrozek will begin as facilitator with the hope that others will volunteer to lead one or more future studies.

Whether you are a Wednesday morning Bible Study regular, whether you used to attend but have not been in a while, or whether you have never previously attended, and are available on the 1<sup>st</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> Wednesday mornings of each month, all women are welcome to join us as together we study God's holy word.

*~Sandi Hrozek*



Sunday, April 30<sup>th</sup>, ushers will collect our regular 5<sup>th</sup> Sunday door offering to support Immanuel's Social Ministry fund. These funds are used to assist members and neighbors who have emergency or unanticipated need, and are administered by the Board of Elders. The Social Ministry fund also purchases the food that is served for funeral meals.

**Matinees** for senior citizens and children – Thursday, April 27<sup>th</sup>, 9:00 am and 12:30 pm

**Evening performances** – Friday, April 28<sup>th</sup> and Saturday, April 29<sup>th</sup>, 7:00 pm

Reserved seats may be purchased in advance. See available seats and more information at

<http://www.lutheranhighnorth.net/musical2017>  
or email [paul.stuenkel@lhnlions.org](mailto:paul.stuenkel@lhnlions.org)

Come see Evelyn Gonzales, Conner Norris and many other talented students.

### Athletics

Congratulations to the LHN girls basketball team who won the state title for Texas Association of Private and Parochial Schools 4A!

Spring sports are baseball, softball, track and field, and club tennis.

For athletic events and additional information see the website

<http://www.lutheranhighnorth.org>

or call 713-880-3131.

*~Lynn Eickemeyer*



# SUNDAY SCHOOL

*Make the Connection*

Each Sunday morning is filled with love for Jesus and love for one another. We celebrated Valentine's on Sunday, February 12<sup>th</sup>, by making heart angels and learning that Jesus loves everyone.

Now during the Lenten Season and on to Easter, the love continues. Each Sunday, different types of candy bars have been used to learn about Jesus. Reese's showed us that Jesus is the one way to heaven. Snickers made us realize that He is the only thing that satisfies everything. M & M's are easy to share just like Jesus wants us to share Him with others.

We still have room for more, so join us as we learn how to live our lives with Jesus being the main focus.



*"Train a child in the way he should go, and when he is old he will not turn from it." Proverbs 22:6.*

*~Cathleen Chevallier  
Sunday School Superintendent*



Our *Happy Camper Scholastic Book Fair* was a resounding success! It is the largest Book Fair we have had in the ECE and is one of the largest book fairs of its kind in the Houston area.



*photos this page by Thy Yu*

We are happy to report that through the generous support of Immanuel members and ECE families, we exceeded our goal of \$5,900 by approximately 28%. The final sales total was a little over \$7,500! We will be able to place almost \$4,000 worth of new books in our classrooms! **Thank you all so very much!**

Thank you to everyone who contributed to our All for Books coin drive. It was our largest collection ever at \$419! That was an additional \$419 used to put books in our after school programs. The \$419 will be matched by Scholastic, which contributes to literacy

programs that serve children all across the United States.

A special thank you to all our parent volunteers, Immanuel members and all the Immanuel Staff who helped set-up, clean-up, decorate, served food on Grandparents' Day, helped out as campus guides, worked the book fair and helped take the book fair down. Our book fair is a huge undertaking and could not take place without all the helping hands that make it work.

A special thank you to Cathy Swanstrom, Audrey Cooper and Liz Cooper who cleared the Center Room hallway for the Book Fair and restored it once the book fair was over. Audrey, Liz, and Hayley Huckleberry also made the gigantic tree limbs that covered the ceiling as an extension of the beautiful tree that was (truly an art piece) designed by April Cagle.



It was a real woodland camping area in keeping with our Happy Camper Book Fair theme. Thanks to Stephanie Kasper who used her considerable artistic talent to create multiple campfires as table decorations and to Megan Moynagh who did the beautiful woodland scene atop the downstairs cubbies.

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# Book Fair . . .

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Thanks to Nick Adams who moved tables and hung banner signs, to Cathleen Chevallier for letting us use the Sunday School room as storage during the event, and to Daniel Rocha, the father of a former student, who donned the Clifford the Big Red Dog costume. It was truly a team effort! And, most of all, the kids loved it and everyone had fun!



There were lots of door prizes. One child in every class won a door prize. There were 367 marshmallows in the jar guessing game and 41 packages of gummi bears in the paint pail. Three teachers received a \$100 shopping spree at the fair.

