In Our Thoughts/Prayers: Graduates (High School: Sean, Paige, Payton, Teagan, Tessa; College: Jalynn, Jenna, Peyton & Madi); Recipients of LWR Quilts; Laurie Nelson (Robert & Dee Nelson's daughter; neck surgery), Don Clark (Kathy Brobst-Clark's husband), Sheila Miller (Jennifer Bacher's friend), Marleen Pytlik, Frances Yokom, Carol (Hoff) Crandall (cancer), Nicole Wieser, Chad Henningsgard, Gabriella Morical (Kathy Hoefs grand-daughter), Jenny Morical (Kathy Hoefs daughter), Nicole Gordon (Julie Yokom's niece); EaND Synod Bishop Tessa Moon Leiseth/ ELCA Bishop Rev. Elizabeth Eaton; Peace

<u>"Trinity Family"</u> to pray for this week: John & Sandra Froelich, Dianne & Brad Graff, Carol Grotberg

Our "Thanks!" to those who serve today:

Pastor: Rev. Diane Krumm

Greeter: Glen Torgerson

Scripture Reader: Kaneia Kinney

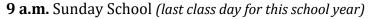
Keyboardist: Rochelle Triebold

Ushers: Jerry & Julie Yokom

Communion Assistant: Tracey Zaun

This Week @ TLC:

Today, May 4th: Third Sunday of Easter



10 a.m. Worship/Holy Communion/*Graduate Recognition/ Blessing of Quilts* (TLC Quilters: Margaret Heise, Gayle Hoff,
Karen Ladbury, Sue Martin, Susan Smith, Linda Westby)

11 a.m. Bumpa's Ice cream treats for all!! (Coffee & juice available too)

Mon., May 5th: *Pr. Diane's Sabbath*

5 p.m. Abused Persons Outreach Center (APOC) fundraiser supper @ VC Eagles Club (see insert)

Tues., May 6th: 10:30 a.m. Bible study @ TLC

Wed., May 7th: **9 a.m.** Quilters **3:30-5 p.m.** Kids Club @ Faith (gr. 4-6)

7 p.m. CROP Walk (see insert)

Thurs., May 8th: 5 p.m. Outreach/Stewardship meeting

Next Sun., May 11th: Fourth Sunday of Easter/Mother's Day

No Sunday School

10 a.m. Worship/Holy Communion

11 a.m. Coffee fellowship (No Mission Breakfast due to Mother's Day) (Hosts & treats needed! Please sign up @ back sanctuary table next to sound system cabinet, if able to help.)

GATHERING TO WORSHIP

May 4, 2025 - 10 a.m.

Third Sunday of Easter



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May 4, 2025— 3rd Sunday of Easter

WELCOME TO WORSHIP! Welcome to you who are visitors among us; please sign our guest book, take a "Welcome" bag home, and do come worship with us again. To those of you looking for a church home, we invite you to join this community of faith, as we seek to grow and serve in God's grace and love.

*Please stand. in body or spirit.

Large print bulletins are available at the back table.

"Busy Bags" for small children's use during Worship on back hand rail.

GATHERING

Prelude

Easter Greeting:

L: Alleluia! Christ is Risen! C: Christ is risen indeed, Alleluia!

*Thanksgiving for Baptism

P: In the name of the One who was, who is, and who is to come.

C: Amen.

P: Baptized into Christ's death and resurrection, and called to live the baptized life, let us give thanks for the gifts of baptism. Let us pray: Holy God, we give you thanks for the waters of baptism ...

(P: ... Baptized into you, O Living One,

C: make us one as you are one.)

P: Grant us grace, love, and life, O Living One, that our every day is shaped by these waters that give us our very lives in you. We ask this in the name of Jesus, the Crucified and Risen One.

C: Amen.

*Gathering Hymn: "Earth and All Stars" (v. 1,3,5) #731 ELW

*Apostolic Greeting (C: And also with you.)

*Canticle of Praise: "Come, let us join our cheerful songs" p. 204 ELW

*Prayer of the Day (Today's Readings insert)

WORD

First Reading: Acts 9:1-20 **Responsive Psalm Reading:** Psalm 30 **Second Reading:** Revelation 5:11-14 *Gospel Acclamation: "Alleluia! Lord & Savior" p. 205 ELW *Gospel Reading: John 21:1-19 *Responses: "Glory to you, O LORD"/"Praise to you, O Christ."

Sermon

Hymn of the Day: "I'm So Glad Jesus Lifted Me" p. 104 ELW

Nicene Creed

Prayer Song: "Spirit, Open My Heart" text by Ruth Duck Spirit, open my heart to the joy and pain of living. As you love may I love, in receiving and in giving. Spirit, open my heart.

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Prayers of Intercession: (C: your mercy is great.)

MEAL

Our Tithes/Offerings to God/free-will offering for Quilt shipping costs

*Offertory Hymn: "Create in Me a Clean Heart" #188 ELW

#860 ELW

*Offertory Prayer

*Great Thanksgiving

p. 206-207 ELW

*Lord's Prayer

Holy Communion/Kneel or stand at Communion rail

All are welcome to join us in celebrating the Sacrament of Holy Communion, believing the Risen Christ is present with us in the bread and wine, assuring us of GOD's love and forgiveness.

Please receive the bread in your hand and place your empty cup in the side basket. Gluten-free bread/juice are available. To be served in your pew, please raise your hand after pianist is served.

*Post-Communion Prayer

SENDING

Recognition & Blessing of Graduates; Blessing of Quilts

insert

*Blessing (C: Amen!)

"You Servants of God" *Sending Hymn:

#825 ELW

*P: Go in peace. In Christ, you are made new.

*C: Thanks be to God. Alleluia! Postlude



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