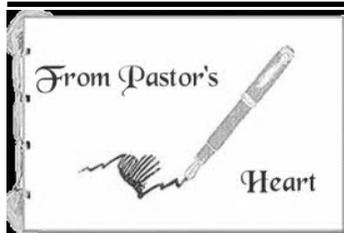




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Then Jesus cried again with a loud voice and breathed his last. At that moment the curtain of the temple was torn in two, from top to bottom. The earth shook, and the rocks were split. The tombs also were opened, and many bodies of the saints who had fallen asleep were raised. After his resurrection they came out of the tombs and entered the holy city and appeared to many. Now when the centurion and those with him, who were keeping watch over Jesus, saw the earthquake and what took place, they were terrified and said, "Truly this man was God's Son!" **Matthew 27:50-54**

During Lent this year, I've taken up a daily devotion called the *2017 Lent Project* from Biola University. *The Lent Project* combines scripture, music, artwork, poetry, a reflection, and a prayer for each daily message. It can be accessed at cca.biola.edu. I was particularly taken by the devotion on this particular passage from Matthew. As we near Holy Week, I would like to share with you (with Biola's permission) this poem and reflection on the crucifixion and the tearing of the curtain.

"Crucifixion"

by John Greenleaf Whittier

Sunlight upon Judah's hills!
And on the waves of Galilee;
On Jordan's stream, and on the rills
That feed the dead and sleeping sea!
Most freshly from the green wood springs
The light breeze on its scented wings;
And gayly quiver in the sun
The cedar tops of Lebanon!

A few more hours, - a change hath come!
The sky is dark without a cloud!
The shouts of wrath and joy are dumb,
And proud knees unto earth are bowed.
A change is on the hill of Death,
The helmed watchers pant for breath,
And turn with wild and maniac eyes
From the dark scene of sacrifice!

That Sacrifice! - the death of Him, -
The Christ of God, the holy One!
Well may the conscious Heaven grow dim,
And blacken the beholding Sun.
The wonted light hath fled away,
Night settles on the middle day,
And earthquake from his caverned bed
Is waking with a thrill of dread!

The dead are waking underneath!
Their prison door is rent away!
And, ghastly with the seal of death,
They wander in the eye of day!
The temple of the Cherubim,
The House of God is cold and dim;
A curse is on its trembling walls,
Its mighty veil asunder falls!

Well may the cavern-depths of Earth
Be shaken, and her mountains nod;
Well may the sheeted dead come forth
To see the suffering son of God!
Well may the temple-shrine grow dim,
And shadows veil the Cherubim,
When He, the chosen one of Heaven,
A sacrifice for guilt is given!

And shall the sinful heart, alone,
Behold unmoved the fearful hour,
When Nature trembled on her throne,
And Death resigned his iron power?
Oh, shall the heart - whose sinfulness
Gave keenness to His sore distress,
And added to His tears of blood -
Refuse its trembling gratitude!

THE DEAFENING ROAR OF FABRIC

In Sunday School we were taught that the curtain in the temple was torn in two when Jesus died on the cross. It sounds so theoretical, mundane, simple--a dusty story with little sound or color. But take it from the black and white pages of history into vivid color and the sounds of real time and the picture changes dramatically. Powerful surges in nature occurred at the moment Jesus Christ died, including the significant event that happened in the temple.

The sixty foot high by thirty foot wide curtain hung in the temple for generations. The curtain was immense. Sixty feet is as tall as a six-story building. The fabric was not layered but a solid woven piece four inches thick. This massive curtain created a tangible and visible barrier between God and humanity. Everyone knew of and felt the separation. No one could approach God. He was holy, powerful, sinless and just. Even with all the sacrifices of animals the separation remained. The veil stood as a painful, constant reminder that men and women could not freely approach the Living God.

But in an electrifying moment, the earth shook violently and together with a deafening roar in the temple, invisible hands with divine power grabbed the ends of the fabric and ripped the massive four-inch thick curtain from the top to the bottom - all sixty feet! The noise, the dust, the ground shaking all punctuated the fact that the presence of God in the Holy of Holies was now exposed and open to all.

