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## April 2022 Happenings

### From Pastor Brand's Desk: *"Did Jesus Rise From The Dead?"*

One of the easiest parts of the resurrection data to establish is the fact that the tomb is empty. Because the location of Jesus' burial was known to those living in Jerusalem, it would have been unlikely that they would have believed the Apostolic preaching of the resurrection of Christ if there was not an empty tomb. Jesus' burial is widely attested in early, independent testimonies, both biblical and extra-biblical.

Furthermore, as is often noted, women were not considered reliable witnesses in first century Jewish culture, so it would have been foolish for the authors to have fictionally constructed an account involving women in order to gain credibility.

Matthew 28:11–15 speaks of a myth that was spread among the Jews concerning the body of Christ. Apparently the Jews were saying the disciples stole the body of Christ. This is significant because the Jews did not deny the tomb was empty, but instead sought an alternative explanation to the resurrection. The emptiness of the tomb is a widely attested historical fact.

Just because the tomb of Christ was empty does not necessarily mean the resurrection happened. Indeed, there have been four alternative hypotheses to resurrection that have been advanced over the years.

#### **Conspiracy theory**

First, some offer the conspiracy hypothesis, which says the disciples stole the body of Christ and continued to lie about his appearances to them. On this account, the resurrection was a hoax.

This hypothesis is not commonly held in modern scholarship for several reasons:

1. This hypothesis does not take into account that the disciples believed in the resurrection. It is highly unlikely that numerous disciples would have been willing to give their lives defending a fabrication.
2. It is unlikely that the idea of resurrection would have entered the minds of the disciples, as such an event was not connected to the Jewish idea of a Messiah. The scholar William Lane Craig writes, "If your favorite Messiah got himself crucified, then you either went home or else you got yourself a new Messiah. But the idea of stealing Jesus' corpse and saying that God has raised him from the dead is hardly one that would have entered the minds of the disciples."
3. This hypothesis cannot account for the post-resurrection appearances of Christ.

### **Apparent death**

The second hypothesis attempting to explain away the resurrection is the apparent death hypothesis. This view says Jesus was not completely dead when he was removed from the cross. Once in the tomb, Jesus was revived and escaped, thus convincing the disciples of his resurrection.

This view is difficult to hold for a few reasons:

1. It is unlikely that a half-dead man would have been capable of even getting up to walk, much less moving the stone that sealed the tomb, over-powering Roman guards, and fleeing from sight.
2. This theory cannot account for the disciples' attribution of resurrection to Christ, for if they had seen him after he was revived, they would have merely thought he had never died.
3. It is also foolish to think the Romans, who had perfected the art of killing people, would have let one slip by without ensuring he was dead.
4. Finally, given the physical torture described in the Gospel accounts, it is highly unlikely that Jesus could have survived.

### **Wrong tomb**

Third, the wrong tomb hypothesis suggests the women had gotten lost on their way to the empty tomb and accidentally stumbled upon the caretaker of an empty tomb. When the caretaker said, "Jesus is not here," the women were so disoriented they fled, their story later being developed into a resurrection myth.

Like the other theories, virtually no one holds to this view. There are at least three reasons:

1. First, this theory does not explain the post-resurrection appearances, and it is spurious to think that such a simple mistake would have led a first-century Jew to think a resurrection had happened.
2. In light of the early evidence that is available concerning the location of Jesus' tomb, it is almost impossible that the women would have confused its location.
3. This hypothesis emphasizes that the caretaker of the tomb said that Christ was not there, but it passes over the next phrase: "He is risen!"

### **Displaced body**

Fourth, some propose the displaced body hypothesis to explain Jesus' resurrection. This theory says Joseph of Arimathea placed Jesus' body in his own tomb but later moved it to the criminal's graveyard. The disciples were not aware that Jesus' body had been moved and therefore wrongly inferred that he had risen from the dead.

Because of the spurious nature of this theory, virtually no modern scholars hold to it:

1. This theory cannot account for the post-resurrection appearances of Christ or the origin of the Christian faith.
2. It is uncertain why Joseph would not have corrected the error of the disciples by simply showing them where he had moved the body of Jesus.
3. The criminal graveyard, most likely, was quite close to the crucifixion site, so it would have made little sense why Joseph would not have simply buried Jesus there in the first place. In fact, it was against Jewish law to allow a body to be moved after it had already been buried.

