# April 2026

**Lent Offering – NALC Seminary**

**Easter Offering Country Health & Rehab**

*St. John Lutheran Church*
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| Sunday | Monday | Tuesday | Wednesday | Thursday | Friday | Saturday |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| March 29 ***Palm Sunday***<br>**Monthly Designated Benevolence: Local Benevolences—**<br>***Daily Bread Soup Kitchen, Jesus Is the Way Prison Ministries, Seek and Find Ministries*** | March 30<br> | March 31 | **1**<br>7:45 – Choir<br> | **2**<br>**Maundy Thursday**<br>**7:00**<br> | **3**<br>**GOOD FRIDAY**<br>**7:00**<br> | **4**<br> |
| **5** ***Easter Day***<br>6:30 am – Sunrise Service<br>8:30 am - Sunday School<br>9:45 am - Worship with *Holy Communion*<br> <br> | **6** | **7**<br>8:30 am - LWR Blanket Workday | **8**<br> | **9**<br>1:30 – SJW Bible Study | **10** | **11**<br> |
| **12** ***Easter 2***<br>8:30 am - Sunday School<br>9:45 am - Worship | **13**<br> | **14** | **15**<br>7:00 – Choir<br> | **16** | **17**<br>***Newsletter Deadline*** | **18**<br> |
| **19** ***Easter 3***<br>8:30 am - Sunday School<br>9:45 am - Worship with *Holy Communion*<br> | **20**<br>7:00 - Council | **21**<br>8:30 am - LWR Blanket Workday | **22**<br> | **23** | **24** | **25** |
| **26** ***Easter 4***<br>8:30 am - Sunday School<br>9:45 am - Worship | **27**<br> | **28** | **29**<br>7:00 - Choir<br> | **30** | **May 1**<br> | **May 2** |

## REMINDER LIST

**ALTAR GUILD:**
Miki Wesley, Lori Hoveln, Hilary Whitt, Teresa Aden, Deanna Loschen, Julie Christians, Ashely Sargeant

**COUNCIL SERVICE**
Josh Frerichs
Stacey Smith
Laura Ketchum

**ORGANISTS:** Susi Huls
Paul Blobaum

**SOUND SYSTEM:** Larry Kaiser
**MIDWEEK LENT:** Gary Duitsman

| DATE: | COFFEE HOST: |
|---|---|
| Apr 5 | **EASTER BREAKFAST** |
| Apr 12 | Joellyn Pedro |
| Apr 19 | Ed & Jodi Bohlen |
| Apr 26 | Rick & Teresa Aden |

| DATE: | ACOLYTES: |
|---|---|
| Apr 2 | COUNCIL |
| Apr 3 | COUNCIL |
| Apr 5 **6:30** | COUNCIL |
| **9:45** | Devin Loschen; Brady Ramm |
| Apr 12 | Emma Whitlow; Aubrey Johnson |
| Apr 19 | Lincoln Meier; Ben Loschen |
| Apr 26 | Brady Ramm: Blake Lackey |

| DATE: | NURSERY: |
|---|---|
| Apr 5 | Blair Mathis |
| Apr 12 | Campbell Flessner |
| Apr 19 | Jeremiah Bohlen with Jodi Bohlen |
| Apr 26 | Devin Loschen |

**Sunday School Students will continue to be the Greeters each Sunday of the month of April.**

## REMINDER LIST

| DATE: | ALTAR FLOWERS: |
|---|---|
| Apr 5 | Anita & James Lieb |
| Apr 12 | Siebern's Family |
| Apr 19 | Kris Fransico |
| Apr 26 | |

| DATE: | SUNDAY & SPECIAL SERVICES USHERS: |
|---|---|
| Apr 2 | Dwight & Patti Bohlen |
| Apr 3 | Jake & Amanda Bohlen Family |
| Apr 5 **6:30** | Greg & Stacey Smith Family |
| **9:45** | John & Stacy Ehmen; Shelly Ehmen |
| Apr 12 | Dwight & Patti Bohlen; Doug & Miki Wesley |
| Apr 19 | Kurt & Sarah Wolken Family |
| Apr 26 | Rodney & Debbie Suits; Chad & Peggy Barns |

| DATE: | COMMUNION ELEMENTS |
|---|---|
| Apr 1 | Bread: Mark & Kathleen Weckel |
| Apr 5 **6:30** | Bread: Les & Tammy Olson |
| | Wine: Ron & Brenda Duitsman |
| **9:45** | Bread: Norma Sherfey |
| | Wine: Brian & Amber Loschen |
| Apr 19 | Bread: Larry & Nancy Anders |

| DATE: | LECTORS: |
|---|---|
| Apr 2 | Debbie Ackerman |
| Apr 3 | Miki Wesley |
| Apr 5 **6:30** | Teresa Aden |
| **9:45** | Gary Duitsman |
| Apr 12 | Confirmation Student |
| Apr 19 | Sarah Wolken |
| Apr 26 | Debbie Ackerman |

**…Reminder List**, printed in this newsletter, lists those who are assigned to help with various tasks and responsibilities during the month. **If a conflict arises, please find your own replacement and inform the church office of the changes**. *A big thank you for volunteering to help!*