



We have seen His star in the east
and have come to worship Him.”
Matthew 2:2b

April 2023
Bethlehem Lutheran
Church & School

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Sunday Divine Services:
8:00am & 10:30am

Sunday School & Adult
Bible Study: 9:15am

Rev. Jedidiah Maschke
Pastor

Lora Spiker
Church Secretary

Mr. Lonnie Karges
Principal

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MISSION STATEMENT:

To proclaim the Gospel of our
Lord Jesus Christ through witness,
mercy, and
Christian education

Our Offertories

Recently, a member of the church asked me a question about one of the offertories we use in worship. It was a question that really inspired me to search out the history behind these offertories and especially the reasons why we use these particular offertories in our liturgy.

There are three main offertories that we use in our liturgy. The first is “What shall I render to the Lord” which we use on Sundays in Advent and Christmas and again during the Easter season and Pentecost. This offertory is made up of several verses: Psalm 116:12, 17, 13-14, and 19, which come from the Hallel psalms, Psalms 113-118. When we sing this offertory, we are singing with Jesus, because the Hallel psalms would have been sung by Him and the disciples on Maundy Thursday at the first communion celebration.

The second one we use is “Let the Vineyards Be Fruitful.” This is what we use mainly during summertime, and it’s based on Psalm 104:14-14, Isaiah 25:6 and 1 Cor. 5:7.

The third offertory we use is “Create in me.” The words go like this:

*Create in me a clean heart, O God, and renew a right spirit within me.
Cast me not away from Thy presence, and take not Thy Holy Spirit from me.
Restore unto me the joy of your salvation, and uphold me with Thy free spirit.*

These verses are the words of Psalm 51:10-12. So why do we use these verses for the offertory? And why do we sing of God casting us from His presence when He has promised to be with us always?

The offertory is part of a larger section of the liturgy consisting of the offering, offertory, and prayers. In this part of the liturgy, we respond to the gift of God’s Word in the scripture readings, creed, and sermon. We offer our gifts to God and the church in the money we bring for offerings, while also offering our hearts as we pray and praise God in the offertory, and as we collectively offer Him our prayers.

This particular offertory uses the words of David after he had sinned with Bathsheba. These are some of the most heart-wrenching words used in the Bible in an unparalleled admission of guilt. We know that David knew full well how the Spirit of the Lord departed from Saul after he rejected God, and it makes sense that he would be afraid of the same downfall. Paul too talks about being “disqualified” from the race (1 Corinthians 9:27), and Jesus himself talks about how branches that do not abide in Him are thrown away and burned (John 15:6).

It is important for us to realize that because of our sin God has every right and all the power needed to cast us from His presence and to take His Holy Spirit from us. This is part of who God is: God cannot tolerate sin in His presence, or, as the Bible literally says, in His face. He must turn away from sin: that is the nature of our perfect God.

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And that is exactly what happened on Good Friday. God saw His Son Jesus taking on the sin of the world, and He had to turn away. He could not tolerate the sin of the world in His face, and so He cast Jesus from His presence, and took His Holy Spirit from Jesus. Jesus died that day, taking with Him the sins of the world to be atoned for, forever. And Jesus succeeded in His divine task, showing us that He had completed His mission by rising from the dead on the third day, that first Easter Sunday.

Because of Jesus' work, we now sing this offertory joyfully, in full knowledge and reverence to a God who should cast us from His presence, but who keeps us in Him because of faith in Jesus Christ.

In Christ,

Pastor Maschke

Upcoming
2023 Holiday Church Schedule

April 2—Palm Sunday @8:00am & 10:30am

April 6th—Maundy Thursday @6:30pm (Divine Service)

April 7th—Good Friday @6:30pm

April 9th —Easter @8:00am & 10:30am with brunch between services

April Sundays

April 2 Palm Sunday

April 9 Easter Sunday
9:15am Easter Brunch—All are welcome to attend.

April 16 3rd Sunday of Easter
11:45 BWM Luncheon—All ladies are invited.

April 23 4th Sunday of Easter

April 30 5th Sunday of Easter
9:30 Divine Service only
Fellowship Lunch Potluck (Bring a dish to share) afterwards
All are welcome to attend.
No Bible Study/Sunday School

Ordinary Man

Yes, I am an ordinary man...with extraordinary support. By some standards I accomplished much during my professional career, yet by most standards I was very ordinary, and I have no complaints as I was blessed bountifully. Compared to some folks I was very blessed as they struggled significantly in their career and personal lives; my struggles pale in comparison to folks that truly suffer. My extraordinary support and blessings came from God as I struggled with self-doubt, poor habits, poor behavior...ordinary life issues.

