

EASTER SUNDAY

April 17, 2022

9:30 am Worship Service

ST. PAUL'S LUTHERAN CHURCH, HANOVER, PA

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The Easter Greeting

L: Alleluia! Christ is risen!

C: **Christ is risen indeed! Alleluia!**

* Hymn *"Now All the Vault of Heaven Resounds"* ELW 367 or p. 9

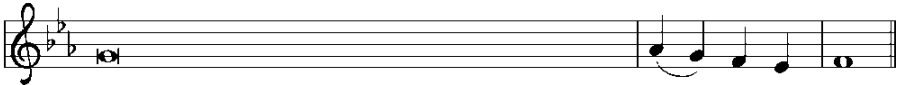
* Kyrie



In peace, let us pray to the Lord.



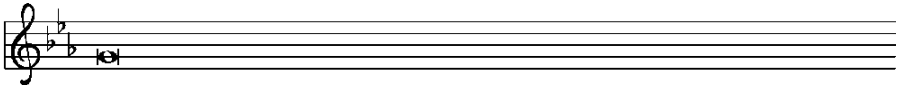
Lord, have mer - cy.



For the peace from above, and for our salvation, let us pray to the Lord.



Lord, have mer - cy.



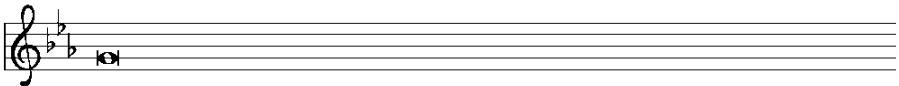
For the peace of the whole world, for the well-being of the church of God,



and for the unity of all, let us pray to the Lord.



Lord, have mer - cy.



For this holy house, and for all who offer here their worship and praise,



let us pray to the Lord.



Lord, have mer - cy.



Help, save, comfort, and de - fend us, gra - cious Lord.



A - men, a - men.

*** Canticle of Praise**

"This is the Feast"

Refrain



This is the feast of vic - to - ry for our God.



Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia.



1 Wor - thy is Christ, the Lamb who was slain, whose
2 Sing . . with all the peo - ple of God, and



blood set us free to be peo - ple of God.
join in the hymn of all cre - a - tion:



Pow - er and rich - es, wis - dom and strength, and
Bless - ing and hon - or, glo - ry and might be to

Refrain



hon - or and bless - ing and glo - ry are his.
God and the Lamb for - ev - er. A - men.



3 For the Lamb who was slain has be -



Refrain

gun his reign. Al - le - lu - ia.

* Prayer of the Day

L: Let us pray.

Response to the prayer: **C: Amen.**

First Reading:

L: A reading from Isaiah 65:17-25

Pew Bible page 539 OT

The word of the Lord.

C: Thanks be to God.

Psalm: Psalm 118: 1-2, 14-24 (*read responsively*)

¹Give thanks to the LORD, for the LORD is good;

God's mercy endures forever.

²Let Israel now declare,

"God's mercy endures forever."

¹⁴The LORD is my strength and my song,

and has become my salvation.

¹⁵**Shouts of rejoicing and salvation echo in the tents of the righteous: "The right hand of the LORD acts valiantly!"**

¹⁶The right hand of the LORD is exalted!

The right hand of the LORD acts valiantly!"

¹⁷**I shall not die, but live,**

and declare the works of the LORD.

¹⁸The LORD indeed punished me sorely,

but did not hand me over to death.

¹⁹**Open for me the gates of righteousness;**

I will enter them and give thanks to the LORD.

²⁰"This is the gate of the LORD;

here the righteous may enter."

²¹**I give thanks to you, for you have answered me
and you have become my salvation.**

²²The stone that the builders rejected
has become the chief cornerstone.

²³**By the LORD has this been done;
it is marvelous in our eyes.**

²⁴This is the day that the LORD has made;
let us rejoice and be glad in it.

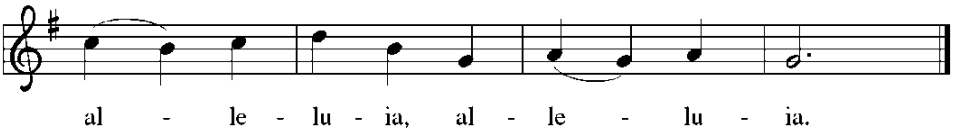
Second Reading:

L: A reading from 1 Corinthians 15:19-26 Pew Bible page 135 NT
The word of the Lord.

