

CHRIST IS RISEN! ALLELUIA!

ST. ANDREW LUTHERAN CHURCH

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The Resurrection of our Lord
April 20, 2014
11:00 am

WELCOME TO OUR VISITORS!

If you are a visitor to our church today, we welcome you and we hope to see you again soon. Please complete the Visitor Card located at the end of your pew, and we suggest that this is all you place in the collection plate or give it to the pastor as you leave today. Thank You!

For those who have difficulty hearing in church, earphones are available. Please ask the ushers to assist you with one of these devices.

THE ASSEMBLY STANDS

PRAISE SONG

"Arise"

EASTER PROCLAMATION

- L Christ is Risen! Alelluia!
- C He is risen indeed! Alelluia!

PRAISE SONG

"My Redeemer Lives"

EASTER GREETING

PRAYER OF THE DAY

- P Let us pray. O God,
- C you gave your only Son to suffer death on the cross for our redemption, and by his glorious resurrection you delivered us from the power of death. Make us die every day to sin, that we may live with him forever in the joy of the resurrection, through your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.

THE ASSEMBLY SITS

THE FIRST READING

Acts 10:34-43

Then Peter began to speak to them: "I truly understand that God shows no partiality, but in every nation anyone who fears him and does what is right is acceptable to him. You know the message he sent to the people of Israel, preaching peace by Jesus Christ — he is Lord of all. That message spread throughout Judea, beginning in Galilee after the baptism that John announced: how God anointed Jesus of Nazareth with the Holy Spirit and with power; how he went about doing good and healing all who were oppressed by the devil, for God was with him. We are witnesses to all that he did both in Judea and in Jerusalem. They put him to death by hanging

him on a tree; but God raised him on the third day and allowed him to appear, not to all the people but to us who were chosen by God as witnesses, and who ate and drank with him after he rose from the dead. He commanded us to preach to the people and to testify that he is the one ordained by God as judge of the living and the dead. All the prophets testify about him that everyone who believes in him receives forgiveness of sins through his name."

L: Word of God, word of life.

C: Thanks be to God.

SECOND READING

Colosians 3:1-4

So if you have been raised with Christ, seek the things that are above, where Christ is, seated at the right hand of God. ²Set your minds on things that are above, not on things that are on earth, ³for you have died, and your life is hidden with Christ in God. ⁴When Christ who is your life is revealed, then you also will be revealed with him in glory.

L: Word of God, word of life.

C: Thanks be to God.

THE ASSEMBLY STANDS

GOSPEL Matthew 28:1-10

After the sabbath, as the first day of the week was dawning, Mary Magdalene and the other Mary went to see the tomb. ²And suddenly there was a great earthquake; for an angel of the Lord, descending from heaven, came and rolled back the stone and sat on it. ³His appearance was like lightning, and his clothing white as snow. ⁴For fear of him the guards shook and became like dead men. ⁵But the angel said to the women, "Do not be afraid; I know that you are looking for Jesus who was crucified. ⁶He is not here; for he has been raised, as he said. Come, see the place where he lay. ⁷Then go quickly and tell his disciples, 'He has been raised from the dead, and indeed he is going ahead of you to Galilee; there you will see him.' This is my message for you." ⁸So they left the tomb quickly with fear and great joy, and ran to tell his disciples. ⁹Suddenly Jesus met them and said, "Greetings!" And they came to him, took hold of his feet, and worshiped him. ¹⁰Then Jesus said to them, "Do not be afraid; go and tell my brothers to go to Galilee; there they will see me."

THE ASSEMBLY SITS

CHILDREN'S SERMON

SERMON

REFLECTION SONG

ANNOUNCEMENTS

THE ASSEMBLY STANDS

THE APOSTLES' CREED

I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth.

I believe in Jesus Christ, God's only Son, our Lord.
who was conceived by the Holy Spirit
born of the virgin Mary,
suffered under Pontius Pilate,
was crucified, died, and was buried;.
he descended to the dead.
On the third day he rose again;
he ascended into heaven,
he is seated at the right hand of the Father.
and he will come to judge the living and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen

THE PRAYERS OF THE CHURCH

A Made alive to God in Christ Jesus, let us pray for the church, those in need, and all of God's creation.

A brief silence.

- A O God, in Christ's death and resurrection your church is reborn. Bless your people in every nation: Orthodox, Catholic, Protestant, and Pentecostal. Raise us up to witness together to your undying love for the world. Hear us, O God.
- C Your mercy is great.
- A O God, your faithfulness extends to all the earth. On this Easter morn, we pray for creation. Make terror and destruction cease, and renew all things in the bright dawning of your love. Hear us, O God.

