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5th Sunday in Lent ***April 6th, 2025***

Prelude

 Hymn: "On That Day" Insert

Announcements

Invocation


Scripture Reading: **ISAIAH 43:13-21**
PSALM 126
PHILIPPIANS 3:(4b-7)8-14

Confession of Sin and Absolution

Pastoral Prayer

Lenten Prayer

The Pulpit Hymn: "In Christ Alone" Insert

 Sermon Text: **LUKE 20:9-20**

The Sermon: **"Wicked Vineyard Tenants"** Pr. Ryan Kandoll

Nicene Creed

The Order of Holy Communion


The Words of Institution

The Lord's Prayer

Hymn: "Lamb of God" 166

Communion Hymns: 168, 97

The Post-Communion Prayer

 Hymn: "All Blessing, Honor, Thanks & Praise" 174

The Benediction

Hymn: "Alas! And Did My Saviour Bleed?" 81

Postlude



The Congregation stands

****Please turn off cell phones during the service – thank you****

ON OUR PRAYER LIST THIS WEEK (Please leave a note in the office of any additions, removals or changes)

- ❖ **For Missionaries:** Nicole & Saul Palazuelos, David & Sharon Matti, Lynton & Iona Silva, Daniel, Denisa & Luna Harcar, Phil, Cindy, Megan & Sarah Read, Trevor Rubenstein, David & Carmen Gunderson, Bill Rogers, Derek Johnson & Family, ALC Foreign Missions, Outpost Ministries.
- ❖ **MILITARY/POLICE OFFICERS—Pray for those Serving Our Communities & Country –** Jesse Maunu, John Saari, Gregg Johnson, Jason Leonard, Ryan Pelkola, Jeff Ritter, James O'Neill, Caleb Hendrickson, Ben Jenkins, Rose Stamp, Corey Anderson, Christopher Anderson, Brandon Hietala & David Soine Jr.
- ❖ **The family of:** Shirley Hendrickson (4/24), Timothy Simula (8/24), Martha Koski (10/24), Jack Hendrickson (1/25), Dale Johnson (Sharon's brother) (1/25), Jill Marin (1/25), Heidi Bergstedt (2/25), Dick Walters (Larry's brother) (2/25)
- ❖ **Dan Puumala**- Blood supply to right eye/ miraculous/ healing/ infection/ strength; healing of chronic extreme dry eye
- ❖ **Sara Graf** – Relief and healing from Crohn's Disease and hormonal imbalance
- ❖ **Pastor Charles & Leann Bergstedt** – Continued healing
- ❖ **Ed Puumala** – inactive lymphoma
- ❖ **Cheryl Puumala** –Pray for continued healing, pain control
- ❖ **Mark Fredrickson**-(Lorraine's Son-in-law) pray for physical & speech Therapy
- ❖ **Debbie Salguero**
- ❖ **Lulu Puumala**
- ❖ **Lorrie & Mike Kandoll** (Pr. Ryan's Parents) – Healing
- ❖ **Pastor & Mrs. Lee & daughter Amy** – Healing
- ❖ **Terri Bloomquist** –pray for continued healing
- ❖ **Myrna Maikkula** – Thanks be to God for cancer and the doors it has opened. PTL for healing in God's time.
- ❖ **Bev Aho** – Peace, healing & Medical Team
- ❖ **Audrey Krutzig** – healing, peace and wisdom for the Drs
- ❖ **Heidi Ritter**(Patty Olson's niece, Joe Palkola's daughter) – Breast Cancer
- ❖ **Michael Cravens** – continued healing with treatments
- ❖ **Karen Christopherson**-Dr's care & guidance in diagnoses & treatment of Autoimmune disorder
- ❖ **Evy Walters**-healing from accident
- ❖ **David Anderson**(Terri Bloomquist's brother) Praise for healing that has already occurred from major stroke, prayers for continued healing
- ❖ **Phyllis Krumholz**-praise for healing of a TIA & prayers for a good result of a thyroid biopsy
- ❖ **Elaine Bergstedt**-Praise for successful surgery, prayers for healing, Dr's care & peace moving back home.
- ❖ **Elise O'Neill**-Prayers for healing & Dr's wisdom
- ❖ **Allison Bulthuis & Esmé (11/24)**
- ❖ **Alaura & Josh Hansen**-healthy baby & pregnancy
- ❖ **Alisha & Addison** – Healthy pregnancy & Baby
- ❖ **Nicole & Saul**-healthy baby & pregnancy
- ❖ **Pray for Pastor of the Week – Pastor Nicholas Kandoll**
- ❖ **Sara Gende**-Our new music leader
- ❖ **Good News Club**- starting, teachers, promotion, kids to have an open heart to the gospel.
- ❖ **Pray for the USA;** Peace of Jerusalem (Psalm 122:6-7)/For the Unreached People Groups/Persecuted Church (Heb 13:3), Nigerian Church, Christians in Palestine and Israel, ALC Balm of Gilead, Abortion, Sharon
- ❖ **Our Church**-Discernment on repairs and upgrades to the building; Quiet Prayer

PRAYER UPON ENTERING CHURCH

²⁴ This is the day which the LORD has made; Let us rejoice and be glad in it. **Psalm 118:24**

Confession of Sin:

Pastor: Let us then confess our sins to God our Father

Congregation: Dear Heavenly Father, we bow before You to confess that we have sinned against You in our words, actions and our thoughts. We come to ask Your forgiveness and to seek Your great mercy. We come to You on the merits of Jesus Christ, not our own. Look not upon our sins, or our iniquity, but wash us in the blood of Jesus Christ so that we may be clean before You. This we pray in His Name, Amen.