That deafening roar of tearing fabric was the roar of freedom. Our separation from God ended. We are no longer condemned. Jesus Christ through His death has removed forever the barrier between God and man. We are free! (Dan Crane, Missions Pastor, Evangelical Free Church in Fullerton CA)

As Holy Week approaches, I encourage you to remember all the things that happened during this special week in the church life and not just the joy of Resurrection Sunday. Experience the Last Supper with our shared Maundy Thursday service with JPC (agape meal, service of Holy Communion, and stripping of the altar) and the silence and dimming of lights of the Community Tenebrae service at Saint Andrew Christian Church on Smoky Row. As Pastor Crane said in the reflection above, Jesus' great sacrifice and death on the cross forever ends our separation from God.

See you in church!

Pastor Robin



Women's Activities



Women's Dinner - Our next women's dinner will be on **Monday, April 24th at 6:00 p.m.**, at **Nasty's Sport Bar & Grill**, 4561 Scioto Darby Rd., Columbus, OH 43026, 614-219-1531. Please sign up if you're interested in attending and let Pastor Robin know if you need transportation (cell. 937-725-4930).

Women's Bible Study - The next women's Bible study meeting is **Monday, April 3rd at 7:00 p.m.** We will review chapter 12 of the Bible study series, *Worshiping God With Our Lives*, by Christa Kinde. Susan Wolfe will facilitate the discussion. This will be the final study of the series and we will take a break until fall.

Do You Order From Amazon? If so, then try Amazon Smile to support Fellowship Lutheran Church! First, go to Amazon Smile and choose Fellowship Lutheran Church, Columbus, OH as your charity. Then, shop as usual and Fellowship will receive a percentage of your purchase. It's that easy!

Kroger Plus Fundraising Information: IT'S TIME TO RE-REGISTER FOR KROGER COMMUNITY REWARDS FOR THE 2017-2018 YEAR! Participants need to re-enroll in the month of April in order to continue contributing to Fellowship through the May 1, 2017 to April 30, 2018 year. If you have problems registering your Kroger card for the Community Rewards Program, please contact Pastor Robin or the church office. Thank you so much for participating in this fundraiser! We receive checks quarterly and received over \$1,400 last year!

Also our youth continue their recycling fundraiser. There's a collection box in the narthex.

Gluten Free Communion Wafers are available. If you have trouble with the regular communion wafers or with the bread served, please let Pastor Robin know. We do have gluten-free wafers available. **Large print bulletins are also available for worship.** Please ask the usher for assistance.

MEALS ON WHEELS SCHEDULE FOR APRIL AND MAY

Saturday, April 15 - McDaniel family
Friday, April 21 - McDaniel family

Friday, May 19 - C. Robinson, T. Engen
Saturday, May 20 - McDaniel family

Lent/Holy Week News During Lent, we continue to meet each Wednesday evening at 6:15 pm for a light supper followed by a service at 7:00 pm. Our traditional Maundy Thursday Agape meal and service of Holy Communion will take place on Thursday, April 13th. Supper begins at 6:15 pm and the service begins at 7:00 pm. We will again have our sisters and brothers in Christ from Jesus' People Church join us for this event. And then on Good Friday, April 14th, we will participate in an ecumenical service at St. Andrew Christian Church on Smoky Row with 4 additional congregations participating. Hope to see you all at these special services!

Fellowship Has a New "Best Practice" Guidelines for youth safety. We need to have one in place prior to hosting the Amazing Grace Day Camp this summer. All members who work with youth, whether Sunday School, nursery or as volunteers chaperoning youth activities, need to fill out a child safety volunteer disclosure statement and agree to a criminal background check (no fingerprints required). Please see Pastor Robin or Bill Lude if you work in one of these capacities and have not yet completed a form.

Source Point (formerly Senior Center) is offering caregiver support groups in which you can share experiences, meet other care-givers, find out about new resources, and ask questions. The support groups will meet at the Ganzhorn Suites, 10272 Sawmill Parkway from 2-3 p.m. on the following dates: **April 26, May 24, June 28, July 26, August 23, September 27, October 25, November 15, and December 27.** Please register with Sara Stenlen (740) 203-2399.