- C Your mercy is great.
- A O God, the resurrection of your Son means life for every nation. Show us that promise and hope. Heal nations scarred by injustice and greed; give hope to those ravaged by violence (*especially*). Hear us, O God.
- C Your mercy is great.
- A O God, your Son healed all who were oppressed. Bless those who heal and show compassion in Jesus' name, even as we pray for the many among us who are still in need (*especially*). Hear us, O God.
- C Your mercy is great.
- A O God, in the waters of baptism you call us by name and raise us to new life in you. Renew us with all faith, hope, and love, that we might be Christ's risen body in the world. Hear us, O God.
- C Your mercy is great.
- A O God, we give thanks for the saints whose lives proclaim the victory of your love. With them, give us courage to follow our crucified and risen Lord, until all things are gathered in his name. Hear us, O God.
- C Your mercy is great.
- P Into your hands, O God, we commend all for whom we pray, trusting in your mercy; through Jesus Christ, our crucified and risen Savior.
- C Amen.

THE ASSEMBLY SITS

OFFERING SONG

"Awesome God"

OFFERING

THE ASSEMBLY STANDS

OFFERTORY PRAYER

- A Let us pray. Blessed are you, O God, ruler of heaven and earth.
- C Day by day you shower us with blessings. As you have raised us to new life in Christ, give us glad and generous hearts, ready to praise you and to respond to those in need, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. Amen.

SHARING THE PEACE

- p The peace of Christ be with you always.
- C And also with you.

COMMUNION PRAYER

THE LORD'S PRAYER

INVITATION TO COMMUNION

Jesus is truly present in the forms of bread and wine. All Baptized Christians are invited to the feast of our Lord.

THE ASSEMBLY SITS

COMMUNION

COMMUNION SONG

"Mighty To Save" "Hosanna (Praise Is Rising)"

THE ASSEMBLY STANDS

BLESSING

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

- A Let us pray. Life-giving God,
- C we give you thanks for nourishing us with the bread of heaven and the wine of love, Jesus our risen Savior. As you send us into the world, guard us from the power of evil, keep us in unity with all your people, and by your Spirit move us to testify to your grace in our words and actions; through Christ our Lord. Amen.

BENEDICTION

- P Almighty God, who raised our Lord Jesus from death, lift you up and restore you to wholeness.
- C Amen.
- P Jesus Christ, the Word of life, bless you and send you to be his witnesses.
- C Amen.
- P God, the Holy Spirit, who renews the whole earth, refresh you in the gift of baptism this day and always.
- C Amen.
- P Almighty God, Father, Son, and Holy Spirit, Bless you now and forver.
- C Amen.

DISMISSAL

A Go in peace. Share the good news. Alleluia!

C Thanks be to God. Alleluia!

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The flowers on the altar today are presented to the Glory of God by: The Azzizi/Betlyn Family in Memory of Stella Betlyn.

WORSHIP PARTICIPANTS: 11:00 Service

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Acolytes: Frankie & Lexie Hvostal Neil & Brian Ruppel

Assisting Minister: Frank Hvostal Isabelle Marsh

Comm. Assistants: Don McKissick Kathy McKinley

Lector: Volunteer Needed Lynn Alstadt

Greeter: Volunteer Needed Volunteer Needed
Ushers: Lynn Alstadt & Ed Schrieber &

Cathy Snyder Breezy Cignetti

Construction & Harvey Hinch
Projection: & Keira Wood & Keira Wood

Counters: Jeff McKinley Don McKissick

Altar Care: Dave & Marjorie Kasper Dave & Marjorie

Kasper

Bread Providers: Volunteer Needed Volunteer Needed

Traveling Joe & Gabriella Marsh

Communion:

ANNOUNCEMENTS

<u>Adults Night Out</u>: Friday, April 25th at 6:00pm at Peter's Place, 1199 Washington Pike, Bridgeville, PA 15017

Take I79 South to the Kirwin Heights Exit. Restaurant is a very short distance on the right. For those that are interested in attending, please contact: Carol Crawford (412)-269-7725 or Grace McQuade at (412)-

262-2318. There is also a sign-up sheet in the Narthex. For more information on the restaurant please visit:

http://www.petersplacerestaurant.net/index.php

~New Scripts order due April 27th ~

Women of the ELCA Spring Clusters 1 & 6 Events

Date: Saturday, April 26, 2014

Time: 8:30 a.m. – registration; 9:00 a.m. - breakfast

Place: Redeemer Lutheran Church, 819 Washington Ave., Monaca, PA Theme: "Lord Teach Us How To Pray" – Based on Matthew 21:22 For more information contact: Shirlee Nelson, 412-264-7227

<u>Prayer Buddy Program Reception</u>: Just a quick reminder that the Prayer Buddy Program Reception is Sunday, May 18th at 9:45. We look forward to seeing all the kids with their Buddies at the Reception.

<u>Sunday School</u>: Registration forms for the 2014-2015 Sunday School year will be mailed out to all currently enrolled families, and form will also be available shortly in the narthex for all new students. Classes for all children aged 3 (and completely potty-trained) through Adult.

<u>Youth Updates</u>: We have several youth that will be attending Lutherlyn the week of July 6th. They are in the 6-8th Grade. It would be great if we could get a few more youth in that group. If you are interested, please contact Kasey Nicol. We will be putting the deposit down sometime in April.

HELP US HELP A CHILD READ!