## The resurrection really happened

In light of these failed hypotheses that attempt to disprove the resurrection, the person who wishes to deny the resurrection of Christ is left with the unexplained mystery of the empty tomb that existed “on the third day.”

The resurrection of Jesus is the cornerstone of the Christian Faith, take away the resurrection, Christianity crumbles and the certain hope of the individual believer vanishes like dust in the wind. That is why the Apostle Paul did not mix any words when the Holy Spirit inspired him to write:

“Now if Christ is proclaimed as raised from the dead, how can some of you say that there is no resurrection of the dead?”

But if there is no resurrection of the dead, then not even Christ has been raised. And if Christ has not been raised, then our preaching is in vain and your faith is in vain. We are even found to be misrepresenting God, because we testified about God that he raised Christ, whom he did not raise if it is true that the dead are not raised. For if the dead are not raised, not even Christ has been raised. And if Christ has not been raised, your faith is futile and you are still in your sins. Then those also who have fallen asleep in Christ have perished. If in Christ we have hope in this life only, we are of all people most to be pitied. But in fact Christ has been raised from the dead, the first fruits of those who have fallen asleep.”

Christ is Risen! And indeed we have the forgiveness of sins and the absolute certainty of eternal life by faith in Jesus, crucified, risen, reigning and coming again.

Peace and joy in the Risen Jesus, Pastor Timothy Brand



## SAVE THE DATE

Our VBS program is back in person this year!  
Come explore how Jesus guides us to the treasures of eternal life,  
and will never leave us!

July 25th-28th  
6:00-8:00pm

Volunteer Sign-ups will soon be available.

Student sign-ups are located at [www.stpaulcaledonia.org](http://www.stpaulcaledonia.org)  
Look for “VBS” under the MINISTRIES tab.

Questions... Contact Lisa Holmes or Amber Seifert.

# From the Desk of Pastor David

## How are we to love sinners?

Loving sinners is all across the Scriptures. We're commanded to do it, but the application of these texts is often difficult and confusing, because we, and all sinners, are difficult and confusing people. Here are some key verses that tell us to love sinners:

John 13:34

A new commandment I give to you, that you love one another: just as I have loved you, you also are to love one another.

1 John 4:8

Anyone who does not love does not know God, because God is love.

Matthew 5:16

In the same way, let your light shine before others, so that they may see your good works and give glory to your Father who is in heaven.

Luke 15:1-2

Now the tax collectors and sinners were all drawing near to hear him. And the Pharisees and the scribes grumbled, saying, "This man receives sinners and eats with them."

(I included this one as it is a prelude to the Parable of the Loving Father, which should be fresh in your minds.)

So, how are we to love sinners? We are to love one another as Jesus loved us. That is to say, Jesus gave his life for us. We are to give our lives for sinners. If we do not love, then we do not know God. Our light is to shine before them. This implies that we are to be near enough to them so that they may see what we do in Faith, and towards the Father. And we are to receive them and eat with them.

Does any of this mean that we condone sin? Absolutely not. So, where is the line that we must walk? That is provided by the Holy Spirit's guidance. Here are a couple of verses that speak about sin:

James 4:17

So whoever knows the right thing to do and fails to do it, for him it is sin.

Romans 3:23

For all have sinned and fall short of the glory of God,

When we consider this question "How are we to love sinners?" we must remember that we too are sinners and have fallen short of the glory of God. This is not an "us vs them" dilemma. It's a "our brothers and sisters are sinning against God and each other and us, how can we help?"

Practically. We pray. Pray fervently, pray often, and pray Scripture. We often fall into the lie that the Word of God doesn't work and it's "pointless" to pray. Here are some verses about prayer:

Philippians 4:6

Do not be anxious about anything, but in everything by prayer and supplication with thanksgiving let your requests be made known to God.

Mark 11:24

Therefore I tell you, whatever you ask in prayer, believe that you have received it, and it will be yours.

John 15:7

If you abide in me, and my words abide in you, ask whatever you wish, and it will be done for you.