C: Thanks be to God.

*** Gospel Acclamation**

“Alleluia”



Repeat alleluia



*** Gospel:**

P: The holy gospel according to Luke 24:1-12 Pew Bible page 68 NT

C: Glory to you, O Lord.

The gospel concludes:

P: The gospel of the Lord.

C: Praise to you, O Christ.

Sermon

Pastor Burkhardt

*** Hymn of the Day** *“The Strife Is O’er, the Battle Done”* ELW 366 or p. 10

*** Nicene Creed**

**We believe in one God, the Father, the Almighty, maker of heaven
and**

**We believe in one God,
the Father, the Almighty,
maker of heaven and earth,
of all that is, seen and unseen.**

**We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ,
the only Son of God,
eternally begotten of the Father,**

God from God, Light from Light,
true God from true God,
begotten, not made,
of one Being with the Father;
through him all things were made.

For us and for our salvation

he came down from heaven,
was incarnate of the Holy Spirit and the virgin Mary
and became truly human.

For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate;
he suffered death and was buried.

On the third day he rose again
in accordance with the scriptures;
he ascended into heaven

and is seated at the right hand of the Father.

He will come again in glory to judge the living and the
dead,

and his kingdom will have no end.

We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life,
who proceeds from the Father and the Son,
who with the Father and the Son is worshiped and glorified,
who has spoken through the prophets.

We believe in one holy catholic and apostolic church.

We acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of sins.

We look for the resurrection of the dead,

and the life of the world to come. Amen.

* **Prayers of the People**

Each petition ends with these words:

L: Hear us, O God.

C: Your mercy is great.

Response at the conclusion of the prayers: C: Amen.

* **The Peace**

L: The peace of the Lord be with you always.

C: And also with you.

*The people may greet one another with a sign of Christ's peace, and
may say, "**Peace be with you**"
or similar words. Please refrain from physical contact.*

The assembly is seated.

Offertory Anthem "Hallelujah! Resurrection Day!"

Shackley

Adult and Youth Choirs

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(Use this time to reflect on your financial and spiritual offerings to God.)

* **Offertory Response**

"Let the Vineyards Be Fruitful"

Let the vine-yards be fruit-ful, Lord, and fill to the brim our cup of
bless-ing. Gath-er a har-vest from the seeds that were sown, that
we may be fed with the bread of life. Gath-er the hopes and dreams of
all; u-nite them with the prayers we of-fer. Grace our ta-ble
with your pres-ence, and give us a fore-taste of the feast to come.

* **Offertory Prayer**

L: Let us pray.

The Lord be with you. And al-so with you.
Lift up your hearts. We lift them to the Lord.
Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.
It is right to give our thanks and praise.

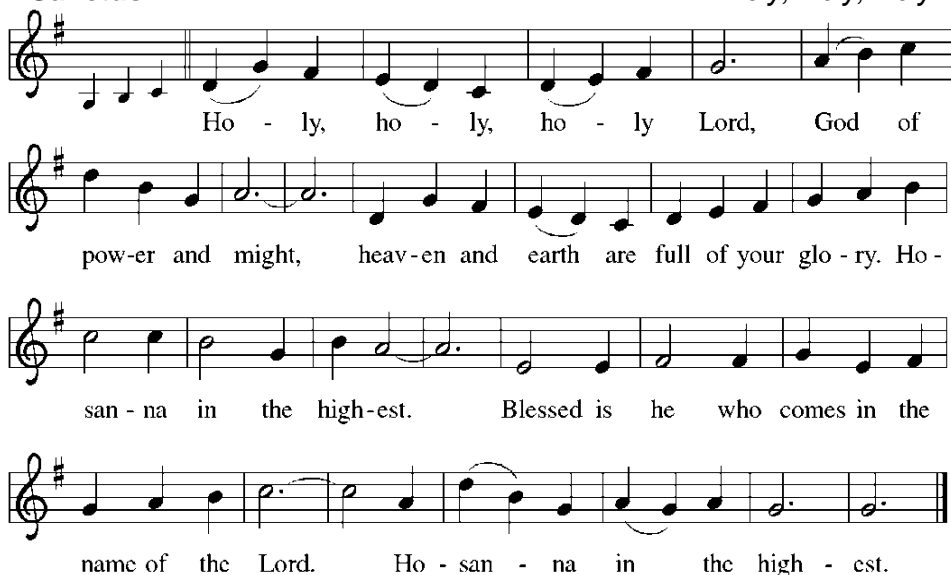
Response after the prayer: C: Amen.