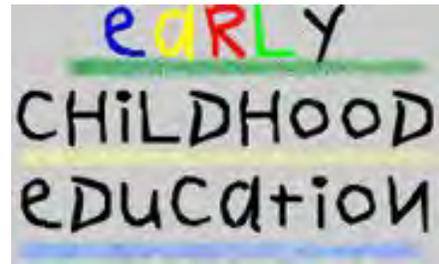
Each of these teachers had 100% of their class represented at the book fair and those teachers are Heidi Luker, Joan Luker, and Winnie McNamara.

Again, thank you to everyone for a job well done!

*~Winnie McNamara*



Spring means great weather for playing outside!



These little buckaroos celebrated Go Texan Day by dressing in their best western wear. They also had trail mix, colored Texas flags and learned the lyrics to two new songs: "Deep in the Heart of Texas" and "Texas Our Texas."



Everyone is Irish on St. Patrick's Day!

*~Winnie McNamara*



## Focus on Stewardship

Easter is a moveable feast. Easter isn't on the same calendar date every year in the way that Christmas is always celebrated on December 25<sup>th</sup>. The date for Easter each year always falls on the first Sunday after the first full moon after the spring equinox. And once you find the date of Easter, everything else finds its place— Good Friday and Maundy Thursday, Ash Wednesday and the Transfiguration, the Ascension of our Lord and Pentecost.

All this is a long way of saying that Easter determines everything. Easter defines everything. It orders not only the entire church year, but it orders our very lives. It defines and gives meaning to our lives, as well to the things that happen in them. And since Easter defines everything, it changes everything too. It redefines who we are and where we stand with God and with one another. Easter makes all things new.

Without Easter, Jesus would not be raised from the dead. Without Easter, death would still reign, we would still be in our trespasses and sins, and our faith and hope would be in vain. But Jesus *IS* raised from the dead. Easter changes everything. It makes all things new. Therefore, darkness is overcome with light, wrath with peace, fear with hope, angst with rest, sadness with joy, hatred with love, sin with righteousness, and death with life. Easter changes everything, redefines everything, determines everything. Easter makes all things new.

Thus, Easter also changes our attitude about giving. For if God gave us His own Son into death so that we will live, how will He not give us everything else we need? He will, and He does. He provides for us. He even gives us the gifts that we give back to Him for service in the church. Easter demonstrates that we have a God who loves us, a God who provides for us, a God who presses us into His service, a God who has made us new in the death and resurrection of His Son.

For when you give to the church, you pass along those things that God alone has given to you. You pass along the message to others that Easter changes everything and makes all things new, even as it has done this for you. This is not a burden, but pure joy. For God has given you a part in the administration of His kingdom. He provides for the needy through your hands. He ensures that the Gospel is preached and the Sacraments are given out through the work of your hands and in the gifts that you give. And He honors and blesses this work and generosity as it rebounds to those around you.

So when you sit down on the first day of the week to make your offering to the place where Easter is proclaimed and where the gifts of Easter are given out, remember: Easter changes everything. It makes all things new. More than that: Easter has changed you and made you new. Because Jesus who was crucified for our transgressions is raised for our justification.

*(Stewardship newsletter insert for March 2017, provided on the LCMS website <https://www.lcms.org/Document.fdoc?src=lcm&id=4548>)*

*~submitted by Kathy Angst*

# Puerto Rico Ministry



During Adult Bible Study on Sunday, March 5<sup>th</sup>, we had the privilege of hearing Gema Schuller, wife of Pastor Richard Schuller, LCMS Missionary, speak to us about the mission work

they are doing to spread the gospel to the people of Puerto Rico. Gema spoke of the challenges they meet on a daily basis to reach people for Jesus. Puerto Rico has a population of 3.5 million people, and there is only one Lutheran Church to serve them. The Schullers have been serving in Puerto Rico since 2015.

The Schullers, along with our other LCMS missionaries, are indeed doing what Jesus commanded us to do in Matthew 28:19-20, "Go and make disciples of all nations." Jesus did not give the Great Commission to only the Apostles, He gave it to all Christians. Each and every one of us may not be able to go to the mission field, but we can keep our missionaries and their families in our prayers, let them know how much we appreciate the work they are doing to spread the love of Jesus, and give according to as God has blessed us toward the work of spreading the gospel to all nations.