Mark the Date! Fishing for People - Evangelism for all the Baptized workshop led by Pastor Katie Kerrigan coming up on **Saturday, May 13th**, from **11:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.** at Fellowship. Pastor Katie, Director for Evangelical Mission for the Southern Ohio Synod, has been working with PPC on revitalization and updating our mission and vision. 'Evangelism' can be such a scary word until we get to the root where we find 'evangel,' which simply means 'good news.' We all like to share good news: a job promotion, a high turn out for an event, a clean bill of health, a wedding, a long awaited grandchild. No one would have trouble or hesitation sharing these tidbits of good news, so why should the Good News of Jesus be any different? Come to the May 13th, 2017 workshop and find out how easy sharing the Good News really can be. It can even be fun! Really.

'Fishing for People' is designed for all baptized members of our congregation, not just the ordained or specially trained. You'll receive real-world, hands-on training and tips to share, plus meet others from our mission territory who also want to share the Good News in their communities. You'll walk out of this workshop excited and prepared to 'fish for people' and will have made a few new friends in the process. Lunch is provided. A \$5 donation to cover lunch is requested. **Please RSVP to Tracy or Pastor Robin by Sunday, May 7th.**

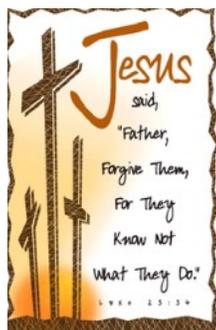
Attendance Information

<u>Date</u>	<u>Attendance</u>	<u>Date</u>	<u>Attendance</u>
Feb. 5	89	March 5	79
Feb. 12	77	March 12	66
Feb. 19	95	March 19	86
Feb. 26	76	March 26	81

2017 MIDWEEK LENTEN/HOLY WEEK AND EASTER SERVICES

“With Awe and Love”

(midweek Lenten series based on Luther’s Small Catechism)



ASH WEDNESDAY – March 1st @ 7:00 p.m.
The Imposition of Ashes and Holy Communion
“Journeying Through Lent”

WEDNESDAY – March 8th @ 7:00 p.m.
“The Ten Commandments”

WEDNESDAY – March 15th @ 7:00 p.m.
“The Creed”

WEDNESDAY – March 22nd @ 7:00 p.m.
“The Lord’s Prayer”

WEDNESDAY – March 29th @ 7:00 p.m.
“The Sacrament of Baptism”

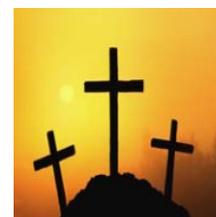
WEDNESDAY – April 5th @ 7:00 p.m.
“The Sacrament of Holy Communion”

Light Lenten meals beginning at 6:15 p.m. to be offered prior to all Wednesday evening services, except Ash Wednesday.

HOLY WEEK

PASSION/PALM SUNDAY – April 9th
10:00 a.m.

MAUNDY THURSDAY – April 13th @ 7:00 p.m.
Joint Service with Jesus’ People Church
Meal @ 6:15 p.m.



ECUMENICAL GOOD FRIDAY SERVICE – April 14th @ 7:30 p.m.
Community Tenebrae Service @ St. Andrew Christian Church

THE RESURRECTION OF OUR LORD **Easter Sunday – April 16th**

Early Easter Service with Communion @ 8:30 a.m.

Easter Breakfast
9:30 a.m. – 10:30 a.m.

Traditional Easter Service with Communion @ 11:00 a.m.



Church Staff

Pastor Rev. Robin Wargowsky
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Financial Secretary Tracy Farel
Office Secretary Tracy Farel
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Sub. Organist David Fleisher, Cathie Brown
Choir Director George Biemel
Custodian Dave Schneider & Family,
Robert Hensley (volunteers on off weeks)

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Carol Scantland (ad hoc.)

