

Worship Order for Fifth Easter

Announcements

Call to Worship: *Open the Eyes of My Heart* -The Spirit Within

Invocation

Gathering Song: *Let All Things Now Living* -ELW 881

Apostolic Greeting

Prayer of the Day

Readings:

Acts 8 from *Spark Bible*

Psalms 22 from *Spark Bible*

Gospel: John 15:1-8 *from Spark Bible*

Sermon

Hymn of the Day: *I Was There to Hear Your Borne Cry* -ELW 732

Apostles' Creed

Blessing of Graduates

Intercessory Prayers

Peace

Offering

Offertory: *Fruits of the Spirit* -Grades 1-5 Terrific Tuesday

Offertory Prayer

Communion

Communion Song: *Well Done* -The Spirit Within

Post-Communion Blessing

Post-Communion Prayer

Benediction: *God Hug* -K-Boys

Sending Hymn: *Hymn of Promise* -Screen Only

Dismissal

Postlude: *To Be Alive* -The Spirit Within

Welcome: All are welcome to join us for Holy Communion. We hold that Christ gave of His body and blood so that our sin and death are passed over. We welcome you to experience this gracious gift that has been given for all. Please pick up an empty communion cup as you approach the altar. Should you prefer grape juice, there are cups filled with grape juice in the center of the tray. Bring the cup of grape juice with you to the altar and as the wine server approaches, the grape juice will be blessed. Gluten-free wafers are available. Please tell the bread server if that is your preference. TCoil (telecoil) is available in the Sanctuary—to enhance the effectiveness of your hearing device

The Week Ahead

Sunday, April 28

Senior Blessings During Worship &
Celebration Of All Families

9:30am: Worship

7pm: Narcotics Anonymous

Monday, April 29

7:30am: Daily Devotions

10am: Hello Yoga-Chair

5pm: Fellowship Activity

Tuesday, April 30

7:30am: Daily Devotions

8am: Koinonia

8am: Men's Bible Study

11am: Staff Meeting

Wednesday, May 1

7:30am: Daily Devotions

9am: sSMART

9:30am: Zoom Bible Study

5pm: Community Supper

5pm: Chimes

6pm: Choir

Thursday, May 2

7:30am: Daily Devotions

9:45am: Nursing Home Worships

1pm: Grief Support Weekly

4pm: Yang Style Tai Chi-Fellowship
Hall

4:30pm: Spirit Within

6pm: Hello Yoga-Mat

7:30pm: AA

Friday, May 3

7:30am: Daily Devotions

Saturday, May 4

5pm: Worship

Sunday, May 5

9:30am: Worship

7pm: Narcotics Anonymous

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Saturday: April 27: 5:00pm

Altar Guild:am: Barb Jacobsen

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Assisting Minister: Linda Gordon

Projectionist: Ron Kirchdoerfer

Greeter: Barb Jacobsen

Greeter:

Usher: Dan Grothe

Usher: Rocky Mulligan

Sunday: April 28: 9:30am

Altar Guild: Pam Swanson

Assisting Minister: CYF Youth

Communion Assistant: CYF Youth

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Broadcasting: Eric Neff

Projectionist: Tom Matthiae

Greeters: CYF Youth

Ushers: CYF Youth

Coffee Hosts & Cleanup: CYF Youth

We are recognizing a different group, committee, or ministry each weekend at First Lutheran. This week the **Community Suppers** are being recognized. We all appreciate your dedication and service to our church throughout the week, month, and year. Next week we will recognize the Cover Girls. God Bless You.

Do you like to craft cards? Come and join the First Lutheran Card Ladies. We take donated and used cards and make new ones. We then put them out on the card stand.

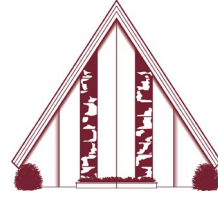
We do most of our crafting in our own homes, at our own pace. We have meetings when needed and the card stand is filled as we each see it needs it. Our next meeting is on Tuesday, May 7th at 9:30 am. Please come and join us.

Mother's Day Brunch will be served by the Tuesday Morning Men's Bible Study group following worship on Sunday, May 12th.

It takes a village and a congregation! Special Children, Youth & Family GRATITUDE FOR Jeff & Jill Reiche, Patti Nier, Dave & Linda Napieralsk, Kirsten Strottman, Gwen Michelson, Patty & David Van Landschoot, Janet Rivard, Trisha Brassill-Domagala, Rhonda Passolt, Vicki Anderson, Karen Giese, Cris & Eric & Matthew Neff, Carol Schmidt, Kay Sieh, Trevor Poppe, Natalie Grubb, Lydia Bergschnieder, Conner & Cassidy Judy, Emma Blinkwolt, Madi Bergschnieder, Tom Jolivette, Betty Beckman, Maxine Poppe, Jim Schreiber, Bob Badal, Barbara Bolitho, Will Ferris, Paula Gaida, Susan Sams, Jeanne & Ted Urban, Kathy McCoy, Sue Reinardy, Pastor Joel, Tanya, Ray, parents/grandparents of all our families, and everyone who provided snacks, gave camp donations and hold us in prayer throughout the year!

Last Week's Attendance and Giving

Saturday: 39 Sunday: 104 Online: 130 devices.



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"Let all that you do be done in love." I Corinthians 16:14

FIFTH EASTER

ANNOUNCEMENTS FOR APRIL 28, 2024

Please Pray For: John Schuenzel, Phil Pierce, Will Wege, Joanne Lamphear, Dawn Saxum, Barb Klippel, Doug Chase, Chris Somerville, Justin Rivard, Grete Schuenzel, Vivian Melby, Darrel Christenson, Brett Nelson, Dennis Marquardt, Jerry Rasmussen, the Family of Gayle Meisner, and Michael Nelson.

The Eternal Flame in April is sponsored by:

- ❖ Randy & Kris Neumann,
 - in memory of Rodney Neumann;
- ❖ Dave & Linda Napieralski,
 - in memory of our Parents;
- ❖ Craig Euneau,
 - in memory of Linda Euneau;
- ❖ Jan Wege
 - in memory of Bert Wege;
- ❖ Nancy Woodbeck,
 - in memory of Bob Woodbeck