* The Great Thanksgiving

P: It is indeed right, our duty and our joy, that we should at all...
(*the minister continues with the preface concluding:*)
we praise your name and join their unending hymn:

* Sanctus

"Holy, Holy, Holy"



Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord, God of
pow-er and might, heav-en and earth are full of your glo - ry. Ho -
san - na in the high-est. Blessed is he who comes in the
name of the Lord. Ho - san - na in the high - est.

* Eucharistic Prayer



Christ has died. Christ is ris - en. Christ will come a - gain.

P: You are indeed holy, almighty and merciful God...
(*the minister continues with the prayer concluding:*)
we proclaim the Lord's death until he comes.

P: Remembering, therefore, his salutary command...
(*the minister continues with the prayer concluding:*)



A - men, a - men, a - men.
glory in your holy church, now and forever.

* The Lord's Prayer

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name, thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our trespasses, as we

forgive those who trespass against us; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever and ever. Amen.

* **Invitation to Communion**

All baptized believers are welcome to commune.

Continuous Communion Distribution

Communion Song

"Lamb of God"

Lamb of God, you take a - way the sin of the world; have
mer - cy on us. Lamb of God, you take a - way the sin of the
world; have mer - cy on us. Lamb of God, you take a -
way the sin of the world; grant us peace, grant us peace.

Anthem "When I Survey the Wondrous Cross" arr. Krug

Anthem "Thine is the Glory" arr. Krug

Bell Choir

Permissions - Ring Out! Press, a division of Jeffers Handbell Supply

* **Communion Blessing**

Response after the blessing: C: Amen.

* **Prayer after Communion**

L: Let us pray.

Response after the prayer: C: Amen.

* **Benediction**

Response: C: Amen.

* **Dismissal**

L: Go in peace. Serve the Lord.

Response C: We are called through Christ to praise God and love generously. Thanks be to God

* **Postlude**

* Stand if you are able (ELW) Evangelical Lutheran Worship Book (red)

Now All the Vault of Heaven Resounds



1 Now all the vault of heav'n re - sounds
2 E - ter - nal is the gift he brings,
3 Oh, fill us, Lord, with daunt - less love;
4 A - dor - ing prais - es now we bring



in praise of love that still a - bounds: "Christ has
there - fore our heart with rap - ture sings: "Christ has
set heart and will on things a - bove that we
and with the heav'n - ly bless - ed sing: "Christ has



tri - umphed! He is liv - ing!" Sing, choirs of
tri - umphed! He is liv - ing!" Now still he
con - quer through your tri - umph; grant grace suf -
tri - umphed! Al - le - lu - ia!" Be to the



an - gels, loud and clear! Re - peat their song of glo - ry
comes to give us life and by his pres - ence stills all
fi - cient for life's day that by our lives we tru - ly
Fa - ther, and our Lord, to Spir - it blest, most ho - ly



here: "Christ has tri - umphed! He is liv - ing!"
strife. "Christ has tri - umphed! He is liv - ing!"
say: "Christ has tri - umphed! He is liv - ing!"
God, all the glo - ry, nev - er end - ing!



Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia!

The Strife Is O'er, the Battle Done

Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia!

1 The strife is o'er, the bat - tle done; now is the vic - tor's
2 The pow'rs of death have done their worst; Je - sus their le - gions
3 The three sad days have quick - ly sped, Christ ris - es glo - rious
4 Christ closed the yawn - ing gates of hell; the bars from heav'n's high
5 Lord, by the stripes which wound-ed you, from death's sting free your

tri - umph won! Now be the song of praise be - gun. Al - le - lu - ia!
has dis - persed. Let shouts of ho - ly joy out - burst. Al - le - lu - ia!
from the dead. All glo - ry to our ris - en head! Al - le - lu - ia!
por - tals fell. Let hymns of praise his tri - umph tell. Al - le - lu - ia!
ser - vants too, that we may live and sing to you. Al - le - lu - ia!

After the final stanza

Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia!

WELCOME TO ST. PAUL'S LUTHERAN CHURCH! If you are seeking a faith community, exploring faith, desire to be a part of our ministries, or have questions, please feel free to speak with Pastor Bob or any staff member.

