

## Fourth Easter

Announcements

Call to Worship: Sat: **Lead me, Lord**

-The Choir

Sun: **Open My Heart to Your Love**

-The Spirit Within

Invocation

Gathering Hymn: ***Let Us Enter In***

ACS 985

Apostolic Greeting

Kyria & Gloria – Setting 7

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Prayer of the Day

Readings: Acts 9:36-43; Revelation 7:9-17

Gospel Acclamation – Setting 7

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Gospel: John 10:22-30

Sermon

Hymn of the Day: ***The Lord's My Shepherd***

ELW 778

The Apostles' Creed

Prayers of the Faithful

Peace and Offerings

Offertory: Sat: **Touch That Heals**

-The Choir

Sun: **The Heart is Stronger**

-The Spirit Within

Offertory Prayer

Communion

Communion Song: ***In This Feast of Love***

ACS 962

Sun: **Glorious Day**

-The Spirit Within

Post-Communion Blessing

Post-Communion Prayer

Benediction

Sending Hymn: ***Love Divine***

ELW 631

Dismissal

Postlude: Sat: **Psalm 19**

Sun: **To Live On**

-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, May 11

9:30am: Worship

7pm: Narcotics Anonymous

## Monday, May 12

7:30am: Daily Devotions

10am: Hello Yoga-Chair

5pm: Fellowship Activity

5pm: CC Exec

5:30pm: Council Meeting

## Tuesday, May 13

7:30am: Daily Devotions

8am: Koinonia

8am: Men's Bible Study

10am: Peace Circle

1:30pm: Faith, Hope & Love Circle

## Wednesday, May 14

7:30am: Daily Devotions

9:00am: sSMART

9:30am: Zoom Bible

4:15pm: M&E Meeting

5pm: Community Supper

6pm: Choir

## Thursday, May 15

7:30am: Daily Devotions

11am: Very Special Arts

1pm: Grief Support

4:30pm: Spirit Within

6pm: Hello Yoga-Mat

7:30pm: AA

## Friday, May 16

7:30am: Daily Devotions

## Saturday, May 17

9:30am: Purls of Prayer

5pm: Worship

## Sunday, May 18

9:30am: Worship w/Choir

7pm: Narcotics Anonymous

## Worship Volunteers

### Saturday: May 10: 5:00pm

Altar Guild:am: Pam McClelland

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Assisting Minister: Jeff Hubbard

Projectionist: Kathy McCoy

Greeters: The Berquist Family

Usher: Rocky Mulligan

### Sunday: May 11: 9:30am

Altar Guild: Patti Stone

Assisting Minister: Terri Lundeen

Communion Assistant: Daidre Bartz

Communion Assistant: Paula Gaida

Broadcasting: Eric Neff

Projectionist: Tom Matthiae

Greeters: Elroy & Deb Roedel

Usher: John Rusch

Usher: Ed Anderson

Coffee Hosts & Cleanup:

Carole Rusch

***From the 1st Letter of Peter:***

***<sup>10</sup> Each of you should use whatever gift you have received to serve others, as faithful stewards of God's grace in its various forms.***

Peter's 1<sup>st</sup> letter suggests we have all received gifts from God to serve others. These gifts of many types allow our congregation to continue to "be someone's good news." Thank you for supporting our service-minded efforts, as well as the financial health of First Lutheran Church.

***Your Stewardship Committee***

***Children & Family Ministry Coordinator.***Part-time- .25 FTE

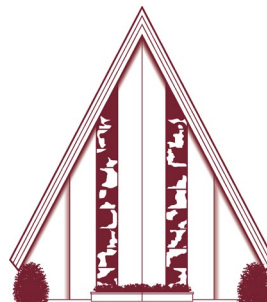
We are seeking an enthusiastic Children & Family Ministry Coordinator for part-time employment. This leader will work with the Terrific Tuesdays, the after-school faith formation ministry of approximately 15-24 students at the K-5 grade level. It is estimated that approximately 10 hours per week are necessary for the position. If interested, please contact Jeff Reiche, First Lutheran Church Personnel Committee, for more details. ([jreiche42420@gmail.com](mailto:jreiche42420@gmail.com)).

**Do you receive offering envelopes** in the mail and not use them? Please let Tanya know if you don't use them, and she will discontinue them. If you want to get offering envelopes in the mail, please also let Tanya know. Thank you all for your giving to FLC!

**The Outreach Committee** project for May is to ask for donations of PERSONAL HYGIENE and LAUNDRY DETERGENT, and DISH SOAP for the Hayward Food Shelf. Pantries are only allowed to purchase nutritional items. If you're interested in learning more about the Hayward food shelf, their website is: [www.haywardfoodshelf.net](http://www.haywardfoodshelf.net). One item we saw is that 3000 people are living at or below the poverty level in our area. Cash is always needed. Our CASH FOR CANS envelopes in the pews are a simple way to get money to our pantries, where they can buy food at a cost of 7 pounds for a dollar. Thank you!

**Last Week's Attendance and Giving:**

Saturday: 31 Sunday: 91 Online: 416



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

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**ANNOUNCEMENTS** FOR MAY 10 AND 11, 2025

***Please Pray For:*** John Schuenzel, Phil Pierce, Will Wege, Lowell Kees, Joanne Lamphear, Dawn Saxum, Barb Klippel, Allea Diehl, Eric Bernard, Grete Schuenzel, Vivian Melby, Kari Costa, Vic Weekin, Becky Iverson, Daryl Christenson, Dennis Marquardt, Michael Nelson, Joshua LeCuyer, Nancy Hubbard, Dawn Brubaker, Stan Olson, Paul Sievert, and Hayden Wege.

**The Eternal Flame** in May is sponsored by:

- ❖ Dave & Linda Napieralski,
  - in memory of our Parents;
- ❖ Carol Nelson,
  - in honor of Michael Nelson's 60<sup>th</sup> birthday;
- ❖ Lori Laberee,
  - in memory of Colin Laberee;
- ❖ Carol Nelson,
  - in memory of Sheri Nelson King