As some of you know, Hilda is my greatest human support; my life would have been lonely and a lot less enjoyable without her. She supported my spiritual growth and leadership yet without the Spirit guiding me throughout life I would have and still would be meandering around in an aimless spiritual fog. The Spirit guided me through the fog even when I wasn't paying attention as God never abandoned me (Deuteronomy 31:8 "...he will not leave or forsake you..."). I likely would have blown it in life and not survived without extraordinary guidance. I can share my experience and faith with confidence that it is applicable to those, like me, who are hypocritical at times, who choose the worldly versus the spiritual, and are just flat out sinful. As sinful as I am, my salvation is a gift, an extraordinary gift (Romans 3:21ff "...for all have sinned and fall short of the glory of God, and are justified by his grace as a gift, through redemption that is in Christ Jesus...") that lifts me up rather than condemns me and I can be confident that God is with me, yes lowly me.

As a humble servant, I can reciprocate in a comparatively meager incomparable way by applying my faith and thereby benefiting folks around me. I heard it said once that "failure is the foundation of success". Failure can be extremely uncomfortable, if not painful...yet as one much wiser than me said "why not benefit from the pain of failure by learning from it". I have been taught that wisdom is the application of knowledge and experience...human wisdom that is. The Bible teaches us that the extraordinary application of God's wisdom is the peace that surpasses all understanding (Philippians 4:7 And the peace of God, which surpasses all understanding, will guard your hearts and your minds in Christ Jesus).

How about us ordinary folks share His extraordinary peace?

Eric Boyce, Elder

President's Post

Bethlehem Lutheran family, this month's newsletter will focus on the season of Lent. There are some excellent resources available on the Lutheran Church Missouri Synod website (lcms.org). I found some links to Lutheran Hour Ministries (lhm.org) with a downloadable book called "**MAN OF SORROWS, PEOPLE OF JOY**". This has daily devotions that can be used by yourself, with your family, or can be shared with others. I've included one of the devotions as our Catechism for this month. I've also included the church financials to keep you informed of our shared responsibilities to help spread the Word here in the Carson City/Carson Valley area.

Catechism / Bible Study—

At that hour Jesus said to the crowds, "Have you come out as against a robber, with swords and clubs to capture Me? Day after day I sat in the temple teaching, and you did not seize Me. But all this has taken place that the Scriptures of the prophets might be fulfilled." Then all the disciples left Him and fled. (Matthew 26:55-56)

Mob scenes are not places where you find a lot of logic. But here we see Jesus trying to get His arresters to think—just for a moment. Why? He knew He wasn't going to escape. No common sense would save Him now..

But thinking clearly just might save some of the people attacking Him. Oh, probably not in the moment—but Jesus' words might come back to them in the middle of some sleepless night. And they would wonder: "Why *did* we go out there armed to the teeth? Did my leaders lie to me?"

That tiny crack of doubt might let in some light. It might even, through the work of the Holy Spirit, let in repentance—and the dawning of faith in Jesus their Savior.

Most of us have been lied to before. Most of us know what it's like to fall into sin because we're confused or befuddled or because someone has stoked our emotions so high that our brains aren't working anymore. And then we can do terrible things.

But in Jesus, there is forgiveness for us, destroying the darkness and taking away our guilt. When we trust in the One who laid down His life for us, we are free—free to see the truth and to love the Lord who is Truth eternal.

WE PRAY: Lord, You are the Way, the Truth, and the Life. Be all those things for me, too. Amen.

Reflection Questions:

When do you do your best thinking? When do you do your worst? Why? When has the Lord led you to a new and better understanding of a situation in your life?

We're nearing the end of Lent, and Easter is very near. Please consider the incredible sacrifice our Lord and savior has made on our behalf. We're having our mid-week services and soup suppers during Lent. Please join us for the soup suppers and mid-week services.

Please continue to pray for our Church, our school, our members, our pastor, our teachers, and our confirmands, and our students!!

I hope and pray that all our church families and members are well and in the Word. We have so very much to be thankful for with an awesome God who cares for us. He provides for us, comforts us in time of need, and is ALWAYS with us.