	<u>April 17</u>	<u>April 24</u>
Assisting Minister:	Russ Kaltreider	Frank Hueske
Lay Reader	Lucille Farrington	Donna Lehman
Offering Deposit Team:	Sharon Bortner Amy Feeser	Frank Hueske Dave Maus
Ushers:	Team 2	Team 2
Altar:	Amy Feeser Suzanne Butler	Amy Feeser Suzanne Butler

APRIL'S DESIGNATED GIVING - St. Paul's Family Crisis Fund. Many times in our life together we find that families within our congregation face monumental struggles. Families or individuals may have financial needs arise from medical emergencies, fires, long-term disabilities, or unemployment. They come seeking assistance from the church and many times they need more help than is readily available in the Discretionary Fund. Several years ago, our Congregation Council established the Family Crisis Fund and criteria for disbursement of funds to the families of our congregation. Building a fund such as the Family Crisis Fund enables us to help our families meet their needs and to hopefully get through the crisis. Please give generously to our Family Crisis Fund this month, so we can help those in need.

THE LARGE LILIES BY THE ALTAR are sponsored to the glory of God and in memory of Robert H. Adams' 90th birthday by his loving daughters, Cathy, Karen, Susan and Tammy.

THE COMMUNION BREAD AND WINE is sponsored to the glory of God and in honor of Mildred Dubs' 90th birthday on April 19th by her family.

THE WORSHIP BULLETINS are sponsored to the glory of God and in memory of Kenneth R. Wolfe by Nadine and family.

THE ETERNAL FLAME is sponsored to the glory of God and with thanksgiving for the Risen Christ by the Zellers family.

SPONSORSHIPS AVAILABLE: Please contact Maureen Kaltreider in the church office or at finance@stpaulsyorkst.org

Radio – April 24, May 1, 8, 15, 22 & 29 (\$60 or any portion you desire)

Altar Flowers – May 15, 22 & 29 (2 vases) (\$20)

Communion Bread & Wine – May 1 & 15 (\$12)

Bulletin – May 1, 15, 22 & 29 (\$20)

Eternal Flame – May 1, 15 & 29 (\$10)

THE CHURCH OFFICE WILL BE CLOSED tomorrow, Monday, April 18th.

THE HERITAGE CHOIR will rehearse on Saturday, April 23rd, at 9:00 am in the sanctuary.

MEN IN MISSION WILL MEET on Saturday, April 23rd, at 9:00 am at Perkins in their back room. Attendees are responsible for your own tab.

ST. PAUL'S BOOK CLUB will be meeting on **Wednesday, April 27**, at the home of Lucille Farrington at **6:30pm** to discuss the book, The Four Winds by Kristin Hannah. Join us for a good discussion and fellowship. All are welcomed. Hope to see you there.

SPIRITUAL WORKSHOP - Please mark your calendars and join us Saturday, April 30th at 9:30 am as Deacon Marsha Roscoe leads us in the next step of our faith journey!

SAVE THE DATE FOR A "WOMEN OF ST PAUL'S" BANQUET to be held on Sunday, May 15th, in the Fellowship hall. Further details will be announced.

THANK YOU to all who donated canned fruit and vegetables, meat, and/or money to our Grocery Ministry! We were able to provide a "nice dinner" to 80 families over the past two Saturdays.

LUTHERAN DISASTER RESPONSE - EASTERN EUROPE CRISIS RESPONSE

YOU CAN SUBMIT YOUR CHECK TO ST. PAUL'S (made payable as shown below). We will mail the checks monthly and inform our congregation of the total amount donated by St. Paul's members.

MAKE YOUR CHECK PAYABLE TO:

Lower Susquehanna Synod,

write in memo line: **LDR - Eastern Europe Crisis Response.**

Your gift will be used entirely, 100%, to provide support for people impacted by conflict in the region.

Or, if you prefer, mail your check directly to
**Evangelical Lutheran Church in America,
ELCA Gifts Processing Center,
PO Box 1809
Merrifield, VA 2216-8009.**

YOUTH AND FAMILIES will have our monthly event next Sunday (April 24). We'll meet in Fellowship Hall following worship (10:45ish), have lunch and fellowship before our groups split for activities. SPY will be planning our upcoming retreat; SPYKids will be playing Easter games. Friends are welcome!