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Director Karen Espe
Members Dave Anderson, Bridget Daniels, Susan Wolfe

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Board of Worship

Director Robin Neumeier
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“I give thanks to my God always for you because of the grace of God that has been given you in Christ Jesus, for in every way you have been enriched in him, in speech and knowledge of every kind—just as the testimony of Christ has been strengthened among you—so that you are not lacking in any spiritual gift as you wait for the revealing of our Lord Jesus Christ.” 1 Corinthians 4-7

Paul writes these words to the church in Corinth. Paul tells us that he gives us what we need and strengthens us to do our work for him here on earth. PPC and the Board of Administration are working on revitalizing our mission and outreach. We started this at the February PPC meeting. Following that PPC meeting, Pastor Robin talked with the Southern Ohio Synod about resources to help us discern what our mission can and should be here at Fellowship.

The Synod has a person responsible for congregational renewal and revitalization, Pastor Katie Kerrigan. We invited her to our March PPC meeting on March 21. We felt that it was critical for us to focus on our mission. That focus is independent of whether we move or stay. Much of the stuff I have read on growing churches says that a consistent mission and a congregation's commitment to that mission are critical. Rick Barger's book says that congregations that grow, both truly want to grow, and they also have a passion for the mission that they are doing that draws others into the congregation and its mission.

Part of the Synod's process for relocating a congregation is to answer some questions for the church to help determine if relocating is likely to succeed and if the move is being done for the right reasons. These questions are very challenging and insightful. They ask how God fits into a move that might happen. What is the missional reason for moving? Is it for reasons to expand the congregation's mission or more for survival? We are going to continue this work by having another meeting with Pastor Katie in our next PPC meeting. We have also scheduled her workshop, “Fishing for People” for May 13. That workshop is open to other congregations and she holds it occasionally at churches within the Synod. We are fortunate to have that come to Fellowship.

An update on the property sale situation: there is a process that the Synod requires to be followed. A congregation must get approval for a sale and relocation from the Synod prior to making such a commitment. Part of that is a meeting with the Bishop and approval by the Synod Council. Pastor Katie is part of the Synod staff and council. So, before any sale and relocation can happen, the Synod will have to make sure that we are moving for the right reasons and to the right place. We feel that it is critical for us to discern our mission and the target audiences for the mission that we would do. If and when Synod would provide approval to relocate, the congregation would still have to approve the move. So, we are still a ways away from a final decision, and as these efforts on revitalization and discerning mission progress, the choices may change or be more apparent.

As always, I look forward to discussing these topics with you. And, don't forget to “follow” Fellowship Lutheran Church on Facebook and share any events and topics from there that interest you or your Facebook friends.

Your servant in Christ,

Todd Engen

“To everything there is a season, and a time to every purpose under heaven.” Ecclesiastes 3:1

As we look at ourselves here at Fellowship, we must remember our purpose on Sawmill Road. Are we ready to move or stay? We must constantly pray for the Holy Spirit to give us guidance on the decision.

At our board meeting on March 14, 2017, it was decided that the teacher appreciation day will be on May 21, 2017. We will be the host board for that day and recognize the thirteen teachers for the past year. They will receive recognition during the church service for their devotion to the children and adults. We are blessed to have a great staff. This will also be the last day of Sunday School (except for the confirmation students) until Rally Day, September 10, 2017.

Confirmation will be June 4, 2017, for our four young adults. Please attend church that day so we can honor these four outstanding youth.

Our board continues to support the Amazing Grace Day Camp from July 16-20, 2017. The camp will be from 9:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m. for campers. We will need total support from all members of Fellowship. Please be mindful that we have a document “Congregational Best Practices Guidelines Regarding Minors for Fellowship Church,” available in the church office.

Thanks to the Sunday School students for their donations of toothpaste and personal items for the Frebis Food Pantry. If any member would like to donate, place the items in the box under the table in the narthex. I will take them down every Wednesday.

Our next Men’s Breakfast will be on Saturday, April 8, 2017, at 8:30 a.m. Todd Daniels and I will cook a great breakfast. All are invited! We eat and have about one hour of Fellowship and fun. We have had about 13-15 attend, so please keep coming.