A favorite hymn says it so well:

*Hark the voice of Jesus calling, who will go and work today? Fields are ripe and harvest waiting, who will bear the sheaves away? Long and loud the Master calls us, rich reward He offers free. Who will answer gladly saying, here am I send me, send me.*

*Let none hear you idly saying, there is nothing I can do, while the multitudes are dying and the Master calls for you. Take the task He gives you gladly; let His work your pleasure be. Answer quickly when He calls you, here am I send me, send me.*

For those who would like to support the LCMS Puerto Rico missionaries, Richard and Gema Schuller, a tax deductible gift can be sent to:

The Lutheran Church-Missouri Synod, PO Box 66861, St. Louis MO 63166-6861

**OR**

Mission Central-LCMS World, 40718 Highway E16, Mapleton, Iowa 51034-7105

Make checks payable to The Lutheran Church-Missouri Synod, and include Schuller, Puerto Rico, and A-10898-69376 in the memo line. Gifts can also be given securely online through their website <http://www.lcms.org/schuller>

To contact the Schullers or to be added to their mailing list, you can email them at:

[Richard.schuller@lcmsintl.org](mailto:Richard.schuller@lcmsintl.org)

[Gema.schuller@lcmsintl.org](mailto:Gema.schuller@lcmsintl.org)

You can find more information about the Schullers and their ministry on their webpage: <http://www.lcms.org/schuller>.

~Carolyn Breithaupt

# Dominican Republic Ministry



*Excerpt from the January/February 2017 newsletter, available at <https://www.scribd.com/document/340188071/Fritsche-Family-Mission-Newsletter-January-February-2017>. Also follow the Fritsche's ministry on Facebook at <https://www.facebook.com/lcmsfritsche/>*

Every first Friday of the month, Lutheran missionary pastors in the Dominican Republic hike up the side of a mountain (or hill, if you prefer) to a building which says "Seminario Luterano El Reformador" on its side. You can probably get the gist of what that says, right? The building was built to be part of a future seminary to teach, equip and form Dominican men to be pastors and women to serve as deaconesses. For nearly ten years, an actual seminary in the Dominican Republic has been a dream. By God's grace, later in 2017, that dream will become reality.

Why are we building a seminary in a small community north of the second largest city in the Dominican? We're doing it so that Dominicans (and Latinos from other countries!) can listen to God's beloved Son. We're doing it

so that men can preach the transfigured, crucified and risen Christ so that many may come to believe and confess as Peter did. Ultimately, I am called here to serve as a church planter. But we need local pastors to serve. We need deaconesses to be on the forefront of our mercy work. Thanks be to God, He is providing abundantly for such servants through you. Thank you! Watch for more seminary updates in the months ahead.

To support the Fritsche's ministry in the Dominican Republic, you may send a tax-deductible gift to either of the following:

The Lutheran Church—Missouri Synod  
P.O. Box 66861, St. Louis, MO 63166-6861

Mission Central  
40718 Highway E16, Mapleton, IA 51034

Make checks payable to The Lutheran Church—Missouri Synod. Mark checks

"Support of Joel & Clarion Fritsche."

Gifts can also be given securely online through the LCMS website, on our online giving page at <http://www.lcms.org/fritsche> or call (888) 930-4438.

*~Rev. Joel Fritsche*



## Sunday Morning Coffee & Donuts

If you enjoy coffee and donuts on Sunday morning, volunteer to make the coffee or pick up the donuts for a month of Sundays. Sign up on the sheet located on the east wall in Miertschin Hall or call the church office to volunteer – you have your choice of months, starting with April (!). Thank you so much!

# Be an *Eggcellent* Sponsor!

## 7<sup>th</sup> Annual Easter Celebration

April 15<sup>th</sup>, 2017 at 10:00 am

### Collecting

- ½ gal plastic Milk or Juice Containers
- 2 liter Soda Bottles
- Large Aluminum Cans (not gallon size)

Needed: 150 empty containers total

Please place in Collection Baskets in Narthex

### Donations

\_\_\_\_\_ Homemade Cookies

\_\_\_\_\_ Dozen  
(Needed: 42 dozen total)

\_\_\_\_\_ Cash

(Envelopes by Basket)

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

### Items to Borrow

(12) 10 x 10 Pop-Up Tents

if you have one or more which the church could use, please deliver by Thursday, April 13<sup>th</sup>.

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Qty: \_\_\_\_\_

### Volunteer Options

\_\_\_ Distribute Door Hangers in the neighborhood

\_\_\_ Stuff Eggs

\_\_\_ Stuff Goody Bags

\_\_\_ Decorate

\_\_\_ Help Day of Event

Please provide contact info:

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_



Fill out and Drop in the Easter Basket in Narthex.  
Your help is needed to make this event a success.