Respectfully and Prayerfully submitted,

Jeff Davey, Bethlehem Lutheran Church President

BETHLEHEM CHURCH FINANCIALS: (See below for any narrative/comments)

CHURCH OPERATING FINANCIAL INCOME AND EXPENSE:

BETHLEHEM CHURCH FINANCIALS: (Narrative/Comments)

DESCRIPTION	12 MONTH ANNUAL BUDGET	FEB 2023 - MONTH			% ACTUAL vs. ANNUAL BUDGET
		BUDGET	ACTUAL	DIFF.	
REGULAR OFFERINGS	\$273,200	\$22,135	\$19,210	(\$2,925)	7.03%
RENT AND MISC. INCOME	\$21,450	\$1,800	\$2,177	\$377	10.15%
TOTAL OPERATING INCOME	\$294,650	\$23,935	\$21,387	(\$2,548)	7.26%
PAYROLL & BENEFITS					
SCHOOLS SUPPORT (BLCS & SLHS)	\$149,740	\$11,062	\$9,697	(\$1,365)	6.48%
INSURANCE	\$37,000	\$2,667	\$2,667	(\$0)	7.21%
OTHER OPERATING EXPENSE	\$14,440	\$0	\$0	\$0	0.00%
	\$93,470	\$6,590	\$10,348	\$3,758	11.07%
TOTAL OPERATING EXPENSE	\$294,650	\$20,319	\$22,711	\$2,392	7.71%
FINANCIAL INCOME/(EXPENSE)	\$0	\$3,616	(\$1,324)	(\$4,940)	
DESCRIPTION	12 MONTH ANNUAL BUDGET	JUL 2022 - FEB 2023 (YTD)			% ACTUAL vs. ANNUAL BUDGET
		BUDGET	ACTUAL	DIFF.	
REGULAR OFFERINGS	\$273,200	\$181,776	\$175,970	(\$5,806)	64.41%
RENT AND MISC. INCOME	\$21,450	\$14,250	\$15,136	\$886	70.56%
TOTAL OPERATING INCOME	\$294,650	\$196,026	\$191,106	(\$4,920)	64.86%
PAYROLL & BENEFITS					
SCHOOLS SUPPORT (BLCS & SLHS)	\$149,740	\$96,662	\$96,683	\$21	64.57%
INSURANCE	\$37,000	\$26,334	\$26,333	(\$1)	71.17%
OTHER OPERATING EXPENSE	\$14,440	\$0	\$0	\$0	0.00%
	\$93,470	\$60,540	\$56,394	(\$4,146)	60.33%
TOTAL OPERATING EXPENSE	\$294,650	\$183,536	\$179,410	(\$4,126)	60.89%
FINANCIAL INCOME/(EXPENSE)	\$0	\$12,490	\$11,696	(\$794)	

BETHLEHEM CHURCH FINANCIALS: (Narrative/Comments)

MONTH:

January Offerings of \$19,210 were \$2,925 less than the budget. The average monthly need is \$22,767 (\$273,200/12 mos.) February Offerings were also \$684 less than last February. Giving Units at 60 decreased by 4 compared to January and were 2 less than last February.

Payroll & Benefits were \$1,365 under budget due to a change in health insurers that delayed billing pushing it into March.

Other Operating Expense was \$3,758 over the budget. Most of the overrun is due to Consecration Sunday expenses that were paid in February but budgeted to be paid in March i.e., a timing difference. Slightly higher church maintenance expenses also contributed to the overrun.

Y-T-D:

Offerings through February are \$5,806 under budget. However, they are still \$17,320 greater than last year.

Payroll & Benefits show as being on budget; However, the underrun in health benefits discussed above is temporarily pulling current expense down. Otherwise, this expense would be \$1,235 over budget. This is mainly due to an unbudgeted 3rd paycheck for the church secretary i.e., there are 27 pay periods in this fiscal year as opposed to the normal 26. This was noted in June's report. It also includes the church's unbudgeted portion of a disability payment made in October. These overruns were somewhat offset by the January Concordia Plan Services billing change from advanced billing to current billing that caused a permanent skipped payment for January.

Other Operating Expense is currently \$4,146 under budget. This is due to an unbudgeted repair for the church's front door entry/exit hardware in July of nearly \$5,000 more than offset by underruns in multiple expense line items, some of which may be timing issues.

NORMALIZATION:

Normalizing Cumulative Actual Income and Expense for certain prospective and/or retrospective amounts that tend to distort current Y-T-D Financial Income produces the following results: \$191,106 Offerings and Income, \$190,251 Expense resulting in \$855 Net Financial Income. The primary driver of this difference being liability insurance that is paid in June and the delayed health insurance billing discussed above.