1 Thessalonians 5:17

Pray without ceasing,

Romans 8:26

Likewise the Spirit helps us in our weakness. For we do not know what to pray for as we ought, but the Spirit himself intercedes for us with groanings too deep for words.

I really like that Romans text. Often our problems are quite complicated and we don't know what to pray for. That text speaks directly to those moments and the Spirit intercedes for us with groanings too deep for words.

Secondly. We must be in the presence of sinners, but not participating or condoning their sin. Are we as the church supposed to just hunker down in our churches, never leaving? No. Are we supposed to join in their sinning? Absolutely not. But we are to be near them so that they may hear the Gospel and let them see our good works and the light of Christ.

Thirdly. We are all priests before the Lord. 1 Peter 2:9 "*But you are a chosen race, a royal priesthood, a holy nation, a people for his own possession, that you may proclaim the excellencies of him who called you out of darkness into his marvelous light.*"

As priests before the Lord, His holy nation, we are to tell others of the Gospel. Jesus was fully the Gospel and He did not come to condemn the world, but that the world might be saved through Him.

We take these applications and are to hold fast to our Scriptures and Doctrine and tell others, with Grace, the truth that they are sinners in the need of a savior. Sometimes the truth is hard to hear, but just because something is hard to hear does not mean that we shouldn't say it.

When you have difficult situations, such as:

Should I go to a wedding of two people that are scripturally unfit to be wed?

How should I talk with my friend about their drinking problem?

We've been friends for 30 years and now disagree on politics, how should we continue?

This life is full of problems, and the Scriptures and the Spirit give us direction in what to do and say. Turn to the Lord in all your ways and things. When you come upon a problem, pray, be around them, and tell them the truth. The Lord's Word works. As you believe so shall it be.

Amen.

# 2022 Q1 Update

## Ministry Governance Board

### St Paul Lutheran Church

*"Fear not, for I am with you; be not dismayed, for I am your God; I will strengthen you, I will help you, I will uphold you with my righteous right hand." Isaiah 41:10*

Your Ministry Governance Board has had a busy 1st quarter as we started the new year. We continue to thank our outstanding Pastors for guiding us through these most challenging of times. Special thanks go out to Pastor Miller for taking on additional responsibilities while Pastor Brand was away. We offer prayers of thanksgiving and continued healing for Pastor Brand as he has returned from his leave. Please continue to keep both Pastors in your prayers as they transition back to their normal duties. Below are highlights of your MGB's 1st quarter activities:

Welcomed David Lark and Paul Kabelman to the governance board.

Elected board officers for 2022...Tony Dykhous as Chairman and Amber Seifert as Secretary.

Assigned MGB representatives to standing committees: Jacob Ergang, Nominating; Paul Kabelman, Finance; Tony Dykhous & David Lark, Facilities; Amber Seifert, Human Resources.

Reviewed 2021 year-end final financial statements. While we did not meet budget, receipts continue to be greater than expenses.

In conjunction with the Human Resource Committee and Church Office Manager, addressed Pastor Brand's short term disability claim through Concordia Plans.

Recognized Jake Ergang's need to step aside from serving as the board's Vice Chairman/Teaching Elder representative due to health issues. The board asks that you please keep Jake in your prayers.

Welcomed Doug Cutler as the temporary Teaching Elder representative to the board.

In conjunction with the Facilities Committee, reviewed capital plans for 2022 which will include the shingle roof replacement over the Gathering Place and Study meeting rooms and the garage.

The MGB and the facilities committee offers thanks to the congregation for your continued donations to the roof replacement fund. As of end-February the amount in this fund is \$28,558 vs. our goal of \$35,000.

In conjunction with the Finance Committee, Pastor Brand and our Pre-School Administrator are in process of planning for spending a Child Care Stabilization Grant worth \$24,561.25.

Approved the creation of an Information Technology Committee that reports to the board and will be led by Jim Seifert.

We thank you again for all for your prayers, your patience, your diligence and your financial support during these trying times. We also ask for you continued prayers and ongoing support as we navigate together (with guidance from the Lord) through the rest of the year.

Please feel free to seek out any member of your governance board, should you have any questions or concerns.