In His Service,

Bill Lude



The High School class continues to collect used books for the Little Library during the season of Lent.

He is not here; he has risen! Remember how he told you, while he was still with you in Galilee: The Son of Man must be delivered over to the hands of sinners, be crucified, and on the third day be raised again. Luke 24:6-7

Since ancient times, rabbits have been associated with spring. It is believed that Anglo-Saxon Goddess of Spring, Eostre had a hare as her companion. The hare symbolizes fertility and rebirth. Later Christians changed the symbol of the hare to the Easter bunny.

According to some sources, the Easter bunny first arrived in America in the 1700's with German immigrants who settled in Pennsylvania and transported their tradition of an egg-laying hare called "Osterhase" or "Oschter Haws". Their children made nests in which this creature could lay its colored eggs.

In the Orthodox and Eastern Catholic Churches, Easter eggs are dyed red to represent the blood of Christ - the cracking of which symbolized his resurrection from the dead.

On Sunday, April 16th, we will **not** be dyeing eggs but **eating some eggs!** Eggs, pancakes, and a variety of delicious foods will be served between 9:30 AM to 10:30 AM. Please join us.

Dates To Remember

4/16/17 Easter Breakfast in Fellowship Hall 9:30 AM to 10:30 AM

5/20/17 (Sat.) Hike / Frisbee Golf at Glacier Ridge Metro Park
Meet at church at 9:30 AM

6/17/17 (Sat.) Hike at Highbanks Metro Park
Meet at church at 9:30 AM

See you in church!

Karen Espe
Director of the board of Evangelism and Fellowship

BOARD OF PROPERTY

We are getting closer to getting the front door to work properly. I am asking the congregation to help by making sure the front door is closed when leaving the church.

We are going to have **SPRING CLEANUP** around the outside of the church on **SATURDAY APRIL 1, 2017** starting at 9 AM. Bring your work gloves, rakes, shovels and brooms. We should be able to be done by **NOON**. We will cleanup the beds, rake leaves and spread mulch. The outside of the church will look nice for Palm Sunday and Easter.

God Bless,

Major N. Crispin

Board Members: Bill Farel & Craig Robinson

For awhile now, we have been obsessed with a thin line on a graph. It shows us the year-to-year attendance; another shows us the annual and monthly giving. We watch this line with our hearts in our throat. And our souls—where are they?

God offers us another line. A line of scripture. Philippians 4: 12-13

I know what it is to have little, and I know what it is to have plenty. In any and all circumstances I have learned the secret of being well-fed and of going hungry, of having plenty and of being in need. I can do all things through him who strengthens me. A lifeline from God, thrown out to save us, no matter what direction that other line is headed. God's lifeline—God's love—doesn't rise and fall; it remains steadfast and offers us a grounded place to be. Isn't that remarkable?

Our culture measures blessing as money and has completely forgotten, or never known, that it is God who is the originator of blessing. God's not against money. Gather it up. Pass it out. We are living in the story and the abundance that God provided for us. Spreading the wealth, God made us who we are as God's people. As the church—stewards of God's radically different message—we hold a sacred treasure of truth. To the fearful ones among us who read the daily front pages, to the proud ones among us who promise us that our efforts will bring all that we need—to all of them and to us God offers fundamentally different news: God's abundance is unearned. God's generosity can shape ours. The life at the top of God's lifeline is fulfilling, rich, satisfying, enough.

Will we let God have that much market share in our lives? We don't control God's economy! Part of our anxiety is that we are challenged daily to trust that God will indeed provide. And as Christians, we are also expected to use this assurance as we make our money decisions. So un-American, this believing that we are being carried by God with surprise and blessing! We think we know what to expect.

So how do you respond to God's lines of abundance? With fear and dread about another Great Depression? By keeping God's gifts to yourself? By hoarding, protecting, and hiding what little you think you have? Or throwing fear to the side of life's road, filling up on God's love, and looking for opportunities to throw God's lifelines to the rest of the world? The choice is yours, of course. God's Spirit will accompany you in this decision, God's word will instruct you, and God's Son will show you the way. You are not alone.

