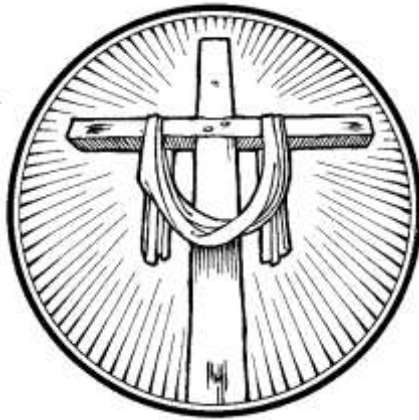


The Feast of the Resurrection of Our Lord Easter Sunday

April 5, 2026



And he said to them, “Do not be alarmed. You seek Jesus of Nazareth, who was crucified. He has risen, he is not here. See the place where they laid him.”

(Mark 16:6 ESV)

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Many members. One body united in Christ.

Welcome to the Divine Service where the risen Christ comes into our midst to bring us the peace of His cross and empty tomb. We pray that the Lord would grant us His Holy Spirit that His Word would bear the fruits of faith in Christ and works of love toward our neighbor.

The Lord's Supper is a confession that we are united in holding to all the doctrines of God's Word. Those who do not know and hold to the doctrinal commitment of the Lutheran Church-Missouri Synod are requested to attend the Adult Instruction Class for membership before communing at Faith Lutheran Church.

Christ's Resurrection Means That We Will One Day Be Raised

"Christ, our Passover Lamb, has been sacrificed" (1 Cor. 5:7). By the shed blood of Christ, the Lamb of God, eternal death has passed over us. Now we pass with Christ through death into life everlasting. For Christ the crucified One is risen! The stone has been rolled away from the tomb, revealing that the tomb could not hold Him (Mark 16:1-8). Now our Redeemer lives eternally to save us from sin and Satan and the grave, and we can live in the sure hope of our own bodily resurrection with Christ. "After my skin has been thus destroyed, yet in my flesh I shall see God" (Job 19:26). Feasting on the living Christ, who is our meat and drink indeed, we boldly say: "O death, where is your victory? O death, where is your sting? . . . But thanks be to God, who gives us the victory through our Lord Jesus Christ" (1 Cor. 15:54-55, 57).

ANNOUNCEMENTS

(Please remember to silence your cell phones during the Divine Service.)

The Easter Lilies beautifying the sanctuary this morning are given...

...in praise and glory to God as we celebrate the resurrection of our Saviour by:

Gil and Mary Jo Daughtrey,
Connor and Hannah Dysart,
Todd and Robin Hauth,
James and Carol Long,
Cassandra Tiro,
Mike and Edith Wright.

...in thanksgiving for family and church friends by:

Brad and Roberta Lowery.

...in loving memory of:

Wife, Maria Naizme "Tula" Sheehan by Tim Sheehan.

Mission Offering today to support our missionaries, Rev. Micah Wildauer and Rev. Walter Steele and their families in the mission fields.

The newly re-designed Parent Lounge is available for nursing mothers and all parents who need a calm and quiet place to help resettle restless children while still being able to listen and watch what is going on in the Divine Service. To help facilitate this, young children should not be left in the lounge unsupervised. We rejoice and give thanks to God for the improvements that have been made to the room and pray that it will be a blessing to our congregation for many years to come.

Sacred music for the Easter season... "Jesus Christ Is Risen Today," "Christ Jesus Lay in Death's Strong Bands," "I Know That My Redeemer Lives," "Awake, My Heart, with Gladness," "He's Risen, He's Risen." You can listen 24/7 to sacred music for the 50 days of the Easter season at lutheranpublicradio.org, TuneIn, Amazon

Echo, Google Home, Apple HomePod and the Lutheran Public Radio mobile app.

HELPING HANDS

Faith Lutheran School, Plano has openings next year for Preschool aides, teachers, and part-time office support. If you are interested, contact the school office (972-423-7448) or Pastor Koble.

OUR LIFE AS CHRISTIAN STEWARDS

Mark 16:6 – “And he said to them, ‘Do not be alarmed. You seek Jesus of Nazareth, who was crucified. He has risen; he is not here.’” The Good News is not just that Jesus is risen, but that He is risen to bless us — there is no need to be alarmed. He still calls us His friends and brothers and means to bring us through death to resurrection as well. The Lord is risen, He is risen indeed!

UPCOMING WEEK’S EVENTS

SUNDAY 04/05/26	<i>The Feast of the Resurrection of Our Lord</i> 8:00 AM – Easter Breakfast 9:30 AM – Divine Service
TUESDAY	9:30 AM – Women’s Bible Study 4:00 PM – Pastor’s CE Class 6:30 PM – Elders’ Meeting
WEDNESDAY	6:15 AM – Youth Catechesis
THURSDAY	9:00 AM – Men’s Bible Study
FRIDAY	9:30 AM – Matins 10:15 AM – Confession and Absolution
SUNDAY 04/12/26	<i>Quasimodo Geniti – The Second Sunday of Easter</i> 9:30 AM – Divine Service 11:15 AM – Sunday School and Adult Bible Class 2:00 PM – Adult Instruction Class

PRAYERS

- All those serving as missionaries around the world, especially Pastor Wildauer and Pastor Steele and their families.
- Baptismal birthdays celebrated this week: Brandon Lowery, Lydia Mallon, Cheryl Wildauer, Lucy Schwiesow.
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- Emma Cassanova, Erica Ficken, Leah Savage for protection of mother and child in pregnancy.
- Stephen Kieser, and his family as they mourn Stephen's grandmother, Maureen Rump, who fell asleep in Christ last week and was granted the crown of everlasting life.
- Sandra Zastrow, a co-worker of Robin Hauth, who is undergoing chemotherapy and radiation treatment for cancer.
- Randy Cooper, neighbor of the Rose family, suffering with lung complications while undergoing cancer treatments.
- Lindsay Penrose, who has a possibly torn ligament even as she deals with other ongoing health issues.
- Those undergoing cancer treatments: Doug Drawe, Dana Evans, Robin Wildauer, Leigh R., Cristine Purcell, Kyle, Bonnie Hennig.
- Those struggling with ongoing health issues: JE Purcell, Kristina Wishmeyer, Edith Wright, Dony Reaves, Rush, Ruth Pritchett, Galen Dino.
- Those experiencing other types of challenges: Greg Sims, Andrew Fischer.

Assisting in the Divine Service Today:

Elder – James Rose

Altar Duty – Gail Sellers

Organist – Rebekah Roundey

3/29/26 General Fund Offerings received: \$8,047.00

Restricted Fund Offerings received: \$17.00

Weekly budget needed: \$4,641.68

Budget year to date: surplus:-**\$1,462.37**