Blessing to all and all glory be to God our Father and His Son, Our Savior.

Your Ministry Governance Board

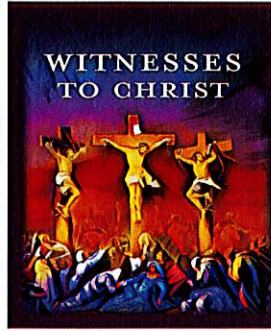
Dave Lark                      Paul Kabelman

Amber Seifert                Lynn Marutz

Tony Dykhous                Mike Wilson

Doug Cutler

*WITNESSES TO CHRIST: PEOPLE FROM HIS PASSION*  
*MIDWEEK LENT AND HOLY WEEK 2022*



John tells us why he wrote his Gospel: "Jesus did many other signs in the presence of the disciples, which are not written in this book; but these are written so that you may believe that Jesus is the Christ, the Son of God, and that by believing you may have life in His name" (John 20:30–31). Life! When we believe that Jesus is the Christ, God gives us life—abundant life, forgiven life, and eternal life.

Historically, the Fourth Gospel is likened to an eagle—an image that suggests John soars to heights of glory and grandeur. That's because the evangelist paints a stunning portrait of Jesus, who is the bread of life, the resurrection and the life, and the way, the truth, and the life. Life in Jesus. That's God's gift to you!

This Lent, our life in Christ will be strengthened as we hear the witness of those in John's Gospel who journeyed to the cross. Along the way, we'll meet villains, such as Barabbas and Pontius Pilate, as well as sinners, such as Peter (who denied Jesus *three* times), Mary Magdalene (who was possessed by *seven* demons), and Judas Iscariot (who betrayed Jesus for *thirty* pieces of silver).

Please join us for worship each Wednesday as we hear the witness of these people in John's Gospel:

**Midweek of Lent 4/6:** *Pontius Pilate*, John 19:1–16

**Maundy Thursday 4/14:** *Judas Iscariot*, John 13:21–30

**Good Friday 4/15:** *John, the Gospel Writer*, John 19:25–37

**The Resurrection of Our Lord 4/17:** *Mary Magdalene*, John 20:1–18

There are devotion booklets that follow and expand on the weekly themes, available on the narthex table, and family calendars with activities that can be used daily with our children. We are also bringing back our Lenten dinners at 5:30 each Wednesday in the fellowship hall. As we focus deeper on those who actually witness the passion of Jesus we will be prepared to give a stronger witness to those around us of the Lordship and providence of Jesus Christ!

Women Enjoying Literature & Laughter

All are welcome to spend a few hours with a group of women who enjoy a good read! This month we will be reviewing **"When God Doesn't Fix It"**, by **Laura Story**. This true story is about worship

leader and recording artist, Laura Story, whose life changes quickly with her husband's unexpected health issues. A book that will open our eyes to family issues, support and care for others. Meeting **Sunday, April 24, 3-5PM** at Marlee Stouffer's home.

Snacks provided. Purchase book at Baker Book House or through Amazon. Audio book available at KDL. Questions call 616-250-1354





### Food Items Needed

Canned Chicken

Chicken Rice-A-Roni

Spaghetti Sauce (plastic bottle)

Pasta (16 oz)

Chicken Noodle Soup

Pizza Sauce (canned)

Mini Boxes of Cereal

*Hand2Hand provides food for kids facing weekend hunger in West Michigan.*

### Palm Sunday Breakfast

St Paul's Fellowship Committee will once again be sponsoring a Palm Sunday Breakfast between services on Sunday, April 10th.

Sign up is on the table by the Church Office.



### Lenten Dinners Are Back!

We have one Lenten Dinners left before Holy Week.

Please join us for the good food and great fellowship!

Wednesday - April 6 @ 5:30pm



### EASTER EGG HUNT

Spring is coming soon!

We will have our annual Easter Egg Hunt on **Saturday, April 16 at 10:00am.** What we need from you right now is candy for our eggs!

Please put it in the basket by the office.

(We accept cash too!)

Call Deb Merchant with any questions.