Absolution

Pastor: Almighty God, our heavenly Father, has had mercy upon us and has given His only Son to die for us. The promise of Scripture is that whoever confesses his sins to the Lord will receive forgiveness through the faithfulness and righteousness of Christ so I declare to you the forgiveness of all of your sins in the name and shed blood of Jesus. God grant that this may be the experience of us all. On the other hand, I declare to the unrepentant and unbelieving, that so long as they continue in their unrepentance, God has not forgiven their sins, and will assuredly visit their iniquities upon them, if they do not turn from their evil ways, and come to repentance and faith in Christ, before the time of grace ends

A Lenten prayer for our congregation:

Our Lord God almighty, maker of all things seen and unseen. Thank you for this time of reflection in the Church year. Guide us as a congregation step by step to grow closer to you and grow in our knowledge of the truth. Your Word is truth, we cannot know it without you revealing it to us.

Quiet our anxieties, and protect us from our adversaries whether known or unknown to us, both seen and unseen.

Heal us from materialism and other harmful mindsets that we pick up from our culture. Teach us to do your will so that we will be strengthened by you in our love for you and our charity toward others.

You have made us the light of the world; teach us not to complain about or fear the darkness in the world, but rather let your light shine through us so that others may know you and come to repentance. For you are our strength, our shield and our redeemer and your kingdom will have no end.

Amen



Sinners Welcome!

We invite all baptized believers who profess faith in Jesus Christ, according to the 3 Ecumenical Creeds, to partake in the Lord's Supper. In this holy meal, we receive the true body and blood of our Lord Jesus Christ, for the forgiveness of sins.

If you do not share this faith or are unrepentant, we ask that you refrain from partaking in communion at this time. However, you are always welcome to come forward for a blessing. To do so simply cross your arms as a sign, and we will pray for you instead.

If you have any questions Pastor Ryan would love to talk with you!

Nicene Creed

I believe in one God, the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth and of all things visible and invisible.

And in one Lord Jesus Christ, the only-begotten Son of God, begotten of His Father before all worlds, God of God, Light of Light, very God of very God, begotten, not made, being of one substance with the Father, by whom all things were made; who for us men and for our salvation came down from heaven and was incarnate by the Holy Spirit of the virgin Mary and was made man; and was crucified also for us under Pontius Pilate. He suffered and was buried. And the third day He rose again according to the Scriptures and ascended into heaven and sits at the right hand of the Father. And He will come again with glory to judge both the living and the dead, whose kingdom will have no end.

And I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord and giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son, who with the Father and the Son together is worshiped and glorified, who spoke by the prophets. And I believe in one holy Christian and apostolic Church I acknowledge one Baptism for the remission of sins, and I look for the resurrection of the dead and the life of the world to come. Amen.

Meditation Scriptures for Next Week:

Deuteronomy 32:36-39; Psalm 118:19-29, 31:9-16; Philipians 2:5-11; Luke 23:1-56

**The Adult Sunday School class started a new study on the Apostle Peter. All Welcome.
Class is at 9:15am Sunday Mornings**

Looking for nursery help during Sunday School from 9:15-10:15am
Also, looking for help on Wednesday evenings, after Easter, with nursery and/or a children's program from 6:00pm-7:30pm. More info to follow. See Pr. Ryan or Kris Walters with questions

DATES TO REMEMBER5

Apr 9 – Lent service @ 6pm

Apr 12 – Church Work Day

Apr 13 – Palm Sunday with lunch following

Apr 17 – Maundy Thursday Service @ 6pm

Apr 18 – Good Friday Tenebrae Service @ 6pm

Apr 20 – Easter Sunday with Brunch following

Upcoming:

Coffee Serving:

Apr 6 – Sharon Wahala

Apr 13 – Janis Saari

Apr 20 - Easter Brunch Volunteers

Nursery Schedule:

Apr 6 – Volunteer

Apr 13 – Volunteers

Apr 20 – Volunteer

Mark Your Calendar –

Saturday, April 12th

Church Clean-up from 9am-12pm



This is an opportunity to help maintain the beauty and value of our church building and grounds. Please bring your work gloves and a can-do attitude. See Noel Walters with questions.

Wednesday Evening Lent Services @ 6pm

3/5 James 1:22-2:26, "Faith & Works"

3/12 James 3, "A Fiery Tongue or a Wise Tongue?"

