

PLYMOUTH LUTHERAN CHURCH

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Second Sunday of Easter **April 8th, 2018**

Announcements

Call To Worship

Steven Dahlmeier

Hymn: "Christ Arose"

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Invocation

Scripture Reading:

ACTS 4:32-35

1 JOHN 1:1-2:2

Choir Anthem: "I Love You, Lord"

Confession of Sin and Absolution

Pastoral Prayer

The Lord's Prayer

 Hymn: "The Strife Is O'er"

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Offertory Prayer

The Pulpit Hymn: "Love Divine"

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 Sermon Text: **JOHN 20:19-31**

The Sermon

Brian Lunn

The Benediction

Hymn: "When I Survey the Wondrous Cross"

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Postlude



The Congregation stands

****Please turn off cell phones during the service – thank you****

ON OUR PRAYER LIST THIS WEEK (Please leave a note in the office of any changes)

- ❖ **For Missionaries:** David & Sharon Matti, Lynton & Iona Silva, Stacy Maikkula, Daniel & Denisa Harcar, Phil, Cindy, Megan & Sarah Read, Nicole Bartell, Trevor Rubenstein, David Gunderson, Bill Rogers, ALC Foreign Missions, Outpost Ministries.
- ❖ **MILITARY – Pray for those Serving Our Country –** Scott Matti, Jesse Maunu, Mike Larson, John Saari, Tripp Otto, Gregg Johnson, Jason Leonard, Dominic Anspach, Ryan Pelkola, Jeff Ritter, Tim Miller, Michael Palkki, John Pahkala, Joshua Pahkala, James O'Neill, Caleb Hendrickson, Luke McDonald, Ben Jenkins, Brandon Hietala, Zach B, Rose Stamp, Christopher and Corey Anderson
- ❖ **The family of Rebekka Wahala(7/17); Jack Bergstedt(9/17); Al Saari(3/18)**
- ❖ **Don Bielinski** – Pray for continued healing.
- ❖ **Sharon Emery** – Healing and strength from severe arthritis and pinched spinal nerves.
- ❖ **Jana Pile** - (Joyce Tibbs' daughter) Relief of back pain, anxiety, pulmonary & personal care
- ❖ **Dan Puumala**- Blood supply to right eye/miraculous healing/infection/strength
- ❖ **Sara Graf** – Relief and healing from Crohn's Disease and hormonal imbalance
- ❖ **Mary Pahkala** – (Marlene Walters' mother) Pray for healing
- ❖ **Karen Nolte** – (Anita Aho's Niece) Pray for her and her caregivers.
- ❖ **Don Matti** – Successful chemo treatments
- ❖ **Clayton Matti** – For physical, mental and spiritual healing of multiple disabilities
- ❖ **Pastor Charles Bergstedt** – Continued healing
- ❖ **Jill Sanko** (Joyce Tibbs' daughter) Pray for healing of break in left arm and physical fatigue
- ❖ **David Mickelsen** – (Joyce Tibbs' brother) Pray for remission of cancer in the blood
- ❖ **Roger Larson** – Healing
- ❖ **Ed Puumala** – inactive lymphoma
- ❖ **Ed Pahkala** (Marlene's brother)-that the chemo shot and pill he's getting for Multiple Myeloma, continues working. Also that he will draw closer to God and trust Him.
- ❖ **Lil Mindermann** – (Bette Hietala's Sister)recovery from cancer surgery and healing and endurance as she undergoes treatment.
- ❖ **Katrina Vahakangas** - healing in ankle
- ❖ **Lori Krumholz**-(Bill's Sister-in-law)pray for healing from surgery & successful chemo treatments
- ❖ **Mark Fredrickson**-(Lorraine's Son-in-law) pray for physical & speech Therapy
- ❖ **Reuben Aho** – Prayers for healing
- ❖ **Kristi Nordstrom(Julie Bartell's cousin)** – strength & healing during Chemo for stage 4 cancer
- ❖ **Pastor Rodger Foltz**-Healing
- ❖ **Carl Grussendorf** – (Ellie's Brother) – Healing from heart surgery
- ❖ **Pray for Pastor of the Week - Pastor Nathan Juntunen**
- ❖ **Pray for our Country**
- ❖ **Radio Ministry**
- ❖ Peace of Jerusalem (Psalm 122:6-7)/For the Unreached People Groups/Persecuted Church(Heb 13:3), ALC Balm of Gilead, Gospel Café, Nigerian Church, Sharon
- ❖ Silent Prayer

PRAYER UPON ENTERING CHURCH

¹ Sing to the LORD a new song; Sing to the LORD, all the earth.

⁸ Ascribe to the LORD the glory of His name; bring an offering and come into His courts. ⁹ Worship the LORD in holy attire; Tremble before Him, all the earth.