**Need Help Spring Cleaning?**

All that stuff you want to do, but never get to?

Oiling furniture
Washing out cupboards
Cleaning windows and blinds
Washing walls and baseboards
Cleaning light fixtures
Etc.

Call Melissa Asmamaw for an estimate to help you get it done!
775-230-3005

BWM (LWML) newsletter information



Bethlehem Women in Mission

Serving the Lord with Glad-

Mark your calendar now: April 16, BWM Luncheon w/guest speaker Diane Drumm.

May 7 Mother's day Tea served by the men of the congregation.

June 22-25 National Convention, Milwaukee, WI—
Theme: **Celebrate the Lord of the Nations.**

BWM LUNCHEON is Sunday April 16th at 11:45am. All members of the congregations are invited to a tour of Spain with Diane Drumm followed by olive oil tasting. Please bring a Spanish dish (not Mexican) to share. Need an idea for a Spanish dish check the Internet or ask Diane for a suggestion.

MITE BOX SUNDAY. On the first Sunday of each month, mite offerings are collected. The mites are sent to the California, Nevada, Hawaii LWML District to help fund the mission projects. Bethlehem Lutheran Church has sent The mites collected in March were used to help fund *International Seminary Students, Concordia Seminary, St. Louis, Missouri. The mites collected in April will be used to fund Be Thou My Vision- Eyeglass and Evangelism - \$6,000 MOST Ministries, (Mission Opportunities Short Term), Ann Arbor, Michigan*



Who can care for their family, complete tasks for work, school, drive at night, or read your Bible without glasses? Vision is the most dominant of our senses and is vital in virtually every aspect of our lives. Eyeglass and Evangelism ministry has become one of MOST's most sought after services. MOST Ministries serves nearly 10,000 people each year through eyeglass clinics. MOST Ministry teams pack, ship and carry over 30,000 pairs of recycled eyeglasses around the world annually. The grant is seeking funds to continue supplying eyeglass and evangelism teams with reused, recycled and upgraded eyeglasses.

NATIONAL CONVENTION DELEGATE Hannah Krenz has been chosen to represent Zone 10 as the delegate to the LWML National Convention in Milwaukee this summer. She will be seated with the other delegates from the CNH district and vote for future projects and the new national officers. Hannah will also participate in the National Mite Walk to support several of the national projects. If you would like to support her on the mite walk, you may place your gift in the Mite Box in an enveloped and label it Mite Walk. Please pray that the Lord may guide her voting and for safe travel.

Get involved at Bethlehem Lutheran Church

Church needs:

Video Recording Staff for Sunday and mid-week services:

Contact Clay Soderstrom, (775) 883-1035, or any of the elders if you are interested.

Ushers: Contact Jeff Davey 775-790-1964.

Board of Outreach is looking for members: Contact Sally Allen, (775) 721-4629.

Board of Christian Education is looking for members.

Questions? Contact Carrie Suessmith, (775) 720-8797.

Altar Flower Sign Ups: see chart in narthex.

Church Greeters (no hand shaking and/or hugs).

Choir Members, Handbell Choir Members and Handbell Choir Director.

Altar Guild: Contact Janelle Davey, (775) 721-5686.

Fund raisers (school and church)

Buy a brick and help a child: check with the school, or church secretary.

Groups you can join:

Sunday School teachers and helpers needed for the upcoming Sunday School year,

Questions? Contact Carrie Suessmith, (775) 720-8797.

Church singers/musicians - soloists, duets, etc.—Contact Jeanne Denison, (775) 220-4082.

Handbell choir participants and leader:

Contact church secretary, Lora Spiker, (775) 882-5252.

Silver Lights: meets monthly on 3rd Wednesday at 11:30am **Contact the office for the meeting place.**

All over 50 are welcome to attend.

BWM (formerly LWML) All ladies are welcome. Contact Bonnie Krenz for questions.

Men's Bible study: meets weekly on Fridays at 6:30am in the Fellowship Hall, BYO breakfast.

Women's Bible study: meets weekly on Saturdays at 9:30am in the Fellowship Hall.

Women's Luncheon group—held on the second Wednesday of the Month at 11:30am at Red's 395.

Contact Debbie 775-430-0808 or Lora Spiker (775-220-0639) to RSVP.

Attention Ladies!!!