--- taken from elca.org/ELCA Resource Repository

"Praise be to the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ! In his great mercy he has given us new birth into a living hope through the resurrection of Jesus Christ from the dead."

1 Peter 1:3

As new life appears around us in the springtime, we reach the end of Lent and celebrate our new birth in Christ's love. Worship during this month reflects our preparation for Easter and the rebirth it delivers to all children of God.

Final weeks of Lent and Holy Week**Midweek Lenten service and supper**

The theme of our midweek Lenten services is "With Awe and Love," based on Luther's Small Catechism.

Our final midweek Lenten service and supper will be held on Wednesday, April 5. We will meet at 6:15 pm for a light supper followed by a service at 7:00 pm.

THANKS to everyone who has provided a midweek supper during Lent.

Maundy Thursday Agape meal and Holy Communion

We will join our sisters and brothers in Christ from Jesus' Peoples Church for our Agape meal and service of Holy Communion on Thursday, April 13. Supper begins at 6:15 pm and the service is at 7:00 pm.

Please volunteer to help with the meal. We are looking for volunteers to provide the Maundy Thursday ABC soup (recipe will be provided) and muffins for our traditional Agape meal. We also need volunteers to assist with setup after service on Palm Sunday and meal preparations on Wednesday, April 12. Please let us know how you will help by completing the flyer in your bulletin on Sundays.

Community Good Friday service

Our congregation will participate in a community Good Friday service on the evening of Friday, April 14. The 7:30 pm Tenebrae service, organized by the Sawmill Ministerial group, will be hosted by St. Andrew Christian Church on Smoky Row. Participating congregations include: Fellowship Lutheran, St. Andrew Christian Church (Disciples of Christ), Smoky Row Brethren Church, Sawmill Moravian church and Highlands Presbyterian Church.

Easter Sunday

Our Fellowship family will celebrate Easter with two services and a breakfast. Plan to worship at 8:30 a.m. or 11:00 a.m. and join us for breakfast between services from 9:30 – 10:30 a.m..

Dates to remember:

Healing service	June 11
Outdoor service	August 13

ELCA Missionary Work Today

But wanting to justify himself, he asked Jesus, "And who is my neighbor?" -- Luke 10:29

Last year, I found a book that belonged to my grandmother titled, *Steeple on the Prairie*. *Steeple on the Prairie* tells the story of the growth of the Norwegian Lutheran Church in America, mostly in the late 1890's and into the early 20th century. It is an interesting book chron-



cling the work of Norwegian Lutheran missionaries working with the Norwegian settlers in western Minnesota and North Dakota. The times were difficult in those days. There were a small number of key men who worked with those settlers to keep in contact with them and develop churches on the sparsely populated prairies. It is hard to imagine the United States having third-world-type conditions. But, in those days, life was harsh in that part of the USA and people were few and far between.

Missionary work is similar, but different nowadays. You can get to almost anywhere in the world in less than a day compared to days-long walks between major outposts on the prairie. The March issue of *Living Lutheran* magazine has an article on the current state of ELCA missionary work worldwide. In the days on the prairies, missionaries went out to establish new churches. Today, ELCA missionaries work with existing church bodies. They spread the Good News, but they do it the context of their unique environments. There are over 145 Lutheran church bodies around the world with more than 72 million members in 98 countries. There are many needs that missionaries help to meet. Many of them are around healing. Heidi Torgerson, Director for Global Services, says, "our fractured world needs healing. ELCA missionaries are agents of that healing through the work they do." The article has an example of the Swansons (pictured above) serving in Tanzania.

Another major mission is to help train and grow local people to lead their own church. David Thorp, who serves in Bolivia, says, "A missionary walks with and listens." Today, the Bolivian Evangelical Lutheran Church staff supervise him as he walks with the Bolivian church by facilitating theological and biblical dialogue. He works with native speaking pastors and helps the church to thrive, even though Lutheranism is a small minority. He often focuses on tenets of Luther's Reformation.

The article profiles other areas of ELCA mission work throughout the world. If you don't subscribe, you can look at the *Living Lutheran* website, livinglutheran.org for this and other articles. Or, you can subscribe and have access to the printed magazine, or full on-line access.

