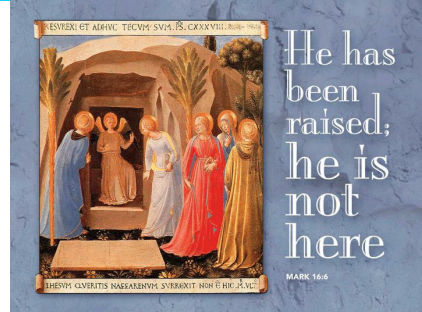


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**April 1, 2018**  
**Easter Sunday**

Worship 7:00 AM & 10:00 AM  
(Next Week 9:00 AM & 10:45 AM)



On this day the Lord has acted! On the first day of the week God began creation, transforming darkness into light. On this, the “eighth day” of the week, Jesus Christ was raised from the dead. We celebrate this new creation in the waters of baptism and in the feast of victory. With great joy we celebrate this day of days, even as we begin the great fifty days of Easter. Filled with hope, we go forth to share the news that Christ is risen!

This year may be the one in which John’s resurrection account is likely to be chosen over Mark’s, perhaps because Mark’s gospel ends so abruptly, with astonishment and fear rather than joyful proclamation. Yet Mark may speak to our experience more directly than the other gospels. Corinthians and Acts fill out the story by telling of appearances of the risen Christ. Peter says we “ate and drank with him after he rose from the dead.” And so do we, in a foretaste of the mountaintop feast where death will be no more.



**For Easter Week, 4-1-18 held at CELC**

**Easter Sunday Worship 7:00 AM & 10:00 AM**  
Breakfast 7 AM, Egg Hunt 9:15 AM

**Monday** Quilting for Others 9 AM  
**Tuesday** Outreach 8 AM; I-Help 4 PM

**Next Sunday - *Worship 9 AM* with Installation of Council and Holy Baptism; Sunday School 10:15 AM; Blood Pressure 10:15 AM; *Worship 10:45 AM***

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## **Easter Lilies Memorials**

**Jim & Cris Capelli To God be the glory!**  
**Ellory Christianson & Bill Michaelis Memory of our Parents**  
**Janet Altman My husband Ron & mother Vera**  
**Marchelle & George Hood son Jayson**  
**Chris & Sharon Norris Memory of Tom Maes, a good friend;**  
**our parents & brother John**  
**Dan & Barbara Shaffer Memory of our parents**  
**Erma Anderson Memory of past family & friends**  
**Jeff & Monica Vincent Memory of Ethel & Scott Vincent,**  
**Hohnekes Magers & our family & friends**  
**Carla Betzhold Memory of Ted/Al/Alex**  
**Carole Helland Memory of mother Faye; father Jack,**  
**and Good Friends**  
**Sharoll Blodgett Memory of husband, John**  
**Jim & Dianne Harmon sisters Barbie & Lois**  
**Bob & Helen Just Margaret Mueller (Bob's Mom)**  
**Jim & Dianne Shereck In Memory of our Parents**  
**Pat Bolka Pat's Mom & Dad, Florence and Frank Hodik;**  
**Franks Parents: Olga and Frank Bolka**  
**Fred & Jo-Ann Wordell Our parents and Jo-Ann's brother**  
**Doug & Eileen Halfmann In Memory of our son, Robert**  
**Steven Rhude In Memory of Betty & Al Rhude**  
**Kathy Castillo In Memory of Reynaldo Castillo**  
**Nyle Neumann In memory of wife, Margie Neumann**  
**Margaret Davies In Memory of my son**  
**Rae Valabek In memory of my mother, Margaret Strickler**  
**Patti Schmitt parents Peter & Elizabeth Pais**  
**Purita Eucher parents, brother & sister**  
**Victoria Lund husband, parents, brothers & sisters**  
**Mike & Sherry Hassel Paul & Clara Hassel, Ed & Lee Luben**  
**Marilyn Erdman In memory of my late husband, Mike Erdman**  
**& to God's Glory**  
**Keith & Diane Lefevr Memory of our parents**  
**Arlo Mayer Memory father & mother**

Gerald Beyers **Tammy Beyer & Delores**  
Gloria Beyers **LaVern & Verna Schuster, Cal Schuster**  
Jim & Marian See **In memory of our parents**  
Kathy & Mike Coyle **Memory of MA, Poppa, Mom & Dad West**  
Diane Cogsdill **In memory of my late husband Clay Cogsdill;**  
**In memory of my father, Walt Scott**

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### Visitor's Information

"All are welcome in this place"

Welcome to Christ Evangelical Lutheran Church - CELC! We would like you to know that communion (the Eucharist) is served to all. Grape juice (white) is in the center tray. Gluten-free wafers are available by request from server. You are invited to any event that we hold at CELC, most are listed in this announcement page. This page is also available through our email program; fill out the email line on the Visitor's card and we will add you to the list (you can unsubscribe instantly at any time.)

