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April 17, 2022

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LUTHERAN CHURCH OF THE CROSS
The River Worship Service 10am
Easter Morning
April 17, 2022

You are invited to sing with the River Worship Team throughout our worship.
All songs and worship liturgy will be projected on the screens for your use.

PRELUDE MUSIC

*“Thine is the Glory”, “I Will Rise”, “Living Water”,
“Because He Lives (Amen)”, “Lift High the Cross”*

WORDS OF WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

EASTER ACCLAMATION

GREETINGS OF PEACE

PRAYER OF THE DAY

OUR CONFESSION, GOD’S FORGIVENESS

EASTER GATHERING SONG: *“Christ is Risen!”*

CHILDREN’S MESSAGE

WE HEAR GOD’S WORD

FIRST READING: **Acts 10:34-43**

RESPONSIVE READING: **Psalm 118:1-2, 14-24**

SECOND READING: **1 Corinthians 15:19-26**

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION: *“Alleluia! (Give the Glory)”*

GOSPEL READING: **Luke 24:1-12**

SERMON *Deacon Janie Hague*

~ Lisa Ahlness, Van Vechten Crane
In memory of beloved family members Dr. Paul Ahlness, Hans Ahlness,
Richard & Mary Crane

~ Barb & Bob Wilson
In honor of grandchildren—Ty, Tate, Brooke, & Katherine
In memory of our parents

~ Janie Hague
In memory of Shantel Penn

~ Bill & Shirley Zinsli
In honor of all of our children, and grandchildren.

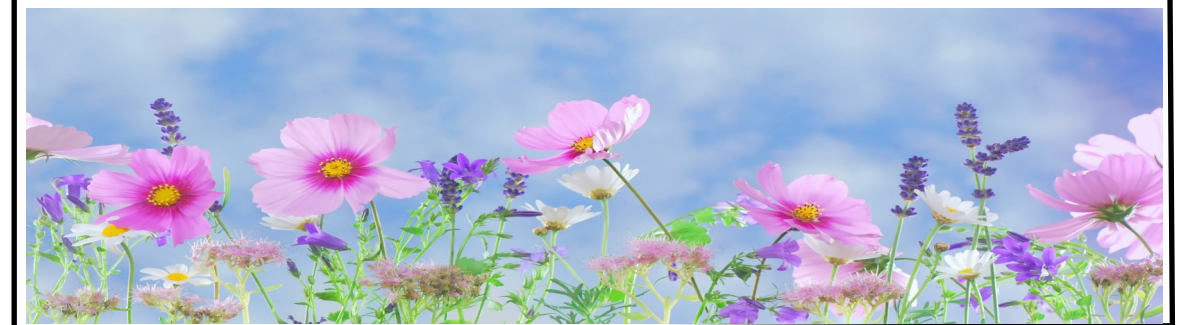
~ Brian & Sarah Dahl
In memory of Phillip and Vivian Dahl

~ Deb Carpenter
In memory of loved ones
In honor of loved ones

~ LorRaine Riveland
In memory of Roger Riveland, Art & Dora Strand

~ Mike & Tracy Geiermann
In memory of John, Vivian, & Jim Geiermann, Glen Zimmerman, Bud
Johnson

*Thank you to all who so graciously donated the Easter flowers in memory or in
honor of special people in your lives. A special thank you to those that came
and arranged the flowers in the sanctuary. They are beautiful!*



~ Roger & Esther Anderson
~ Ken & Karen Will
~ Arvid & Shiela Mugaas
~ Mavis Pommerer
 In memory of Roger Pommerer
~ Verlaine & Larry Jahner
 In honor of our children and their families
~ Matt & Amanda Sagsveen Family
 In honor of Parker, Fynn, & Sander
~ Maggie Anderson
 In memory of Mary Trzynka
~ Mark & Val Kunze & family
 In memory of Jim Klein & Russell Kunze
~ Marjo & Jim Hewitson
 In honor of granddaughters Katie & Brooke.
~ John & Janet Doerner
 In memory of Pastor Donna
~ Terry & Sally Grenz
 In honor of Ukrainians
 In memory of Mary Weinberg, Merrilyn Gronau



SONG OF THE DAY: *"I Know that My Redeemer Lives"*

NICENE CREED

PRAYERS OF THE CHURCH: *"Let Us Pray for Peace"*

OFFERING/OFFERTORY: *"Join in the Dance"*

OFFERTORY PRAYER

WE SHARE THE MEAL

PREPARATION FOR THE MEAL

LORD'S PRAYER (spoken)

INVITATION TO OUR LORD'S SUPPER *All Are Welcome*

COMMUNION SONGS: *"Christ is Risen, He is Risen Indeed!"*
 "Up the Grave He Arose"
 "Alleluia! Jesus is Risen!"