*It is always proper and fitting that at Easter time we thank the Lord for the Savior's resurrection - as it reminds us of our own resurrection on the Last Day.*

*We will do so by setting up a "Garden of Easter Lilies" in the Sanctuary.*

*You can help by purchasing a plant (or several) as we remember our loved ones who have entered their eternal home, as thanksgiving to the Lord or for blessings received.*

*Please complete this form and return it, with payment, to the church office or hand to an Usher. Make checks payable to Immanuel Lutheran Church.*

*Name \_\_\_\_\_*

*Telephone Number \_\_\_\_\_*

*# of plants \_\_\_\_\_ @ \$10.00 each) \$ \_\_\_\_\_*

*In Loving Memory of / With Thanks (circle one)*

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**Orders must be received by April 2<sup>nd</sup>**

# Immanuel Lutheran Church - April 2017 - CORRECTED

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	MH = Miertschin Hall					<b>1</b> Wedding @ 11:00 am FOD Dance @ 4:00 – 9:00 pm
<b>2</b> Usher Team #1 Worship Service w/Communion @ 9:00 am Bible Class & Sunday School @ 10:15 am	<b>3</b> Young Life Club Gym @ 5:30–9:00 pm  Bible Study @ 6:30–8:00 pm	<b>4</b> FOD Work Day (MH) @ 10:00 – 1:30 pm  All Boards @ 7:00 pm	<b>5</b> Adult Bible Study 10:00 am  Usher Team #2 Worship Service @ 7:00 pm	<b>6</b> Bingo @ 1–3 pm FOD Work Day (MH) @ 10:00–1:30 pm Men's Basketball @ 6:00–9:00 pm Unveil Lutheran Discipleship @ 6:30–8:00 pm Bells @ 6:30 pm Choir @ 7:30 pm	<b>7</b>  RSCDS @ 7:00 pm	<b>8</b>  Unveil Lutheran Church Gym Setup 6:00–8:00 pm
<b>9</b> Palm Sunday Usher Team #3 Worship Service @ 9:00 am Bible Class & Sunday School @ 10:15 am	<b>10</b> Young Life Club Gym @ 5:30–9:00 pm	<b>11</b> Naomi Meeting @ 10:00 am  FOD Work Day (MH) @ 10:00–1:30 pm	<b>12</b>	<b>13</b> Maundy Thursday FOD Work Day (MH) @ 10:00–1:30 pm Men's Basketball @ 6:00–9:00 pm Usher Team #4 Worship Service w/Communion @ 7:00 pm	<b>14</b> Good Friday Unveil Lutheran Church Gym Setup 6:00–8:00 pm Usher Team #5 Worship Service @ 7:00 pm	<b>15</b> Easter Celebration & Egg Hunt 10:00 am
<b>16</b> Easter Usher Team #1 Worship Service w/Communion @ 8:00 am Easter Breakfast after service	<b>17</b> Young Life Club Gym @ 5:30–9:00 pm  No Bible Study	<b>18</b> FOD Work Day (MH) @ 10:00–1:30 pm	<b>19</b> Women's Bible Study – Psalms 10:00 am	<b>20</b> FOD Work Day (MH) @ 10:00–1:30 pm Men's Basketball @ 6:00–9:00 pm Unveil Lutheran Discipleship @ 6:30–8:00 pm No Bells, No Choir	<b>21</b> Unveil Lutheran Church Gym Setup 6:00–8:00 pm	<b>22</b>
<b>23</b> Usher Team #2 Worship Service @ 9:00 am Bible Class & Sunday School @ 10:15 am Lunch & Voters' Meeting @11:30 am	<b>24</b> Bible Study @ 6:30–8:00 pm  Young Life Club Gym @ 5:30–9:00 pm	<b>25</b> FOD Work Day (MH) @ 10:00–1:30 pm	<b>26</b>	<b>27</b> FOD Work Day (MH) @ 10:00–1:30 pm Men's Basketball @ 6:00–9:00 pm Unveil Lutheran Discipleship @ 6:30–8:00 pm Bells @ 6:30 pm Choir @ 7:30 pm	<b>28</b> Unveil Lutheran Church Gym Setup 6:00–8:00 pm	<b>29</b>
<b>30</b> Usher Team #4 Worship @ 9:00 am w/Communion Bible Class/ Sunday School @ 10:15 am Social Ministry Door Offering						



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# EASTER CELEBRATION

Saturday, April 15<sup>th</sup> @ 10:00 a.m.

- Fun Activities
- Games w/Prizes
- Refreshments

## Easter Egg Hunt

-over 4000 eggs-

A Visit by the Easter Bunny!



# Community Welcome!