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ZION EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH

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THE RESURRECTION OF OUR LORD

APRIL 9, 2023

Today's Worship

Order of worship: Setting Three with Holy Communion - p.184

Hymns: 457, 461, 781 vs. 1-2; 633, 480; 465

Ushers serving in April: Jason Suckow & B.J. Voelker

Reserve: Brandon Beccue

We welcome our visitors in the name of our risen Savior, Jesus Christ! We pray that your time of worship with us today will be a blessing to you. Please introduce yourself to our members and our pastor. If you are interested in learning more about Zion, membership, or our teachings, please don't hesitate to speak with Pastor Manley or an Elder.

In Our Prayers This Week

Comfort for the family of Howard Hammer

In need of healing: Darren Feldkamp, Florence Leppin,
Kendra Meyer, Howard Voelker

Serving in the military: Cole Stuemke, Brandon Voelker

Imprisoned: Alex Beccue



Happy Birthday to Bert Siebert on Friday (04/14).

April Birthdays & Anniversaries*

Zion Lutheran Church* (16th- 130 years), Dalton Roedl (18th),
Naomi Murray (22nd), Dwayne & Christy Beccue* (23rd),
LaShay Suckow (27th)

HOLY COMMUNION: *The Lord's Supper is celebrated at this congregation in the confession and glad confidence that, as He says, our Lord gives into our mouths not only bread and wine but His very body and blood to eat and to drink for the forgiveness of sins and to strengthen our union with Him and with one another. Our Lord invites to His table those who trust His words, repent of all sin, and set aside any refusal to forgive and love as He forgives and loves us, that they may show forth His death until He comes.*

Because those who eat and drink our Lord's body and blood unworthily do so to their great harm and because Holy Communion is a confession of the faith which is confessed at this altar, any who are not yet instructed, in doubt, or who hold a confession differing from that of this congregation and The Lutheran Church—Missouri Synod, and yet desire to receive this sacrament, are asked first to speak with the pastor or an elder.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Immanuel Lutheran Church, Altamont will be hosting a meal on Sunday, April 16, to raise funds for current sanctuary renovations. It will be held at The Carriage House Event Center in Altamont. You are invited to the free-will donation event which is from 10:30 AM -- 1 PM. Carry-outs will be available. The menu includes fried chicken, bone-in ham, mashed potatoes & gravy, beef & noodles, vegetable, slaw, roll, dessert and drink. Sponsors include Deb's Catering, The Giving Plate, the Schultz Family and the Ramsey Family.

Lutheran Care Center Full Board Meeting will be held Monday, April 24, at 7:00 P.M.

PURE GERMANY TOUR - Mr. Jim Yagow is planning a trip to Pomerania and other sites in Germany Sept. 11-22, 2024. More information can be found on the Trip Handout in the narthex. Or you can contact Mr. Yagow directly: jimyagow@aol.com.

ALIS News/Upcoming Events:

April 6-16 – No School - Easter Break

April 17, Monday – School Board Meeting – 7PM

April 18, Tuesday – PTL Meeting & Elections – 7PM

ALIS position available – ALIS is taking applications for a part-time assistant cook. Interested candidates can apply in person at Altamont Lutheran Interparish School located at 7 South Edwards Street, Altamont, IL 62411, or email resume, cover letter, and references to robiflach@alisrockets.com. See the job description posted on the bulletin board for full details.

Thought for the week...

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!

The following Lectionary Summary, provided by the LCMS, serves as a guide to help understand the theme of the readings for each Sunday as well as how they fit into the particular season of the Church Year.

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).

ATTENDANCE

04/02	45
04/06	48

OUR CURRENT GIVING

Weekly amount needed:	\$ 1,200.00
Received 04/02	\$ 956.00
Received 04/06	\$ 213.00
Received YTD:	\$ 14,527.25
Difference in actual needed YTD:	\$ -2,272.75
Missions budget goal:	\$ 2,000.00
Received 04/02	\$ 0.00
Missions received YTD:	\$ 850.00



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WCRA, Effingham, IL	96.3 FM	Sunday, 9:30 AM
WCRA, Effingham, IL	1090 AM	Sunday, 9:30 AM
WPMB, Effingham, IL	104.7 FM	Sunday, 12:03 PM

Local Television Broadcast Schedule:

Bethlehem Lutheran	Mediacom - Ch. 81	Sunday, 5:00 PM
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KFUO - 850AM / KFUE.org – Programs are archived for 24/7 on-demand listening

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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.

Bulletin Announcements Please contact Tonya Suckow to submit bulletin announcements. You may E-mail zion.altamont@gmail.com or call/text 618-780-7732. Please submit announcements by 12 P.M. on Friday.