In Fellowship news, our new Little Free Library made its first loans in the last week. You can see pictures on Fellowship's Facebook page, <http://tinyurl.com/znnp3ah>

Todd Engen – Mission Interpreter

FOR OUR MEMBERS:

Fritzi Bear
Marvin Bear
Katie (Wahl) Diede
Bob Drake
Kris Kochheiser
Leena LeMay
Joshua Mott
Jan Poland
Mark Roll
Martha Sampson
Shawn Turnbull

FOR OUR FAMILY AND FRIENDS:

Jenna Barrett, Megan Kochheiser's roommate...
Barb Dickey, Dottie Haggard's cousin...
Donna Engen, Todd Engen's mother...
Kari Engen, Todd Engen's sister...
Lori Flourney, Pastor Robin's friend...
Ben & McKenna Harris, Karen Harris' son and grand-daughter...
Dave Hershberger, Sonya Thelin's brother-in-law...
Peg & Bill Hull, Dottie Haggard's sister and brother-in-law...
Ann King, Mary & John McDaniels' friend...
Scott Leininger, former member...
Evelyn Lude, Bill Lude's aunt...
Joe Mathias, Sonya Thelin's sister-in-law's brother...
Orin McMonigle, Karen Harris' friend...
Shirley Meyers, Marianne Wiech's friend...
John Sagle, Andrea Sumner's family friend...
Rebecca Schultz, Andrea Sumner's mother...
Butch Shimkus, Liz Allen's uncle...
Joelle Smith, Liz Allen's friend...
Lydia Stewart, Chad & Amanda Laucher's high school classmate's daughter...
George Sumner, Mike Sumner's father...
Ruth Thelin, Sonya Thelin's mother...
Jenny Vaske, Robin Anderson's aunt...
Kenny Weirich, Paul Wargowsky's uncle...
Jenny White, Barb Fisher's friend...
Donny Williams, Pastor Robin's cousin...
Judy, Carolyn & Major Crispin's neighbor...
Del, Carolyn & Major Crispin's friend...
Gary, Dottie Haggard's friend...

FOR OUR SHUT-INS:

Lynn Brown, Debbie Bear's mother
Ruth Buck, Carol Jaeger's mother
Joan Clark, Susan Lee's mother

DEATHS:

Toni (Antoinette) Inks, mother of Todd Engen's friend, Diane Quellhorst
Keith McNeely, Barb Fisher's friend
Margaret Orlando, Sonya Thelin's friend's mother

April Birthdays

Todd Engen	4/6
Pat Frey	4/6
Jim Jaeger	4/6
Will Campbell	4/7
John DeVantier	4/8
Jessica Hollenbach	4/9
Pete Cardimen	4/11
Doug Scantland	4/16
Lori Hobbins	4/18
Ryan Goleb	4/20
George Haggard	4/20
Robin Neumeier	4/20
Mallory Tonn	4/20
Andrea Sumner	4/21
Jeanine Biemel	4/22
Janet Hollenbach	4/23
Jason Hollenbach	4/23
Kris Kochheiser	4/27
Kyle Wahl	4/28
Bill Lude	4/30
Andrew Magno	4/30
Robin Wargowsky	4/30



Happy Birthday to those celebrating birthdays this month! This list reflects the information we have in our computer at this time. We welcome your corrections and additions!

April Anniversaries

Andy & Jenny Devantier	4/11
Corey & Courtney Colombo	4/12
Doug & Staci Wahl	4/16
Todd & Jenifer (Takats) Engen	4/30
Mike & Andrea Sumner	4/30



