### Emmanuel Lutheran Church April 2025 Newsletter

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Pastor Tara Lynn - Pastoral needs- 412-444-8113

Easter Sunday Service
April 20, 2025 9:00 am



## Hymn Sing

Wednesday March 26 7:00 pm

Let's join together for singing and fellowship as you choose and sing your favorite hymns. There will also be a reception after singing to enjoy a time of fellowship.

PAGLEY'S
Pasta and More



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Join us on Thursday April 10 for Emmanuel's dinner outing at 6:00 pm at Pagley's Pasta and More in New Castle PA.

**Annual Easter Egg Hunt** 

Sunday April 6, 2025

1:00 pm



#### Community Prayer Walks On

the second Tuesday of every month members of our local churches gather for a community prayer event. Local churches host the event on a rotating basis.

Watch for details in your Sunday bulletin. See Betsy Forrester with questions

Emmanuel Church Council Council President:

**Teddy Davis.** 

Vice President: Alan Vagasky

**Gordon Phetteplace** 

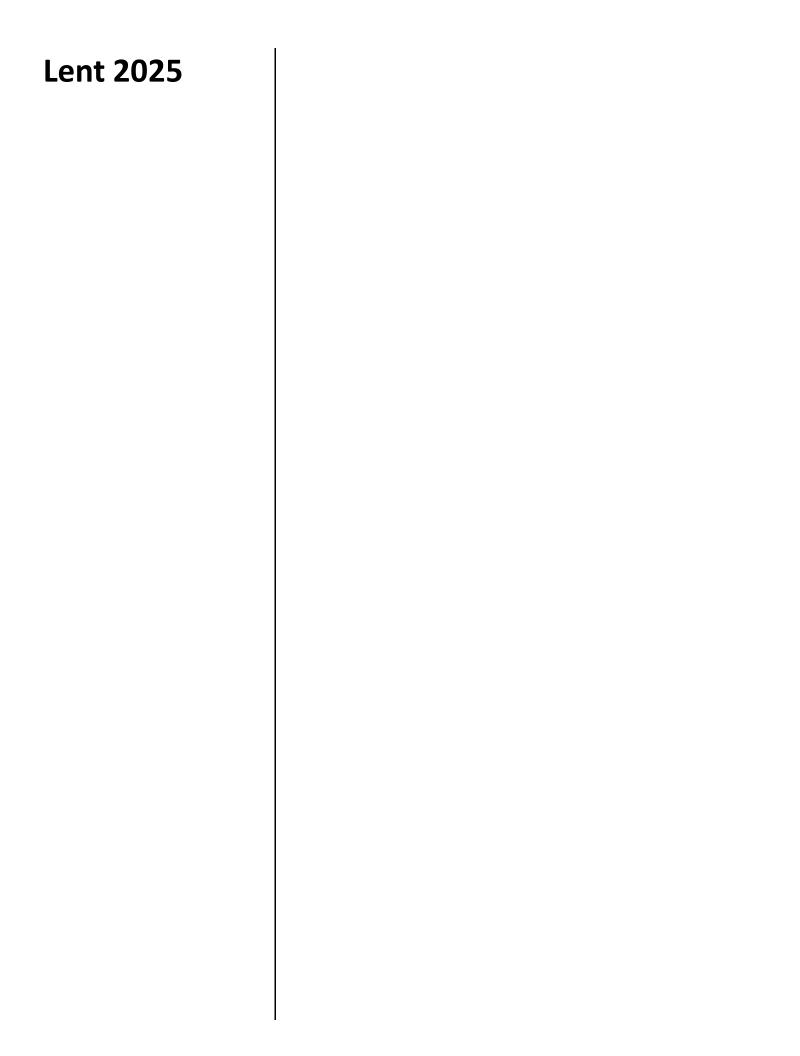
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#### Palm Sunday -

#### April 13, 2025 In the

Evangelical Lutheran Church in America, Palm Sunday marks the beginning of Holy Week, commemorating Jesus' triumphant entry into Jerusalem where crowds waved palm branches to welcome him, signifying the start of the week leading up to his crucifixion and resurrection on Easter Sunday; it's a time to reflect on Jesus' passion and suffering while anticipating the joy of Easter.

 Palm Sunday significance:

This day features a procession where churchgoers often carry blessed palm branches, symbolizing the crowds who hailed Jesus as king when he entered Jerusalem.

Holy Week focus:

The days following Palm Sunday are dedicated to reflecting on the events leading up to Jesus' death, including the Last Supper (Maundy Thursday) and the crucifixion (Good Friday).

Liturgical practices:	

ELCA churches often incorporate special readings, hymns, and prayers throughout Holy Week that highlight the story of Jesus' passion.

The "Three Days":

Some ELCA congregations observe "The Three Days" which includes a continuous worship service spanning from Maundy Thursday evening to Easter morning, emphasizing the significance of Jesus' death and resurrection.

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# Actually seen in church bulletins

- Don't let worry destroy you, Let the Church help.
- The sermon this morning: Jesus Walks on the Water.
   The sermon tonight: Searching for Jesus.

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America was
constituted on August
25, 1748, in Philadelphia
under the influence of
Henry Muhlenberg,
known as the "Patriarch of
American
Lutheranism". It was
known as the
Ministerium of
Pennsylvania and

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