COMMUNION BLESSING/POST COMMUNION PRAYER

WE GO OUT INTO THE WORLD TO SERVE

BENEDICTION: (spoken)

SENDING SONG: *"Jesus Christ is Risen Today"*

DISMISSAL

POSTLUDE SONG: *"Alive Forever, Amen"*

*(All children are welcome to come to the front and
play instruments during the Worship Team's postlude song)*

HAPPY EASTER!!!

“THE RIVER” WORSHIP MINISTERS

Pastor—Pastor Lisa Ahlness

Director of Discipleship— Deacon Janie Hague

Scripture Reader—Deb Carpenter

Ushers— Esther & Roger Anderson

Altar Guild: Cherie Krueger, Cheryl Neu, Jean Kraft, Esther Anderson, Barb Thomas

Faith and Care Group 2 Mavis Pommerer & Molly & Ken Traynor

River Worship Team—

Sound Board Technicians—Terry Grenz, Lavern Hanson

Projection Team— Jace Kunze, Mark Kunze, Jeff Thomas, Art Wheeler,

Streaming Team— Mike Collins, Tom Harris, Mark Kunze, Karen Will

River Singers— Deb Carpenter, Sally Grenz, Paul Gurholt, Kari Harris, Doug Johnson, Robin Johnson, Cherie Krueger, AJ Marx, John Sailer, Amanda Sagsveen, Tom Wade, Barb Wilson, Brandi Ellison, Annabelle Ellison

Guitar— Marin Traynor

Violin— Flynn Sagsveen

Percussionist— Kari Harris

Accompanists—Eve Kath, Robin Johnson, Gerri Sarsten

Prayers, Births, Deaths, Concerns

Please contact Connie in the church office 223.1001, if you have a prayer request, or if you will be entering the hospital and would like a pastoral visit.

PRAYER REQUESTS:

(We encourage you to take this list home and pray for these people.)

For those struggling with health issues:

Maxine Hill, Reece Fischer, Tracy Martinson, Ann Hillesland, Roger Bakke, Erwin and Linda Marson, Quinton and Arlene Wolff, Bonnie Spies, Lori Dvorak, JoRae Sarsten; Bernice Walton, Jean Schafer, Gary and LaVonne Hultin, John Behan, Bob Roesler, Cheryl Moore, Josey Hanson, Virginia Smith, LeRoy Tiffany, Cordella Thompson, Christie Zainhofsky, Diane Stotz, Earl Larson, Lisa Robinson, Carolyn Wegerle, Donna Belisle, Jim Mattheis, Barb Thomas, Shiela & Arvid Mugaas, Jean Kraft, Diane Klein, Nicole Eckroth, Mary Schuler, Gladys Bain, Nancy Dockter, Kerry Carpenter, Todd Wood

For ELCA Missionaries: Willie and Anne Langdji

Military Deployment: ND 957th Engineer Co. deployed to southern border.

Easter Flower Donations

- ~ Cherie & Roger Krueger
In honor of our children; Jessica & John and their families
- ~ Jerry & Patty Hanson
In honor of our grandchildren
- ~ Art Wheeler
In memory of Florence Wheeler
- ~ Arlene, Robin, Colete, Elizabeth & Heather Hoglund
In memory of Bob Hoglund
- ~ Agnes Christianson & family
In memory of Conrad Christianson
- ~ John & Mark Erickstad families
In memory of Ralph & Lois Erickstad
- ~ Donna Belisle
In memory of family and friends
- ~ John & Jean Kraft
In memory of family
In honor of grandchildren
- ~ Lois Hanson
In memory of Lyle Hanson & other loved ones