SPY (gr. 7-12) will be journeying to Nawakwa for a weekend retreat (May 6-8). It's important to sign up or contact Deb if you are interested in attending! Friends are welcome BUT you must talk to Deb first to see if there's room available. Cost = several food items (TBD...no more than \$10).

FAMILY FEST is coming! "Tree of Healing" will be held on a WEEKEND this year--June 10-12--with gatherings at various times throughout the weekend. Come join us as we learn about all different aspects of health, what we can learn from God, and different projects around the world sponsored by ELCA World Hunger. Check out The Evangel or the Youth and Family bulletin board or contact Deb Sowers for more information!

VOLUNTEER HELP NEEDED FOR HOUSKEEPING DUTIES - Our Housekeeper, Lorraine Mason, is currently on a medical leave. Consequently, St. Paul's needs volunteers to assist with the following duties:

- Check and maintain all bathrooms
- Maintain hand sanitizers
- Vacuum hallways, office, sanctuary
- Empty trash

If you can volunteer your time to maintain the appearance and cleanliness of our building, please contact Carmen at 717-637-5941.

LOOKING FOR SOME HELP WITH FAMILY FEST (June 10-12). We are in need of (gr. 7-adult) to serve as...Games station leader, Adult Bible study leader; Other Helpers--no prep needed; "tech" person to manage prepared videos; Food prep and servers--3 meals throughout the weekend. Contact Deb Sowers (debsowers@gmail.com) to volunteer!

MISSION TRIP PLANNED--SPY (and any others) interested in helping to plan our upcoming July mission trip, please join us on Monday, April 25 to begin our plans and to find out where we're traveling! (Youth under age 13 will need to be accompanied by a parent or guardian on the trip.)

SISTERS IN FAITH RETREAT has been rescheduled for Sept. 30-Oct. 2 at Mar-Lu-Ridge. All women of the congregation (and friends) are welcome!

STEWARDSHIP SNIPPET - Luke 24:9, 11 –And returning from the tomb, [Mary Magdalene, Joanna, Mary the mother of James, and the other women] told all this to the eleven and to all the rest. But these words seemed to them an idle tale, and they did not believe them.

The Gospel today can still seem like an "idle tale" for people outside the church. But like the women who found the tomb empty, we can only tell what we know and invite people to see Jesus for themselves.

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Easter Sponsorships
To The Glory Of God And ...
Pastor's Discretionary Fund

*in memory of Betty Markle, Mark Markle and Julie Markle by
John, Wendy, Missy, Matt and John II*

in memory of Robert Lehman by his loving wife, Donna

*in memory of Robert and Mary Lovelace Jr. by Toby and Sally
Lovelace*

*in memory of Richard and Lorretta Forry by their daughter,
Donna Lehman*

in memory of our parents by Cletus and Doris Smeak

in memory of Merle E. Welty by Myrtle C. Welty

*in memory of Kenneth E. and Doris E. Cromer, Herbert and Cas
Wildasin, and Gabriel, Diane and Jan Cromer by Lynn and
JoAnn Cromer*

*in memory of Keith D. Zumbrum and in honor of Adam, Krista,
Makaelyn and Vance Jr. by Larry and Judy Zumbrum*

in memory of James & Gladys George by Toby and Sally Lovelace

in memory of Fred and Sylvia Marsh by the Rebling family

*in memory of Dennis and Anna Becker by John, Wendy, Missy,
Matt and John II*

*in memory of Clark and Mabel Barrick by Elaine, Joan and
Brenda*

in memory of Betty Markle by Sally Lovelace

*in honor of our grandchildren Blaine, Darbee, Clara, Camille,
Nash, Ava and Ella by Wendy and John O'Brien*

Pastor's Discretionary Fund- continued

*in honor of our children and grandchildren by Toby and Sally
Lovelace*

in honor of John Markle by Wendy, Missy, Matt and John II

Lily

in honor of Joyce Trout by George and Barbara Miller

Tulips

*in memory of our parents, Ruth and Gene Stough, by Kim and
Doug Riley*

*in memory of our parents, John and Gladys Riley, by Kim and
Doug Riley*

in memory of my wife, Kathy Little, by Phil Little

in memory of my parents, Robert and Velora Pittman by Linda

*in memory of my grandparents, Robert S. and Cora E. Garman and
William and Anna Currens by Mary*

in memory of my daughter, Kim Fissell, by Phil Little

*in memory of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Evans by Mr. and Mrs. Leroy
Zellers and family*