Worship Server Schedule for April

2-Apr		9-Apr		16-Apr	
Date	10:00 AM	Palm Sunday 10:00:00 AM	Easter Sunday 8:30 & 11		
Assist. Minister	Steve Espe	Sonya Thelin			
Acolyte	Gwen Cardimen	Hayden Laucher			
Comm. Assist.	Carolyn Crispin	Ruth Albert		WORSHIP SERVER	
Lay Reader	Carolyn Crispin	Robin Neumeier		SIGN-UP SHEET	
Ushers	Votino	Larry Wiech & Pete Cardimen		WILL BE AVAILABLE	
Nursery	Kris Kochheiser	Abigail & Jillian		IN HALLWAY	
Altar Guild	Mary McDaniel & Carolyn Crispin	Mary McDaniel & Carolyn Crispin		FOR EASTER	
Hymn Sel.	Andrea Sumner	Andrea Sumner		SERVICES	
Counters	Todd Daniels & Phil Kochheiser	Andy DeVantier & Lori Hobbins			
Greeters	Wiech	Nave			
Host					

23-Apr		30-Apr	
Date	10:00 AM	10:00 AM	
Assist. Minister	Chad Laucher	Ruth Albert	
Acolyte	Abigail Cardimen	Alexis Colombo	
Comm. Assist.	Paul Wargowsky	Chad Laucher	
Lay Reader	Karen Harris	Bruce Johnson	
Ushers	Chad Laucher & Tom Mott	Abigail Cardimen & Todd Daniels	
Nursery	Missy Hensley	Carol Scantland	
Altar Guild	Mary McDaniel & Carolyn Crispin	Mary McDaniel & Carolyn Crispin	
Hymn Sel.	Andrea Sumner	Andrea Sumner	
Counters	Steve Espe & Mike Sumner	Jim Jaeger & Pete Cardimen	
Greeters	McDaniel	Crispin	
Host			

Church Office, Contacts, Fellowship, Non-Church Events, f1c7350@gmail.com, Holidays in United States **Apr 2017 (Eastern Time)**

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
26 8:45am - Sunday 10am - Worship 1pm - JPC	27 6pm - Wm Dinner 8pm - Narc Anon	28 7:30pm - JPC	29 6:15pm - Soup 7pm - Lenten 7:30pm - Choir	30 8pm - JPC	31 8pm - Narc Anon	1 9am - Spring Clean 7pm - JPC
2 8:45am - Sunday 10am - Worship 1pm - JPC 7pm - GF Choir Prac	3 7pm - Wm Book 8pm - Narc Anon	4 7pm - Admin 7pm - Property 7:30pm - JPC	5 6:15pm - Soup 7pm - Lenten 7:30pm - Choir	6 8pm - JPC	7 8pm - Narc Anon	8 8:30am - Men's
9 8:45am - Sunday 10am - Worship 1pm - JPC	10 7pm - Bd of Worship 7pm - Stewardship 8pm - Narc Anon	11 7pm - Bd Ed & Youth 7pm - Evangelism & 7:30pm - JPC	12 5pm - Food Drop off 7pm - Choir Practice	13 Thomas Jefferson's 6:15pm - MT Meal 7pm - MT Service	14 7pm - GF @ St. 8pm - Narc Anon	15 10:45am - Meals on 7pm - JPC
16 Easter Sunday 8:30am - Worship 9:30am - Breakfast 11am - Worship 1pm - JPC	17 8pm - Narc Anon	18 6:15pm - PPC 7:30pm - JPC	19 7pm - Choir Practice	20 8pm - JPC	21 10:45am - Meals on 8pm - Narc Anon	22
23 8:45am - Sunday 10am - Worship 1pm - JPC	24 6pm - Wm Dinner 8pm - Narc Anon	25 7:30pm - JPC	26 7pm - Choir Practice	27 10:30am - Care 8pm - JPC	28 8pm - Narc Anon	29
30 8:45am - Sunday 10am - Worship 1pm - JPC	1 8pm - Narc Anon	2 7pm - Admin 7pm - Property 7:30pm - JPC	3 7pm - Choir Practice	4 8pm - JPC	5 8pm - Narc Anon	6 7pm - JPC

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Our Vision:

To be a "called and gathered" family of faith
whose members so fully experience the undeserved love of God
that we are moved to express that same love of God.
in our relationships with one another and our whole community . . .

Our Mission:

To involve people in a growing relationship with Jesus Christ
by sharing the good news of God's grace.
through our fellowship in worship, study and service.

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