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## Outreach Needs for the month of April

### Cereal and canned Fruit



### Adopt a Cop

**Time to bring your cards!**

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### Prayer Requests

*New this week in Bold*

**Members:** Floyd Behm, Dolores/Lowell Bloom, Mabe Foster, Bruce Haroldson, Cyndi Heibel, Marchelle Hood, Glenn Hultberg, Michael Jack, Jack/Mary McDonald, **Angel/Francia Mercado**, Flo Riese, Roy Rood, LeAnn Rosencrans, Paula Royal, Jay Stocker, Lura Stubbs, Rich/Sylvia Thompson, Mike Valabek, Bev Wenner

**Home bound Members:** Paula Johnson, Lou Rice, Bea Warmoth

**Family & Friends:** John Wagner, Pastor Steve Bergeson, Pastor John Gunn; Marlene, Teresa, Sandie, Randy (Yost), Peggy, Gara Family, Jon & Christy Vorob (Armstrong), John (Sornsin), Sunny (Henderson), Jose/Marta (Capelli), Deb (Townsend), Jennifer (Brown), Alexa (Anderson), Dirk (Hassel), Mitzi, Sharon (Bolka), Joy Schroeder, **William (Foster), Joanne, Galen (Krogstad)**

**Parents Preparing for Birth:** April: Stephen & Beth Gallen; June: Tim &

Nicole Gallen

**All Cactus Conference Pastors & Churches & Bill Miller**

**Bishops:** Interim Bishop Lowell Almen, Elizabeth Eaton

**Seminary Students:** Elizabeth Gallen

**Area Church:** Peace Lutheran, Peoria

**Our Service men/women:** John Buss (Yost), Aaron Kramer+, Adriana Van Wyk, Josh Matzdorf (Capelli), Katie Brunstein+ serving overseas "+"

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**Worship Assistants for Easter - April 1**

Pastor: **Jeff Gallen** Worship/Music: **Miloy Cañete**  
Additional musicians: **Joe Burmeister**; Trumpet: **Bill Michaelis**  
Vocal: **Steve Raymond** Percussion: **Rudy Will**;  
Electric Guitar: **Conner Kelley** Guitar: **Jeff Vincent**  
7 AM

Communion Bread: **Nancy Kleingartner** Altar: **Helen Just**  
Assisting Minister: **Ed Kroening** Reader: **Ellory Christianson**  
Communion assistants: **Ellory Christianson & Pat Bolka**  
Greeters: **Margaret Davies and Gayle Williams**  
Ushers: **Dale & Kay Krogstad**  
10 AM

Communion Bread: **Nancy Kleingartner** Altar: **Mike Hassel**  
Assisting Minister: **Cris Capelli** Reader: **Ellory Christianson**  
Communion assistants: **Ellory Christianson**  
Greeters: **Fred & Jo-Ann Wordell**  
Ushers: **Pam Berg and Arlo Meyer**

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**Scripture Readings for next Sunday, April 8 - 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday of Easter**  
**Acts 4:32-35    Psalm 133 1    John 1:1-2:2    John 20:19-31**

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**Upcoming Events**

Week of June 4-8  
**VBS 6-8:30 PM**

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**CELC COMMITTEES**

Contact these members for more information

**Sabbatical:** Stevie Henderson, Jim Capelli, Shirley Papp, Jennifer Cole, Ann Bruce and Olga Blanchard

**Legacy Circle:** Elizabeth Banta, Dana House

**Kitchen Team:** Peggy Bjornson, Nadine Kriegel, Bob Just, Skip Hood, Ann Bruce, Ken Olson, Marian See

**Funeral Food:** Karen Olson

**Nominating Committee:** Ann Bruce, Stevie Henderson, Pat Bolka, Kay Myers

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