Psalm 96:1, 8, 9



Meditation Scriptures for this Week: Psalm 133

Pastor: Let us then confess our sins to God our Father

Confession

Most merciful God, we confess that we are by nature sinful and unclean. We have sinned against You in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done and by what we have left undone. We have not loved You with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. We justly deserve Your present and eternal punishment. For the sake of Your Son, Jesus Christ, have mercy on us. Forgive us, renew us, and lead us, so that we may delight in Your will and walk in Your ways to the glory of Your holy name. Amen

Absolution

In the mercy of almighty God, Jesus was given to die for us, and for His sake God forgives us all our sins. To those who believe in Jesus Christ He gives the power to become the children of God and bestows on them the Holy Spirit. May the Lord, who has begun the good work in us, bring it to completion in the day of our Lord Jesus Christ. Amen.

ANNOUNCEMENT

Shalom To You Radio Program

KKMS 980AM Radio **Saturdays at 2:30pm**

Please be in prayer for this ministry.



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For those that are interested, there is a **free book exchange** in the meeting room next to Pastor Joel's office.
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DATES TO REMEMBER

Apr 13-15 – North ALC Spring Services
Apr 15 – Youth Rally Planning Meeting
Apr 21 – Saturday morning Ladies Bible Study
Apr 21 LRC Dinner fundraiser @ Zion ALC Hancock, MI
Apr 27-29 – Spring Youth Rally hosted by PLC
Apr 29 – Worship Service will be at 9am
May 6 – Special Congregational Meeting with potluck
May 20 – Semi-Annual meeting with potluck
Jan 26, 2019 – Annual Meeting

Upcoming Coffee Serving List:

Apr 15 – Judy McDonald/Joan O'Brien
Apr 22 – Scott Maikkula/Lorraine Besonen
Apr 29 – Janis Saari/Ellie Puumala

Upcoming Nursery Schedule List:

Apr 15 – Janis Saari & Susan Baker
Apr 22 – Lois Hendrickson Family
Apr 29 – Stacey Wempen Family

Thank You to all who helped out in any way (setup, clean up, serving, organizing, contributing, etc.) for our Passover service, Easter Cantata and Easter Brunch! It would not have been successful without you. Praising Him, Pastor Joel

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Read Through the Bible Wednesday's 6:30-8pm

Apr 11 – Isaiah 38-44
Apr 18 – Isaiah 45-51
Apr 25 – Isaiah 52-58

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A **Special Congregational Meeting** with a potluck meal is scheduled for **Sunday, May 6th following the service**. This meeting will provide an update from the Property Assessment Committee. The committee is meeting April 8th and will have information to share by May 6th. The Board hopes to have a recommendation and hold a congregational vote at the semi-annual meeting based on the committee's research.

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*Sunday, April 15th
following church there will be
a Youth Rally planning meeting.
All are invited to attend*



Youth Rally hosted by PALC
April 27th - 29th
Theme: United
Psalm 133:1

There will only be one service on Sunday, April 29th at 9am

YOUTH RALLY HOUSING VOLUNTEERS

Looking for volunteers to house youth and adults for
the Youth Rally. April 27th – 29th.

There is a sign-up sheet on the narthex
desk.

Please see Kris or Marlene Walters with
questions.



LUTHERAN BIBLE FELLOWSHIP

*The date for LBF Bible Camp for the
summer of 2018 is as follows:*

THEME: Discipleship
Camp Lahti:

July 25 - July 29

(Wednesday - Sunday)

Go to lfbiblecamp.org to register

No pre-camp deposit necessary.

Paper copies of the registration will be available in the church office.

PRAYER CHAIN - 612-554-6823/pep59@aol.com

E-MAIL - secretary@plymouthapostolic.org

WEBSITE - www.plymouthlutheran.org

SERVING IN GOD'S HOUSE TODAY

Ushers

Larry Wahala
Noel Walters

Alex Walters
Larry Walters

Nursery

Evy Walters
Volunteer

Counters

Deb Sunnarborg
Kris Walters

Greeters

Dale & Myrna Maikkula

Sound Technician

Roy Saari

Van Driver Roy Saari

Coffee-Fellowship Hour– Kris & Noel Walters

SERVING IN GOD'S HOUSE NEXT SUNDAY

Ushers

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Noel Walters

Alex Walters
Larry Walters

Nursery

Janis Saari
Susan Baker

Counters

Cynthia & Erik Aho
Volunteer

Greeters

Mary Kay Myrmeil

Sound Technician

Roy Saari

Van Driver Roy Saari

Coffee-Fellowship Hour– Judy McDonald/Joan O'Brien

THIS WEEK'S SCHEDULE

TODAY(4/8)

9:00am Sunday morning Bible Study for all
10:30am Worship Service
11:30am Coffee Fellowship

TUESDAY(4/10)

5:45pm Mission meeting
6:30pm Board of Trustees meeting

WEDNESDAY(4/11)

9:15am Ladies Bible Study @ the church
9:30am Men's Bible Study @ the church
6:30pm Read Through the Bible study
Isaiah 38-44

NEXT SUNDAY(4/15)

8:00pm Choir Practice
9:00am Sunday morning Bible Study for all
10:30am Worship Service with Communion
11:30am Coffee Fellowship
12:00pm Youth Rally meeting in Fellowship Hall

As of March 31st, 2018

OUR STEWARDSHIP

Actual vs. Budget Income: \$45,520/\$47,534

Actual vs Budget Expenses: \$46,701/\$47,534