in memory of Kenneth E. and Doris E. Cromer by their family

in memory of Keith D. Zumburum by Larry and Judy Zumburum

*in memory of Herbert and Cas Wildasin by Lynn and JoAnn
Cromer*

in memory of Gervis Sponseller by the family

*in memory of Gabriel, Diane and Jan Cromer by Lynn and JoAnn
Cromer*

in memory of Dean Selby by Brian and Cindy Selby

Tulips- continued

in honor of the Senior Choir, Youth Choir, Children's Choir and Heritage Choir because MUSIC SPEAKS by Pocahontas Montgomery

in honor of the Bell Choir for the delightful music during the services by Moonbeam and Jacy Ward

in honor of Steven Ruppright, Lori Rebling and Gretchen Walter for their dedication to the choirs by Moses and Monkaushka Montgomery

in honor of our grandchildren, Brooklyn, Braxton, Hudson and Hadley by Brian and Cindy Selby

in honor of Dee and Brandon Chambers, and Ali and Jay Yonkovitch

in honor of all the musicians for the beautiful music on Christmas Eve by Derek and Carrissa Rockefeller

in honor of Adam, Krista, Makaelyn and Vance Jr. by Larry and Judy Zumbum

Hyacinth

in memory of Pete Shovlin by his grandchildren, Dylan, Matthew and Leah

in memory of our dad, Marlin E. Garman and our baby brother, Benjamin Garman by Jonathan and Jacob

in memory of Mr. and Mrs. Luther Spangler by Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Zellers and family

in memory of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Zellers by Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Zellers and family

in memory of Gladys Sponseller by the family

in honor of our grandson, Miles Quinn, by Kim and Doug Riley

Hyacinth- continued

in honor of our children, Alex, Erica and Ryan, by Kim and Doug Riley

in honor of our parents, Russ and Mary Kaltreider, by Russ and Maureen

in honor of my granddaughter, Emma Skye Forbes' third Easter by Paw Paw

in honor of Michelle Rummel by George and Barb Miller.

in honor of all volunteers and lay readers by a friend

Hydrangea

in memory of my parents, Robert D. and Edna M. Garman by Mary

The following Poinsettia and Pastor's Discretionary fund sponsors were inadvertently missed at Christmas 2021 so we are including them here with the Easter sponsorships.

in memory of Pam's parents, Joe and Roma Hicks by Pam and Frank Hueske

in memory of Mr. and Mrs. Edward F. Miller by George and Barbara Miller

in memory of Mr. and Mrs. Charles R. Brown by George and Barbara Miller

in memory of Jim Sennett by Peg Sennett

in memory of Frank's mother, Anneliese Hueske's 90th birthday on December 22nd by Frank and Pam Hueske

in memory of Frank's dad, Herbert Hueske by Frank and Pam Hueske

in memory of Viola and Orville James by the Gary Smith family

in memory of Robert Lehman by his loving wife, Donna
in memory of Robert L. Sheets by Betty Sheets and family
in memory of Richard and Loretta Forry by their daughter, Donna
Lehman

in memory of Mr. and Mrs. William Garman by Cletus and Doris
Smeak

in memory of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Smeak by Cletus and Doris
Smeak

in memory of Mr. and Mrs. Charles R. Brown and Mr. and Mrs.
Edward F. Miller by George and Barbara Miller

in memory of Julie, Mark and mom, Betty Markle by Wendy,
Missy, John, Matt and dad, John

SUN., APRIL 17		EASTER SUNDAY
	8:30 am	Radio Broadcast 95.3 FM & 1280 AM
	9:30 am	Worship Service
MON., APRIL 18		Church & Pastor's office closed
	6:00 pm	Girl Scout troops
THUR., APRIL 21	5:45 pm	Belchoir rehearsal
	6:00 pm	Boy & Cub Scout Troops
	7:00 pm	Senior Choir rehearsal
FRI., APRIL 22	3:30 pm	Grocery Ministry prep
SAT., APRIL 23	9:00 am	Heritage Choir practice
	9:00 am	Men in Mission breakfast at Perkins
	9:00 am	Grocery Ministry (Council)
SUN., APRIL 24	8:30 am	Radio Broadcast 95.3 FM & 1280 AM
	9:30 am	Worship Service
	10:30 am	Confirmation Class
	10:30 am	Youth Choir rehearsal

Have A Blessed Easter!