Our members of Bethlehem Lutheran Church have started a new women's monthly social lunch group. The group consists of members of our church and also any friends you would like to invite along with you. Everyone is welcome! We are meeting for lunch for fellowship, the enjoyment of getting to know one another, and delicious food.

We have been having a wonderful time!

The next meeting is scheduled for

Wednesday, 4/12 @11:30am

At the Red's 395. RSVP the church office please.

If you would like to be called or emailed for a reminder of this luncheon, please give Lora or Debbie your email address and/or phone number. Also, if you need transportation, we can assist you with that also.

If you would love to be a part of our lunch group,
please **RSVP by 4/10** to Lora, the church secretary,
or to Debbie at (775) 430-0808.

We hope you will join us!!!!



Refreshing the Fellowship Hall

Bethlehem Lutheran Church is in the process of raising funds for painting and new flooring for the Fellowship Hall.

We had a great dinner / dance the beginning of December and raised a bit of money. Around \$7,000.00—we do have a ways to go but this is a great beginning.

Anyone interested in assisting with this project, please chat with Lora, church secretary.

We are looking for painting and flooring contractors to assist with quotes and the process of getting this work completed. If you know of anyone you think may be interested, please contact Lora, church secretary.

**Open Monday
2:00pm — 4:00pm**



**Open Friday
11:00am — 1:00pm**

Food pantry is currently in great shape.

Thank you to everyone who has contributed to the food pantry!



Contact Carrie Suessmith or Lora Spiker if you have any questions.

Bethlehem Lutheran School News

Grade Preschool through 8th grade

Information regarding the school may be found on the school website www.blos.org

School Update

April 1—School & Church Easter Egg Hunt—1:30pm—4:00pm

April 7—17th—Easter Break—No School, preschool or daycare

Please consider choosing Bethlehem Lutheran Church as your Amazon Smile donation.

For every eligible item that you order through Amazon Smile, the school gets 0.5%.

Please go to smileamazon.com to choose **Bethlehem Lutheran Church** as your designee for Amazon Smile.

Box Tops for Education—Please place your box tops in the cereal box in the narthex.

They will be used by the school for rebates for the school to use.

BETHLEHEM LUTHERAN SCHOOL OPEN ENROLLMENT

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Bethlehem Lutheran School provides an alternative to public education. We offer an academic environment coupled with Christian principles and values fostered by Christian faculty members. We look forward to meeting you and answering any questions you may have about our academics and daily routine. Now enrolling for the 2022-2023 school year in our Preschool thru Eighth grade. Preschool and Pre-Kindergarten enrollment ages 3-5. **Please check**

Buy a Brick and Help a Child by Leaving a Legacy—Bethlehem Lutheran School Endowment Fund

Bethlehem Lutheran is excited to announce that it has established an Endowment Fund with the purpose of funding future scholarships for students. We are seeking donations for this worthwhile project. As an Endowment your contribution will be used year after year supporting student scholarships.

Will you please consider donating to this Fund? Your gift of any amount will be appreciated.

How can I leave a legacy with an Alumni/Supporter Brick?

*One of the most exciting ways in which you can make a gift to Bethlehem Lutheran School and leave your name or the name of a loved one, on campus is to purchase a brick. Your name will be engraved on a brick which will be installed either in the cross in front of the school entrance for a \$250 donation or on the back field walk area (The Bethlehem Byway) for \$150. Brick Color is Regimental Red. **Stop in or call the school to donate to this fund.***

Sierra Lutheran High School 2022-2023 year Theme: Love

SLHS-WNC Dual Credit - Sierra Lutheran is excited to continue partnering with Western Nevada College on the dual credit program offered between the schools. The two institutions allow the students to enroll in WNC—If you have any questions, please contact SLHS.

Parents in Prayer —All staff and parents are welcome to Thursday morning prayer group where we pray over SLHS and each student individually.

We meet in Room 116 between 7:15 and 7:45am.