616 437-9664







# St. Paul Lutheran Church and Preschool, Caledonia, MI

"Train your child in the way he should go, and when he is old  
he will not turn from it." Proverbs 22:6

**Now Enrolling Preschoolers for 2022/2023!**

For more information call Julie Rop, Director, at 616 891-8688  
or email her at Julie@stpaulcaledonia.org.



### Attention Receipt Collectors:

Shoparoo has ceased to exist, but I am collecting receipts for a different preschool fundraiser called *Direct Your Dollars*. This fundraiser accepts receipts from D&W, Family Fare, Ada FreshMarket by Forest Hills Foods, Martins Super Markets, ValuLand and VG'S. I will take all your receipts if you don't want to sift through them yourself!

There is a box on the table outside the office or you may put them in my mailbox. Thank you for your continued support of our preschool!

Simply shop at **smile.amazon.com** to support your favorite charity.

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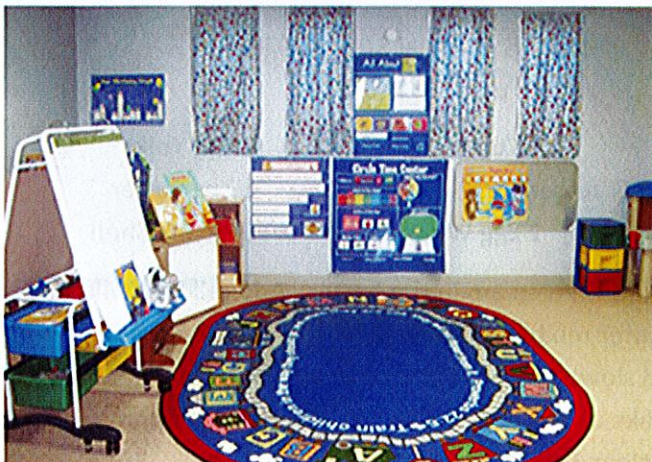
### Experience feel-good shopping

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We have a couple electronics not on our wish list that we'd also like to purchase, so monetary donations are also greatly appreciated. These items would further enhance our learning environment by providing a means for greater parent communications while allowing us to engage all of our students learning styles (visual/spatial, aural/auditory, physical/kinesthetic, logical/mathematical, social/interpersonal, and solitary/intrapersonal). Thanks for your support!

Recipes from

# ST PAUL'S PALETTE



## GOAT CHEESE WITH SUN-DRIED TOMATOES AND ROSEMARY

page 13 - Krista Kurth

- 12 Sun-Dried Tomato Halves
- 6 Cloves Garlic—Pressed
- 4 Tbsp Olive Oil
- 2 Tbsp Fresh Rosemary, Chopped
- 1 French Baguette, Thinly Sliced
- Olive Oil
- 1 (11-oz) pk Goat Cheese

Cover tomatoes with boiling water; let stand 5 minutes. Drain and chop. Combine tomatoes, garlic, oil, and rosemary; cover and chill up to 4 hours. Brush baguette rounds with additional olive oil. Place on an ungreased baking sheet, and bake at 350 degrees for 8 minutes or until lightly toasted. Just before serving, place goat cheese on a serving plate, and top with tomato mixture. Serve with baguette rounds.

## PISTACHIO BREAD

page 281 Janine Blakeslee & Linda Ainsworth

- 1 Duncan Hines Butter Cake mix
- 1 pkg Pistachio Pudding mix
- 1 C Sour Cream      4 Eggs (Beaten)
- 1/4 C Oil              1/4 C Water
- 2-4 Tbl Brown Sugar    1/2 Tbl Cinnamon
- 1/2 C Chopped Nuts

Blend cake mix, pudding, sour cream, eggs, oil, & water. In another bowl mix brown sugar, cinnamon & nuts. Pour 1/4 of batter into 2 greased pans. Sprinkle 1/2 of the sugar mixture between the 2 pans. Top with remaining batter & sugar mixture. Bake @ 350 degrees for 1 hour

## BAKED LAMB SHOULDER

page 136 - Sophia Savas—Taste of Greece

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|---------------------------|-------------------------|
| 3 lb lamb shoulder        | 1 can whole tomatoes    |
| 3 large potatoes          | 1 bay leaf              |
| 4 carrots                 | 1 cup water             |
| 2 celery stalks and stems | 1 Tbsp Cavender's Greek |
| 1 Onion                   | Seasoning               |

Wash and dry lamb. Season with Cavendar's and place in baking pan. Cut vegetables in halves and arrange around lamb. Add tomatoes, bay leaf, and water. Cover and bake at 350 degrees F for 1 1/2 hours. Remove cover and continue baking for 20 minutes or until done.