3/19 James 4:1-10, "Humble Yourselves"

3/26 James 4:11—5:6, "Judging, Boasting, & Wealth"

4/2 James 1:1-21, "Trials & Temptations"

4/9 James 5:7-20, "Patience & Prayer"

4/13 Palm Sunday service @ 10:30am - lunch following

4/17 Maundy Thursday Service @ 6:00pm

4/18 Good Friday Tenebrae Service @ 6:00pm

4/20 Easter Service @ 10:30am - Brunch Following



Potluck lunch following the Palm Sunday Service

Pulled pork, buns, coleslaw, coffee, and water provided. **Please bring a side or a dessert to share.**

EASTER Brunch following the service. Sign-up sheets for attending and for helping are on the narthex desk



Good Friday Tenebrae Service, April 18th, Readers Needed

There is a signup sheet on the narthex desk if you are interested in participating in the service. Several readers are needed and 1 behind the scenes support person.



Easter Lilies



There is a signup sheet for those wishing to donate a beautiful Easter lily in honor or memory of a loved one. The cost is \$12.00. Please designate "Easter lily" on your check and put it in the offering plate.

It's time once again for the March Food Share Campaign.



As in the past years, we will once again collect non-perishable food and money.

Please put your food in the narthex. For money donation make a contribution to the church and in the memo line earmark it for the Food Share.

The campaign will run from March 1-April 6.

The food and money will go to Interfaith Outreach.

Any questions contact Roy Saari

On That Day

1. I believe in Christ, risen from the dead
He now reigns victorious, His kingdom knows no end
Through His resurrection death has lost its hold
I know on that final day I'll rise as Jesus rose

Chorus

On that day we will see you shining brighter than the sun
On that day we will know you as we lift our voice as one
Till that day we will praise you for your never-ending grace
And we will keep on singing on that glorious day

2. What a blessed hope, though now tired and worn
We will spend eternity around our Saviour's throne
Though we grieve our losses we grieve not in vain
For we know our crown of glory waits beyond the grave

Chorus

On that day we will see you shining brighter than the sun
On that day we will know you as we lift our voice as one
Till that day we will praise you for your never-ending grace
And we will keep on singing on that glorious day

Bridge

Hallelujah what a day it will be
For at home with you my joy is complete
As I run into your arms open wide I will see
My father who is waiting for me (Repeat)

Chorus

On that day we will see you shining brighter than the sun
On that day we will know you as we lift our voice as one
Till that day we will praise you for your never-ending grace
And we will keep on singing on that glorious day (Repeat)

In Christ Alone

1. In Christ alone my hope is found
He is my light my strength my song
This Cornerstone this solid Ground
Firm through the fiercest drought and storm
What heights of love what depths of peace
When fears are stilled when strivings cease
My Comforter my All in All
Here in the love of Christ I stand

2. In Christ alone who took on flesh
Fullness of God in helpless babe
This gift of love and righteousness
Scorned by the ones He came to save
Till on that cross as Jesus died
The wrath of God was satisfied
For every sin on Him was laid
Here in the death of Christ I live

3. There in the ground His body lay
Light of the world by darkness slain
Then bursting forth in glorious Day
Up from the grave He rose again
And as He stands in victory
Sin's curse has lost its grip on me
For I am His and He is mine
Bought with the precious blood of Christ

4. No guilt in life no fear in death
This is the power of Christ in me
From life's first cry to final breath
Jesus commands my destiny
No power of hell no scheme of man
Can ever pluck me from His hand
Till He returns or calls me home
Here in the power of Christ I'll stand

Keith Getty, Stuart Townend

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Sermon Notes

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SERVING IN GOD'S HOUSE TODAY

Ushers:

Please Volunteer
Volunteer

Counters:

Volunteer
Kris Walters / Volunteer

Sound Technician: Roy Saari

Coffee fellowship: Sharon Wahala

Nursery:

Volunteer

Greeters:

Volunteer

Comm Set-up/Clean-up

Stacey Wempen

SERVING IN GOD'S HOUSE NEXT SUNDAY

Ushers:

Please Volunteer
Volunteer

Counters:

Volunteer
Kris Walters / Volunteer

Sound Technician: Roy Saari

Coffee fellowship: Lunch downstairs

Nursery:

Volunteer

Greeters:

Volunteer

Comm Set-up/Clean-up

Stacey Wempen

THIS WEEK'S SCHEDULE

TODAY (4/6)

9:15am Sunday School for All Ages

10:30am Worship Service with Communion

11:30am Coffee Fellowship

12:00pm New Members Class

WEDNESDAY (4/9) 6:00pm Lent Service

NEXT SUNDAY (4/13) 9:15am Sunday School for All Ages

10:30am Worship Service with Communion

11:45am Celebration Potluck Lunch for
Baptism & New Members

Church Office Hours for October – May
T, W, TH 10am – 2pm

As of March 31st, 2025 OUR STEWARDSHIP

Actual vs Budget Income: \$61,511/ \$57,014

Actual vs Budget Expenses: \$67,586/ \$57,014