Serving the Lord in April

Acolytes

Sun, April 2	8:00am	Abi Maschke
	10:30am	Jeb Bugg
Thurs, April 6	6:30pm	Abi Maschke
Friday, April 7	6:30pm	Jeb Bugg
Sun, April 9	8:00am	Noah Manning
	10:30am	Josiah Maschke
Sun, April 16	8:00am	Noah Manning
	10:30am	Logan Garrett
Sun, April 23	8:00am	Jeb Bugg
	10:30am	Josiah Maschke
Sun, April 30	9:30am	Logan Garrett



Altar Flowers

Sun, April 2	Gansberg family
Sun, April 9	Bargmann Family
Sun, April 16 -	Bugg Family
Sun, April 23	Westgate Family
Sun, April 30	Volunteer Needed



Altar Guild

Kathy Jackson

Elders

Sun, April 2	Jarvis Manning
Thurs, April 6	Jarvis Manning
Fri, April 7	Bob Spiker
Sun, April 9	Jeff Davey
Sun, April 16	Colin Wigglesworth
Sun, April 23	Eric Boyce
Sun April 30	Jarvis Manning

Ushers

Sun, Apr 2	8:00am	Jeff Bargmann Stan Zuber
	10:30am	Curt Drumm Todd Suessmith
Thur, Apr 6	6:30pm	Curt Drumm Todd Suessmith
Fri, April 7	6:30pm	Marshall Henningsen Jeff Davey
Sun, Apr 9	8:00am	Jeff Bargmann Stan Zuber
	10:30am	Jim Gansberg Lee Labahn
Sun, Apr 16	8:00am	Zachary Karges Alan Callanan
	10:30am	Mike Harris, Dave Richison
Sun, Apr 23	8:00am	Zachary Karges Alan Callanan
	10:30am	Mike Harris, Dave Richison
Sun, Apr 30	9:30am	Hal Martin, Jarvis Manning

Called to *Serve*



Happy Birthday!

April 1 Sharon Richison

April 2 Logan Garrett

April 4 Mahshid Azizi

April 7 Kayla Soderstrom
Pauletta McVinnie

April 8 Jim Gansberg
Lori Goulart

April 16 John (Jeb) Bugg

April 18 Patti Escalante

April 22 Amanda Manning

April 23 Hunter Lamprecht

April 25 Anne Devlin
Randy McVinnie

April 26 Randall Roach

April 28 Colin Wigglesworth



Happy Anniversary

Anniversary

Years

April 2

Lee & Kathy Labahn	57
Noland & Alisha Lamprecht Wasson	12

April 8

Colin & Kathleen Wigglesworth	27
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April 9

Jeff & Susie Bargmann	40
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April 19

Randy & Pauletta McVinnie	43
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April 25

Leo & Bethany Frediani	7
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A successful marriage requires falling in love many times, always with the same person.



REMINDER:

Please feel free to submit articles or information for the weekly bulletins and/or newsletter. Input is due in the church office by **Wednesday at noon** each week.

Thanks, Lora Spiker, Church Secretary
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Happenings in April 2023

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| April 1 | 9:30am Women's Bible Study.
10:30am Community Crafters.
2:00—4:00pm Easter Egg Hunt. |
| April 2 | Mite Sunday—We love your coins! |
| April 3 | 2:00—4:00pm Community Crafters. |
| April 4 | 6:00pm Church Council meeting. All members are invited to attend. |
| April 6 | 6:30pm Maundy Thursday Service. |
| April 7 | 6:30am Men's Bible Study & Prayer Breakfast—All men are invited to attend.
6:30pm—Good Friday Service. |
| April 8 | 9:30am Women's Bible study.
10:30am community crafters. |
| April 9 | 9:15am Easter Brunch between services. |
| April 10 | 2:00-4:00pm Crafters. |
| April 12 | 11:30am Ladies Luncheon at Red's 395—All ladies are invited to attend. |
| April 14 | 6:30am Men's Bible Study & Prayer Breakfast—All men are invited to attend.
May Newsletter deadline. |
| April 15 | 9:30am Women's Bible study.
10:30am Community Crafters. |
| April 16 | 11:45 BWM Luncheon—All ladies welcome. |
| April 17 | 2:00—4:00 pm Crafters. |
| April 19 | 11:30am Silver Lights Luncheon—All over 50 welcome.
—Bring your own lunch to the Fellowship Hall. |
| April 21 | 6:30am Men's Bible Study & Prayer Breakfast—All men are invited to attend. |
| April 22 | 9:30am Women's Bible study.
10:30am Community Crafters. |
| April 24 | 2:00—4:00 pm Crafters. |
| April 28 | 6:30am Men's Bible Study & Prayer Breakfast—All men are invited to attend. |
| April 29 | 9:30am Women's Bible study.
10:30am Community Crafters. |
| April 30 | 9:30 am Divine Service (one service only).
Fellowship Luncheon afterwards.
No Bible study/Sunday School. |

"This is the day that the Lord has made; let us rejoice and be glad in it.."—Psalms 118:24.