St. Andrew Christian Literacy Outreach Ministry is in desperate need of volunteer tutors. Tutors provide 1 hour of one-on-one tutoring per week at Moon, Coraopolis and Sewickley libraries. Please call Nina Manack for more information: 412-977-2072.

God's Good Gifts: Bible Study and Card Making Mondays from 7-8:30pm. Each session will include Bible Study, prayer, fellowship and card making! No experience needed and all supplies will be provided. Please contact Terri Hinch by 412-841-2150, or Email: hinchtl@gmail.com All are welcome and bring a friend!

PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS

Agnes Miller, Raquel Burke, Adelina Burke, Lily Burke, Ed Nelson, Frank

Bruno, Rose & Bill Werthen, Mike & Sally Mihalo, Luise Keppel, Ralph Blosser, Dorothy Balogh, David & Evelyn Bartoe, Steve Brite & Rona Gralitzer, Kathy White, Mary Kochanowski, Marie Schreiber, Craig Whipkey, Chuck Weaver, Karen Yovick

Bill and Jaunita Page Parents of Martha Baxter
Mary Lou Bowser Cousin of Tara Ludwiczak
Josh Prigorac Moon High School Teacher
Kristi Magneson Niece of Sandy Schuman
Leah McPherson Granddaughter of Rhonda Brite
Gabrielle Chew Friend of Mamrose family

Judy & Stephen Puskar
Susan Steen
Scott Mullen
Michael Liptak
Maura Schwab
Rich Kyper
Christopher Bunyan
Cousins of the Azzizi & Betlyn Family
Friend of Azzizi & Betlyn Family
Nephew of Jeff & Kathy McKinley
Nephew of Jeff & Kathy McKinley
Friend of Schumaker Family
Grandson of Rich Kyper
Grandson of Rich Kyper

Stan Bookser Father-in-Law of Julie Bookser Diane & Michael Hornyak Parents of Steven Hornyak

Gary Springer Neighbor of Billie & Marty Schuller Ed Ludwiczak Father-in-Law of Tara Ludwiczak Sylvia Hall Mother of Karen Tehovnik

Baby Willie Perfett Baby

Emily Litterini Granddaughter of Bob and Christine Litterini

Cindy Wilson Cousin of Bob Litterini Raymond Cleis Son of Lois Baile

Sherri Friend of Jim McFadden
John Teleha & Family Friends of Sherri Perfett
C.J. Connelly Neighbor of Mary White
Wanda Bauer Grandmother of Angela Arndt

In Memoriam:

Connie Yanoshak – Vicar Jen's Aunt

Those Serving In Our Military

Daniel J. Bustinger, grandson of the late Lois Bustinger James Riss, son-in-law of Paula & Jeff Bussard Chaz Tress, friend of the Nelsons, Army

EASTER FLOWER MEMORIALS 2014

In Honor of:

Presented by:

Andrew & Joseph

Pastor & Deb Mort

Our Grandsons:

Bill & Helen Werling

Joshua, Jacob & Jensen Walker

In Memory of:

Presented by:

Marguerite Wood

The Wood Family

Alice & Tony Perruchon

Paula & Jeff Bussard

Jack Bussard

Paul & Jeff Bussard

Eva & Arthur Broecker

Monica Broecker

Gary Kochanowski

The Kochanowski Family

Margaret Conway

The Kochanowski Family

Loved Ones

Pastor & Deb Mort

Our Parents

Bill & Helen Werling

Our Granddaughter:

Bill & Helen Werling

Olivia S. Walker

Ron Oliver: Husband & Father

Cheryl, Aaron & Amber



In Memory of:

Presented by:

Bill Perfett The Perfett Family

Anne Smith The Perfett Family

Fred Perfett The Perfett Family

Patty Hess The Perfett Family

Both of Our Parents &

Sister Mary Jo

Frederick & Sandra Cornelius

Emily & Bobby Srik Grandma Marlane McGinnis

Ron McGinnis Wife Marlane McGinnis

Our Grandmothers:

Mary Ludwiczak & Alma Hunter

James & Tara Ludwiczak

Wesley Mamrose: The Mamrose Family David's Dad & Beloved Pap

Of Wesley & Caroline

James Daniel Harrington: Andrea's Dad & Beloved Grampy

of Wesley & Caroline

The Mamrose Family

Jacob C. Renshaw: Our Son & Brother

David, Donna, Matthew & Amanda Renshaw

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On The Calendar This Week April 20th – April 26th

EASTER Sunday, April 20, 2014

SUNRISE Service 6:30 pm Breakfast 7:15 pm CELEBRATION Service 8:30 am Breakfast 9:45 am CELEBRATION Service 11:00 am

Monday, April 21, 2014

God's Good Gifts Bible Study 7:00pm

Wednesday, April 23, 2014

Bible Study 10:00 am Choir Practice 7:00 pm

Thursday, April 24, 2014

Youth at Ronald McDonald House 3:30 pm Mutual Ministry Meeting 7:30 pm

Friday, April 25, 2014

Women's Bible Study 10:00 am Adult's Night Out 6:00 pm (Peter's Place)

Saturday, April 26, 2014

WORSHIP 6:00 pm