## HONEYED CARROTS—page 116

page 116 - Alyce Fredricks

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| 5 Cups Peeled & Sliced Carrots | 2Tbsp Chopped Parsley |
| 1/4 Cup Butter—Melted          | 1/4 tsp Salt          |
| 2Tbsp Brown Sugar              | 1/8 tsp Salt          |
| 1/4 Cup Honey                  |                       |

Cook carrots in boiling salted water until tender, drain and place in a 1 1/2 qt casserole dish. Mix melted butter, honey, brown sugar, parsley, salt & pepper; pour over carrots and lightly toss. Bake in 350 degree oven for 20-30 minutes.

## ASPARAGUS WITH FETA CHEESE

page 98 Krista Kurth

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|-----------------------------------|--------------------------|
| 1 1/2 lbs Fresh Asparagus         | 2 Tbs Olive Oil          |
| 1 Med Red Onion Sliced into Rings | Salt & Pepper (to taste) |
| 1/4 C Feta Cheese (crumbled)      |                          |

Steam asparagus until crisp-tender; drain. Remove asparagus and keep warm. Saute onion in oil until crisp-tender. Return asparagus to the pan. Sprinkle with salt, pepper & cheese. Serve immediately.

## JACK'S LEMON SPONGE PIE

page 353 Pat Moll

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|---------------------------|--------------|----------------|
| 1 Cup Sugar               | 1 Cup Milk   | 2 Egg Yolks    |
| 1 Lemon (juiced & zested) |              | 1 Tbs Butter   |
| 1 Tbs Flour               | 2 Egg Whites | 1 8" Pie Shell |

Mix flour & sugar, then cream in the butter. Add milk to yolks and add to flour/butter mixture. Add lemon juice & zest. Beat egg whites stiff and slowly fold into first mixture. Place in an unbaked 8" pie shell and bake at 350 degrees for 25-30 minutes or until toothpick come out clean from filling.

## Journey In The Word Bible Study

### Thursday Mornings @ 9:00am

Each week will be a different Proverb highlighting a different situation we all have, or may face in the future. This promises to be an interesting study and different each week.  
Hope to see you!

## Pastor Miller's Sunday Morning Class @ 10:00am in the Study

"Deep Dive" Bible Class into the weekly sermon text where we will be looking at the text and digging deeper into the text. If you're interested in Greek, or looking at our Scripture more critically, please join us!

### It's Our Mission:Period

The following dates have been set aside to continue It's Our Mission:Period. It's been awhile since we have been together. Hope all the snowbirds enjoyed their winter. Now it's time to get back to work and see where we had left off. We are back to our usual second Tuesday of the month and will meet in the gathering place from 9:30 am– Noon.

Hope you can make it. It will be great to see everyone again. Any questions?

Mary Stehouwer @ 616-293-4461

Together we are making a difference!!

We will meet in the gathering place from 9:30 am– 12:00pm on the following Tuesday  
Come and go as you please.

Tuesday April 12, 2022    Tuesday May 10, 2022

Tuesday June 14, 2022    Tuesday July 12, 2022

Tuesday August 9, 2022    Tuesday Sept, 13, 2022

Tuesday October 11, 2022



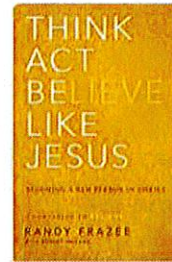
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**Saturday Night Euchre**  
**April 9th @ 7:00. Bring**  
**a snack to share and join**  
**the fun!**



## Monday Night Bible Study 7:00pm in the Study

### Sisters In The Faith & Men's Bible Study



## BELLS ARE BACK!

### Ring & Run

The Bells of St Paul are meeting again for a 2nd abbreviated season.

We practice on Monday from 6:00pm—7:00pm. It's easy, fun, and a great way to share your time and talents. Please join us! Questions?

Please contact Dawn @ 616 275-1038



# April Birthdays

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
					1 Janice Butzke Pete DeLille	2 Scott Doublestine Rita Lipscomb
3 Stephanie Chausow Colin Erskin Madisyn Hesselink	4 Kira Rosol Jon Swart	5 Finn Jahnke	6 Landen Cardosa Matthew Swart	7	8 Marilyn Beggs Shaun Dollarhide Diane Ebels Dawn Franchetti Robert Gutschke	9
10 Kory Keating	11 Erin Maier Rebecca Waldmiller	12 Gary Jones	13	14	15	16 Jackson Dowdle Danny Parker
17 Karen Ergang Emily Worch	18	19	20 Gerald Kayser Cheryl Mortensen Sophia Zimmerman- Doehring	21	22 Caitlin Detmer	23
24 Hadley Jahnke Vern Kayser Joyce Keating Ariana Soto	25 Terry Sleeman	26 Jackson Elenbaas Judy Ritz Joel Vogeli Michael Wilson	27 Don Aversano Amy DeLille	28	29 Zach Tuori	30 Daniel Jousma

## APRIL WEDDING ANNIVERSARIES

Paul & Sue Kabelman	04-02	Jason & Crystal Saidoo	04-21
Rick & Carol Paalman	04-12	Ray & Patti Troost	04-24
David & Tamara Kroll	04-15	Jim & Mary Becker	04-25
Scott & Pam Doublestein	04-16	Earl & Betty Hall	04-30

# Happy Anniversary!

### Men's Prayer Breakfast

2nd Thursday of the  
Month @ 9:30am

Oskar Scots  
in Caledonia

Come Join Us For  
Fellowship & Prayer



LADIES AID NEWS – Our next meeting will be April 21<sup>st</sup>, the THIRD THURSDAY, a change from our normal second Thursday of the month, due to Maundy Thursday. Same time, 10 o'clock, with potluck lunch at noon, followed by Pastor's short devotion and business meeting. Only one more meeting (May) and then our Summer recess for June, July and August. New faces always welcome. Serve our Lord and enjoy fellowship and food, also. Hope to see you on the 21<sup>st</sup>.

## GOLF SEASON IS ALMOST HERE




\*\*\* 3rd Thurs. of the month \*\*\*  
 \*\*\* 3 Tee Times beginning at 1pm \*\*\*  
 \*\*\* Carts - 9 holes Mark your calendars!  
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 \*\*\* Questions, talk with Bill Browne \*\*\*



April 21th Briarwood  
 May 19th Broadmoor  
 June 16 Briarwood

July 21th Broadmoor  
 Aug. 18th Broadmoor  
 Sept. 15th Broadmoor

# April 2022 Events

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
					1 Preschool Spring Break	2
3 8:30a Communion Service 9:45a Sunday School 10a Adult Bible Study 11a Communion Service	4 7p Men & Women's Bible Study	5	6 5:30p Last Lenten Supper 7P Lenten Evening Service	7 9 Journey In The Word	8 <i>Preschool On Spring Break</i>	9  7p Euchre
10 <b>PALM SUNDAY</b> 8:30a Worship Service 9:45a Breakfast 11a Worship Service 12:30p Elders	11 6p Hand Bells 6:30p MGB 7p Men & Women's Bible Study	12 9:30a It's Our Mission	13	14 9 Journey In The Word 9:30a Men's Prayer Breakfast 7p Maundy Thursday Evening Service	15 7p Good Friday Evening Service	16 10a Easter Egg Hunt
17 <b>EASTER SUNDAY</b> 7a Sunrise Communion Service 8:30 Communion Service 10a Communion Service	18 6p Hand Bells 7p Men & Women's Bible Study	19	20	21 9 Journey In The Word 10a Ladies Aid 1p Golf—Briarwood	22	23
24 8:30a Worship Service 9:45a Sunday School 10a Adult Bible Study 11a Worship Service 3p WELL 6p Youth Group	25 6p Hand Bells 7p Men & Women's Bible Study	26	27	28 9 Journey In The Word	29	30